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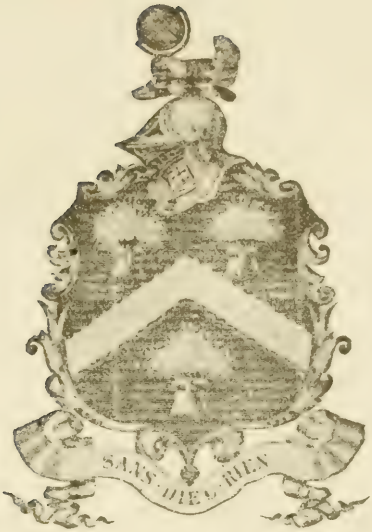

"Sans Dieu Rien"

"Without God Nothing"

[FIELD MOTTO]

O wise and reverent legend traced
The old armorial signs among,
Fit motto for a noble race—
Sans Dieu Rien, Sans Dieu Rien!

No idle vaunt of brave deeds done,
No boast of wealth, or rank, or fame;
No haughty menace to a foe,
No arrogant imperial claim.

But simply true and simply grand,
And couched in language briefly strong,
They wrote the story of their faith—
Sans Dieu Rien, Sans Dieu Rien.

Whate'er their lordly heritage
Of house and land, of form and mien,
The lofty rank, the high estate,
A loving Father's gifts are seen.

And forward with calm trust they look
The unknown future years along;
Whate'er may come of good or ill,
Serene in this—*Sans Dieu Rien!*

O favored ones who trace your blood,
Adown this good ancestral line,
Claim the escutcheon's pictured scroll,
Of knightly deeds the honored sign;

But, best inheritance of all,
High, pure as Eden's matin song,
From sire to son hand down the faith,
Sans Dieu Rien, Sans Dieu Rien!

San Jose, Cal., July 30, 1899. —Mary H. Field.

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Author's Preface

THIS work has been compiled at the instigation of John Spafford Field, of this city, who for several years has been greatly interested in the genealogy of his family. While securing the data of his particular line, much valuable historical information was obtained of other lines. On this account it was decided to continue the investigations in England, which had been so carefully pursued by the late Osgood Field, of Rome, Italy. With his assistance and that of others whom he employed, very full and careful search was made in Great Britain.

All the emigrant ancestors were connected, and instead of publishing the work in one volume, it has been found imperative to make two of just twice the size originally planned. The individuals in this work can take pride in the fact that many prominent men belong to the family, who have occupied high positions in the world, and have achieved enviable reputations for integrity and ability from the time of their illustrious ancestor, who computed the Copernican system in the isle across the sea.

The work is the most complete of the score I have published, and I take this opportunity to most cordially thank all those who have so kindly lent their assistance and aid.

A number of abbreviations will be found in the book, of which the following are explanations: ae., aged; abt., about; dau., daughter; dec'd., deceased; res., resided, resides, or residence; w., wife; wid., widow or widower; yr., year; n. f. k., nothing further known; s. p., *sine prole* (without issue). There are a number of other abbreviations of such common use that the meaning will be obvious. A name in parentheses thus, Anna Field, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary (Pierce) Field, indicates the maiden name of the mother. An interrogation mark implies doubt or want of absolute certainty. The

birthplace of the children are not always given, but they can be ascertained by reference to the residence of the parents, which is given in all cases.

I have been greatly aided and assisted in my work of compilation by the Field manuscript in the library of the Historical Society at Deerfield, Mass.; by the pamphlet issued by Mrs. Harriet A. Brownell, of Providence, relating to the Rhode Island branch; by the pamphlet on Rev. Timothy Field and his descendants by Rev. Henry Martyn Field, of Stockbridge, Mass., and last, and by no means least, the work of the late Osgood Field, of Rome, Italy.

From the Curator's Report of the Deerfield Historical Society for February, 1883, I quote: "We have received a volume which no library in the land can match. It is from Rodney Burt Field, of Guilford, Vt., and contains the results of many years' labor in collecting a genealogy of the descendants of Zechariah Field, who came to the Connecticut Valley in 1639. This volume is a thick quarto, elegantly bound, and contains the record of the birth of more than three thousand members of the family, all in his peculiarly neat handwriting. It is presented on the condition that it is not to be taken on any consideration from Memorial Hall. No one shall be allowed to copy from it without permission of Hon. George Sheldon, the president, or secretary of the association. Should this work be the means of stimulating some one to collect and publish a more full history and genealogy of the family, they are permitted to make such use of the whole as may be necessary for them to use, under the foregoing regulations."

It is under the last clause of the above that I was allowed to make a copy of the work under conditions agreed upon.

The publication of the book has been delayed somewhat by its magnitude. I trust the family will take as much pleasure in perusing its pages as I have enjoyed in compiling the same.

Very truly,

Frederick E. Pierce

Chicago, March 1, 1901

EARLY HISTORY OF THE FIELD FAMILY.

THE name of Field is an ancient and honorable one in England, and can be traced far back of the Conquest. Probably not a dozen families in England can prove so high an antiquity. The family name of Field is one of several, such as Wood, Hill, etc., derived from locality. Persons with corresponding patronymics may be found in every civilized country. The word originally signified land on which the timber had been felled, as distinguished from woodland. It is evident from the nature of its origin that there are many families of that name, related to each other, from having two common ancestors. It was anciently written De la Feld, or De la Felde, as was also the noun from which the name was derived; but about the middle of the fourteenth century the spelling of both was changed to Field, or, in some cases, Feild. We find, for instance, in the early editions of the Bible the well known words printed thus, "consider the lilies of the *feld.*" The fact of the name being hereditary in the family to which this book relates as early as the middle of the tenth century, and probably at a still more remote period, indicates a so-called Norman origin.

Freeman says in his history of the Norman Conquest that there is no well ascertained case of a strictly hereditary surname in England before the Conquest, and that they were a novelty at that time in Normandy, where the custom was taking root. After the Conquest there were instances of hereditary names in England, among the Norman families especially, if not confined to them. With these few exceptions, hereditary surnames did not come into use here till about the middle of the fourteenth century.

Burke states in one edition of his "Landed Gentry," under the head of De la Field, that this family was originally in Alsace, near the Vosges Mountains, where it was seated at the Chateau de la Feld, near Colmar, from the darkest period of the middle ages; that the Counts de la Feld were the once powerful proprietors of the demesnes and castles near Colmar, of which the latter still bears their name. These Lords had large possessions in Alsace and Lorraine, and are frequently mentioned in the wars of those countries. The Croix d'Or of La Feld, their ancient badge, is still the coat armor of the Delafields. Hubertus de la Feld was the first of his race that emigrated to England. He went over with the crowd of foreigners who attended the Conqueror hither, his name appearing enrolled as the owner of lands in the County of Lancaster in 1069, the 3rd of William I.

Burke also states that others of the name were proprietors of land in the same county in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, and were descendants of Sir Hurbertus. We have no authentic record of the companions of the Conqueror, and it is generally admitted by competent genealogists that the "roll of Battle Abbey" is imperfect, and has been tampered with.† It does not, therefore, help us in this matter. Burke is not always reliable, and when the writer* wrote to him for his authority for the statements in his book, he replied that he had forgotten where he found them, or from whom he had received them. The writer has not often met with the name in England prior to the middle of the thirteenth century. In the great roll of the Pipe there is mention of a Hugo de la Felde under the head of the

†Another account says the names of the Knights who came over with William to England are engraved on a tablet in a church at Falaise in France, the birthplace of William.

*Osgood Field.

Counties of Bucks and Beds, in the 1st of Richard I. (1189). A little later in the 3rd of John (1201), the following entry occurs in the "Rotuli de Oblatis":

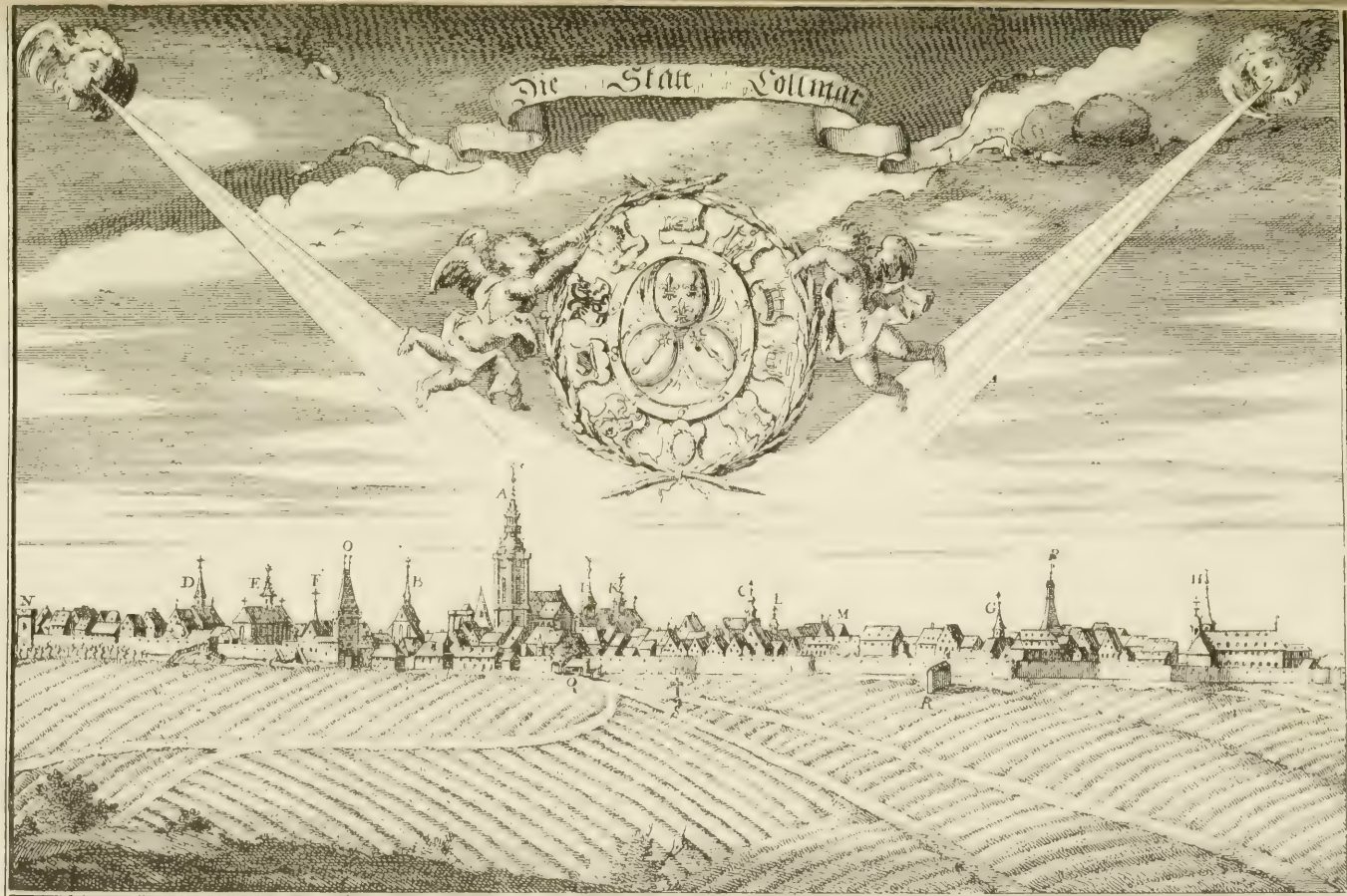
"York { The King to all, etc. Know ye that Hugh de Stueton to whom at first we wrote for his daughter for Richard de la Felda, and afterwards for Robert de Carduel, has offered us 100 marks of silver that his daughter may freely marry whom she pleases, and also offers to give us more if we are not contented with this, and, therefore, we command you if the same Robert would give us only so much as we can have from others, we will that he may have that marriage and that you cause him to have the aforesaid daughter of the same Hugh without delay."

This extract affords a curious picture of the manner in which the hands of high-born ladies were disposed of by the sovereign at that time.

As stated previously, the ancestor of the Field family, the first of whom there is any record, was Hubertus de la Feld, who went to England with William the Conqueror in the year 1066 from near Colmar in Alsace, on the German border of France. He was of the family of the Counts de la Feld, who trace back to the darkest period of the middle ages, about the sixth century. In Alsace the De la Felds entertained in the eleventh century Pope Leo IX. and his Court on the way to consecrate the Cathedral of Strasburgh. The edifice received many benefactions at their hands, and several of them are interred there in the chanteries they founded.

Hubertus de la Feld received of William the Conqueror large grants of land for military service. In the fourteenth century, in consequence of wars between England and France, the English De la Fields dropped their French prefix De La and ever after wrote their name Field. As previously stated, Sir Hubertus, the first in England, settled in Lancaster, near the city of Chester, and from him descended the family in this volume.

Colmar, or Kolmar, Germany, formerly in France, where the Field family is said to have had its origin, is the capital of the imperial German district Ober-Elsass, situated on the Lauch River, and not far from the Ill River, connected with Rhine-Rhone Canal by a small auxiliary canal, one hundred and ninety-three metres above sea level. It is an old town with narrow and winding streets. The ancient fortifications have been made into beautiful promenades. A new portion has grown up around the railway station, where also are located the beautiful district hall or prefecture (official residence), the water tower, the Field of Mars, and statues of General Rapp and Admiral Bruat, both natives of Colmar. Besides these are to be mentioned: The Minster or Catholic parish-church of St. Martin (thirteenth or fourteenth century), with its two steeples, one unfinished, its magnificent portals and the famous picture Maria in Rosenhag by M. Schongauer, who was a resident of Colmar; the Protestant church, the old Dominican monastery, built A. D. 1232-1289, containing excellent collections, i. e., public library, artistic, archæological, ethnographic, and natural history museums. Also a statue of Schongauer and one of the poet Pfeffel, the old Dominican church, the ancient market house, the imperial and district court-houses, the synagogue, etc. The population in 1899, including garrison of one regiment and three battalions, was over 30,399. The industries are varied and considerable wool and cotton weaving and spinning, silk cloth, twine, jute, thread, starch, sugar, breadstuffs, wagons and machinery, iron work, dyeing, brewing, etc. Commerce is regulated and supported by a bourse and a branch of the imperial bank. Colmar is the center point of numerous railway lines. Educational institutions: one lyceum, two normal seminaries, a theological seminary, a rabbinical school, an institute for midwives, and a society for preserving art collections of the city. Colmar is the seat of the district government, the circuit and supreme court of Alsace-Lorraine, a local court, the staff of the twenty-ninth



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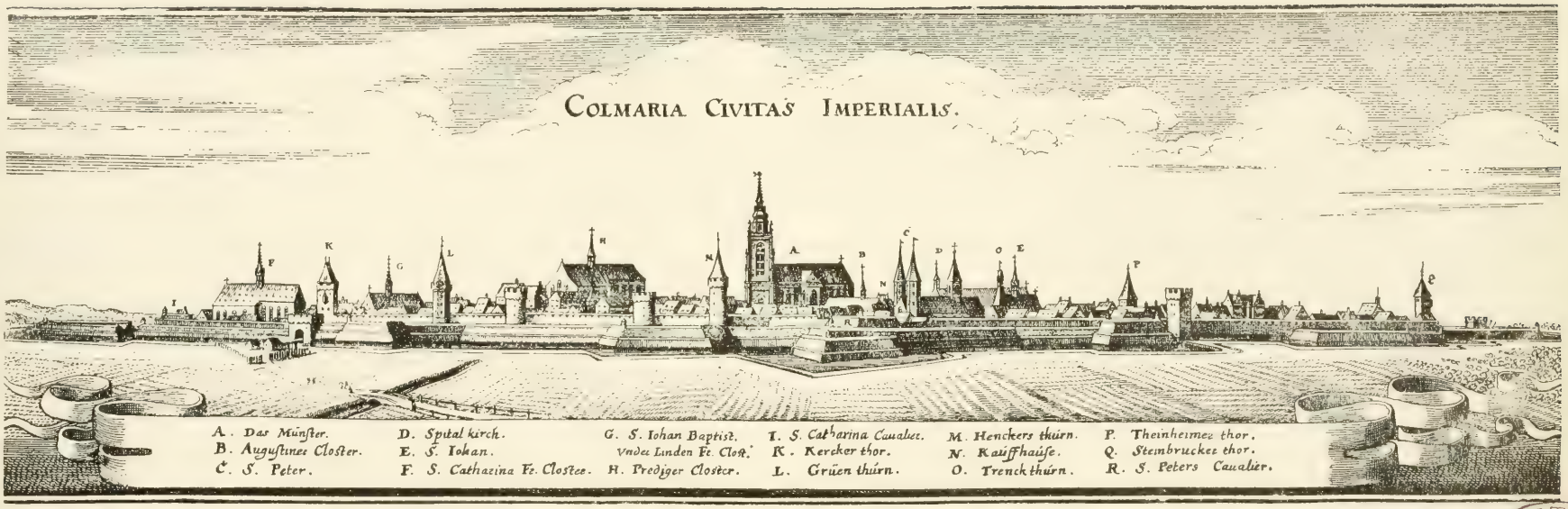

ANOTHER VIEW OF COLMAR.

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cavalry brigade, and a district of forestry inspection. Municipal government comprise three magistrates and twenty-four councilmen. The manufacturing town Logelbach, with its great spinning and weaving mills belongs to the city of Colmar. The judicial district of Colmar comprises fifteen local jurisdictions.

The origin of the city of Colmar is not known. Some say it derived its name from Collis Martes, hill of the war-god Mars, and on that eminence where now stands St. Peter's church was a temple sacred to that god. Other authorities state it derived its name from Collis Marii.

ORIGIN OF THE FIELD NAME.

PROF. JOHN FISKE, the most eminent historian in the country to-day, in writing to the author in relation to the origin of names, says: The origin of surnames is not perfectly clear. The largest and most familiar groups of surnames are either (1) patronymics, such as Johnson, Jones, Wilson, etc.; or (2) names of villages and estates, such as Washington, Frothingham (a corruption of Fotheringham), Greenough (green field), Holmes (meadow), Etherston (Adde's Stone), Stanley (stony pasture), etc.; or (3) names descriptive of occupation or social position, such as Mason, Carpenter, Franklin (country squire), Baker and its feminine Baxter, Thatcher and Thaxter, Weaver and Webster, Draper, Smith, Fletcher (arrow-maker), Chapman (merchant), Cooper, Butler, Cartwright, Sargent, Waterman, Sawyer, Chandler, Bishop, Abbot, Clark, Constable, Spencer (steward), Grosvenor (chief huntsman), Woodward (forest-keeper), Youmans (yeoman), etc.

The earliest use of family names in England was about the beginning of the eleventh century. Long before that time, indeed, clan names were common, and such were always patronymics, e. g., Fotherings, the descendants of Fother; Beormings, the descendants of Beorm; Icklings, the descendants of Ickel. At the time of the Anglo-Saxon conquest of Britain (fifth and sixth centuries) it was customary for a clan to settle in a stockaded village by itself, and all English towns whose names end in ham or ton, preceded by ing, were originally the abodes of single clans; e. g., Birmingham, home of the children of Beorm; Icklington, town of the children of Ickel. Besides these general clan names no others were in use except individual names, such as Alfred or Edith.

The use of family names, beginning in the eleventh century, increased slowly. It was not until the fifteenth century that such names became nearly universal, and also stationary. At first they were shifting in usage. Thus, the same man might be called Henry Wilson, because his father was named William, or Henry Frothingham, because he lived at the village of Fotheringham, or Henry Draper, because of his occupation. If the son of this Henry were named Robert, and were any kind of a worker in metals, from an armourer to a blacksmith, he might be known as Robert Harrison or Robert Smith. Surnames had not ceased to fluctuate in this way until the fifteenth century, and it was not until late in the sixteenth that more importance began to be attached to the family surname than to the individual baptismal name. It appears, therefore, that in tracing back the Field genealogy into the ninth century, we are approaching the time at which difficulty must arise from fluctuations of surname. In the thirteenth century we should be quite likely to encounter such confusion and to find the helpfulness of surnames in tracing genealogies vastly diminished.

Surnames derived from estates or localities seem to have been the first to become stationary, and next after them the surnames derived from trade or office, since sons have so commonly followed their fathers in business.

We are at first struck with the fact that barbarians commonly use such names, both for individuals and for clans. Such individual names as Grey Wolf or Yellow Raccoon often owe their origin to some personal peculiarity or to some irrecoverable incident. Among American Indians, and in general among barbarians all over the world, the clans are apt to have such names as Wolf, Eagle, Salmon, Turtle, etc.; the totem, or symbol of the Wolf clan, the idol or image of its tutelar deity, is likely to be a rude image of a wolf or wolf's head; and in many cases the clan is supposed to have had a wolf for its first ancestor.

Shall we say, then, that animal surnames in modern English are survivals of ancient heathen clan-names. To this view there seems to be a serious objection. The conversion of our English forefathers from heathenism to Christianity was completed in the seventh century, at least four hundred years before the earliest use of surnames in England. The old clan system, moreover, had crumbled to pieces long before the Norman Conquest. It is not likely, therefore, that habits of naming characteristic of the old heathen clans could have persisted long enough to give rise to a whole class of surnames so late as the eleventh and twelfth centuries.

Between the ancient systems of totem devices and the heraldry of the Middle Ages there were many analogies and doubtless some points of connection; though, on the whole, the former must be regarded as the predecessor of the latter, not as its ancestor. The mediæval heraldry was growing up in England during the eleventh and twelfth centuries, and it made an extensive use of conventionalized heads of familiar animals, not merely lions, wolves, and bulls, but many kinds of bird and fish, as well as such imaginary creatures as dragons, griffins, and cockatrices. For example, Lucy is the heraldic name for pike, and the shield of the De Lucy family bears on a field gules three lucies or. From this emblem the family surname is likely to have arisen, just as Geoffrey Plantagenet was so called from the sprig of broom or genesta plant worn in his helmet. The familiar name of Pike, as well as that of the Puritan magistrate, Sir Thomas Lucy, who arrested Shakespeare for poaching, has probably come from the heraldic use of pikes or lucies.

The explanation which serves for one of this class of animal surnames might perhaps serve for all; but there is another point to be considered. Heraldic devices were used not only upon banners and coats-of-arms, but also upon signboards, not merely of inns but of other places of business. In days when reading and writing were not common accomplishments, such devices were in general use, and they survived down to a recent time. For tavern signs they are not yet extinct. In old times, as often at the present day in Europe, the shop and the homestead were usually contained in the same building. Thus in the seventeenth century the father of John Milton, who was a solicitor, notary public, and law-stationer, had his office and his home in a certain house known as the Spread Eagle, in Bread Street, Cheapside. Over the front door was the figure of an eagle with outstretched wings. For four or five centuries before Milton's time, in going through any town, you would have passed by a succession of such signs of hawks, cranes, dolphins, salmon, lambs, and bulls, thus finding your way to the particular shop and homestead of which you were in quest. The principle upon which the signs were chosen is not always obvious. Sometimes a family name may have suggested the sign, as if a man named Crow were to paint a black crow over his door; but in early times the signs undoubtedly preceded and suggested the name. The family which dwelt at the sign of the crow came to be called Crow, in the same way that a family which dwelt at a country house called Greenough or Greenhalge (green field) came to be called by the name of the house.

Field is derived from De la Field. Here are a few of the compound names derived from Field. Arkenfeldt (German for cornfield), Banfield, Barnfield, Bayfield, Bidfield, Binfield, Blackfield, Bloomfield, Bradfield (i. e., Broad Field), Bromfield, Butterfield, Byfield, Cawfield, Drewfield, Deerfield, Fifield, Fairfield, Gaffield, Garfield, Greenfield, Hubberfield, Handfield, Hartfield, Hatchfield, Hatfield, Heathfield, Kenfield, Kitfield, Layfield, Linsfield, Littlefield, Mansfield, Marshfield, Maxfield, Mirrifield, Merryfield, Moorfield, Redfield, Readfield, Northfield, Schinfield, Scholefield, Scolfield, Schofield, Spokesfield, Stanfield, Southfield, Tuckfield, Wakefield, Whitfield (white field), Widdefield (wide field), Winefield, Winfield, Westfield,

John Fiske.

FIELD COAT OF ARMS.

THE arms borne by the Field family of which the author is writing are what is termed in heraldry, "canting," or "armes parlantes," because of their allusion to the name—the garbs or wheatsheaves on the shield being the chief production of the *fields*. Their simplicity is an evidence of their antiquity, apart from the statement in Symonds' diary that he saw them on monuments of knights of the name of Field in Madeley church, which were of the thirteenth century. It was only during the first half of it that coat armour came into use in England. The most ancient roll of arms there, of which any copy exists, is that of the reign of Henry III., and is supposed by competent authorities to have been made in 1240 to 1245. In this the arms of the Barons de Segrave are given as "sable, three garbs or."

A little later, in the same century, the Earls of Chester assumed as their arms, "azure, three garbs or." Probably the Fields had adopted their coat before these two had been used, and others therefore were obliged by the laws of heraldry to choose one differing in some respect from those described; they had selected for theirs the arms on the monuments in Madeley church, "sable, three garbs argent."

These arms, differenced by a chevron, were confirmed to John Field, of East Ardsley, in the manor of Wakefield, in 1558, and it has been stated that they were used by Matthew Field, of Wakefield and London, at about the same time, and are now on an old house at Crofton, at which place several members of this same family resided in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.

It was a serious matter at this time for any one to assume a coat to which he was not entitled by right of descent, or of a grant from the College of Arms. The Earl Marshal's Court imposed heavy fines, and sometimes personal confinement on those who violated the laws of heraldry. The author would remark that the arms assigned to the Fields of Weston in the Hertfordshire Visitation of 1664, are identical with those confirmed to John Field of East Ardsley, and with the crest granted to him in 1558, except that the chevron is "engrailed." The inference from this great resemblance of the two coats is, that the Hertfordshire family claimed relationship with that of Wakefield manor, and that, being of the same stock, they wished to found a separate branch.

FROM YORK'S PEDIGREES.

Arms granted March 9, 1653.

Field, of Stanstedbury, County Hertford.

Field, of Oxford.

Field or Feld, Ardestow, County York, Sept. 4, 1558.

Field, Ulceby Grange, near Hull.

Field, Horton Shipley and Ardsley, County York, and Bayside and Flushing, N. Y., confirmed to John Field, of East Ardsley, Sept. 4, 1558.

It is a singular fact that the City of Chester coat of arms has three garbs of wheat like that of the Field family. Sir Hubertus de la Feld resided near that city and it may be that this part of the Chester arms was copied from those he bore.

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CROWN STREET, HALIFAX, ENGLAND.

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ENGLISH HOMES OF THE FIELD FAMILY.

IN 1220 a Robert Feld was bailiff of the city of Exeter. During the next hundred years the name—somewhat varied in the spelling—occurs more and more frequently, and is found in the counties of Lancaster, Hereford, York, Hertford, Kent, Gloucester, Somerset, Oxford, and Surry; but, for the reason already given, in all probability the persons named in these different localities bore no close relationship to each other, except when residing in the same neighborhood.

About the middle of the thirteenth century we first meet with persons of the name, who may be considered on fair and reasonable grounds to have belonged to the family to which this book relates. They are mentioned in the Coucher Book, or Chartulary of Whalley Abbey, concerning Spotland. It appears from an entry in this register that Adam, son of Henry del Feld, sold his house and land at Falenge in Spotland, and that Robert del Feld, son of the former, executed a quit claim. There is no date to these documents; but from surrounding circumstances they may be assigned to the middle of the thirteenth century, or shortly after. Spotland is a suburb of Rochdale, from which town a high road runs to Halifax, passing by Sowerby.* This last named place is only some ten miles from Rochdale, and we find that the Fields were seated there as early as 1306, and probably before that date. We may fairly suppose that those of the name residing at these two places were related, inasmuch as they were living at about the same date in the same neighborhood. Not improbably Adam del Feld removed to Sowerby after selling his estate at Falenge. This is more probable, inasmuch as we find one of the family at Sowerby in 1333 with the uncommon name of Adam, and as he had a house and land there in 1336, and was dead in 1350, he was probably born as early as 1300. This Adam is described in the manor rolls as "son of Richard del Feld," while another Adam is mentioned as at Sowerby in 1349, who is called in them "son of Thomas del Feld."

Rochdale is in Lancashire, in which county Hubertus de la Feld held lands in 1069, and others of the name (his descendants) had similar possessions there in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries.

Before leaving this remote period, the author would call attention to a branch then seated in Herefordshire, who, judging from the similarity of the arms borne respectively by them, were related to the Sowerby family.

Among the officers in the army of Charles I. was a certain Richard Symonds, a man of good family, and possessing antiquarian tastes. In the course of his wanderings with the army, he availed himself of every opportunity of visiting such objects of interest in that way as might happen to be in the neighborhood where he was stationed. He recorded his observations in a diary written in the years 1644 and 1645, which has been published by the Camden Society. Among other ancient edifices, he visited Madeley Church, about five miles from Hereford, and he described, as follows, some ancient monuments which he saw there:

"Madeley Church, com. Hereford. North window church. Kneeling figure of a knight in complete armor of the thirteenth century, with hands upraised in the attitude of prayer; his sword suspended from a highly enriched belt, and his surcoat embroidered with Sable, three garbs, argent (Feld or Field), under written Walt'us et Joh'es Felde, sword between his legs;" also, "Outline of an effigy of a

*Pronounced Sorby.

knight, upon which is written 'broken, the same garbes.' Some of this family of De la field built a part of this faire churche, and a house is so called now."

The vicar of Madeley wrote that nothing remains of these monuments, and that the oldest existing ones in the church only date from the reign of Elizabeth, 1558-1603. The name, however, survives in a house called "Fielde Place," and a mill adjoining styled "Fielde mill," pleasantly situated on the Wye, about a mile from the church, and in the parish. He adds that the house has been modernized, and exceeds the requirements of a farmer, though now occupied by one.

In 1558 the same coat which was on the monuments in Madley church, "differenced" by a chevron, was confirmed to John Field of Ardsley. This place is but a few miles from Sowerby, and both are in the manor of Wakefield, which is the cradle of the race in England to which this work refers. It will be seen hereafter that these arms were used by other members of the family residing in this manor, and at an early date.

The celebrated commercial town of Halifax, where the Fields resided, is situated in the liberty of the manor of Wakefield, eight miles from Bradford, and twelve from Keighley. Seated on the western declivity of a gently rising eminence, but surrounded with hills of considerable height, it seems, on approaching it, to stand in a deep valley. The town is about three-quarters of a mile in length, from east to west, but the breadth is narrow and exceedingly irregular; it is in general well built, partly of stone, partly of brick. The use of the latter material has been brought into fashion only since about the middle of the last century; and it is said that it was introduced because the nice dressing of stone is attended with great expense. It is difficult to conceive, however, how brick can be the cheaper material, on account of the numerous quarries in the neighborhood. It seems that the inhabitants of Settle, Skipton, Keighley, Bradford, etc., make a different calculation. These towns are almost entirely built of stone, and in the villages scarcely any brick is seen, either in the most elegant mansions or the humblest cottages. Whatever may be their reason, however, the people of Halifax, though living in a land of stone, seem to have a strong predilection for brick.* The mixture of brick and stone buildings in this town forms a variegated picture, and the great number of small enclosures in the neighborhood, surrounded with stone walls, in the valleys and on the declivities of the hills, resemble an assemblage of gardens, but the landscape is almost entirely destitute of hedges and wood.

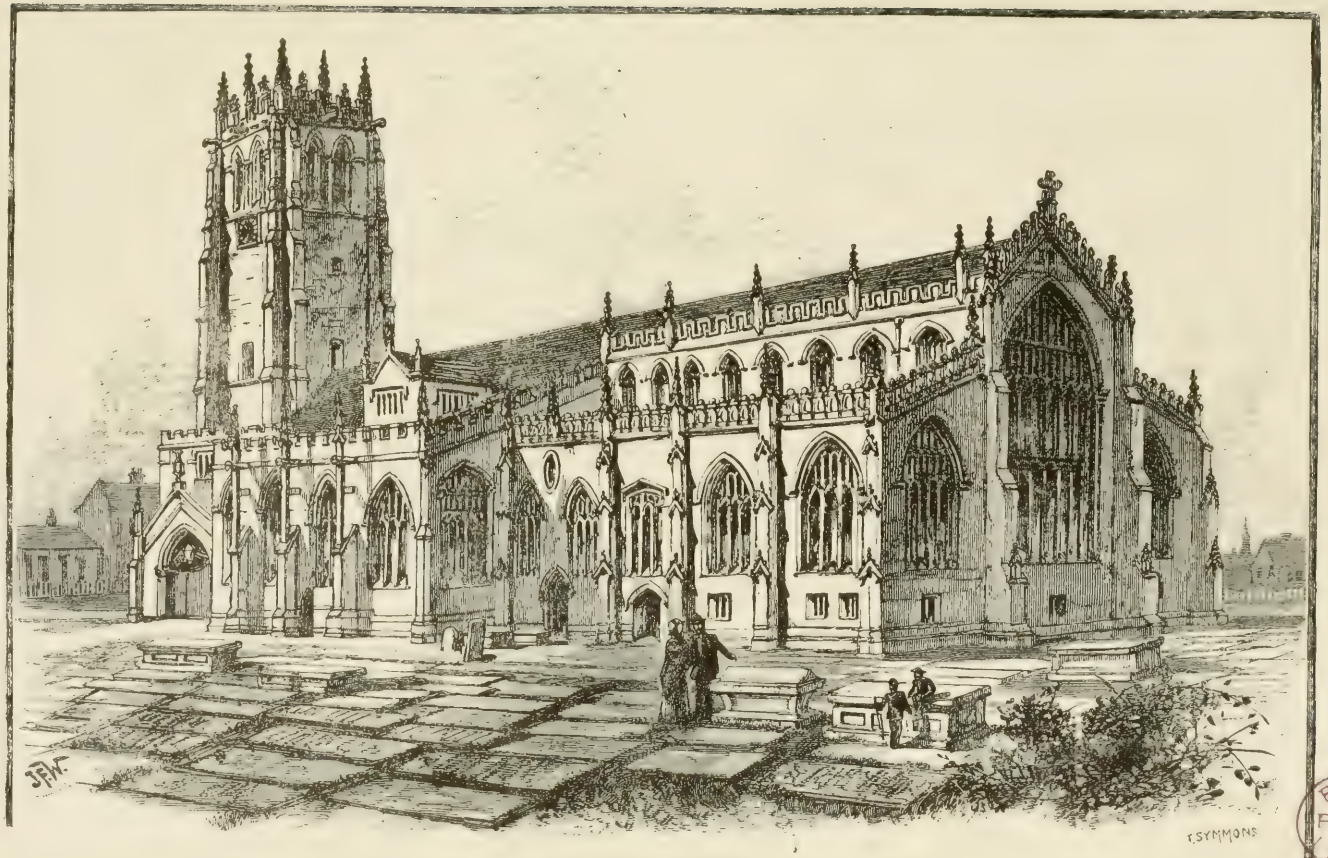
Halifax has a good market on Saturday† where, beside provisions, etc., considerable quantities of woolen cloths of different sorts are sold. Fairs are held on June the 4th, and the first Saturday in November, for horses, horned cattle, sheep, and swine.

In 1453 there were but thirteen houses in this town, which, in one hundred and twenty years, increased to five hundred and twenty. Camden, when he traveled in these parts, about the year 1580, was informed that the number of inhabitants in this parish was about twelve thousand. Archbishop Grindall, in his letter to Queen Elizabeth, during the northern rebellion, also says, that the parish of Halifax was ready to bring into the field, for her service, three or four hundred able men. In the year 1801, there were one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three houses, occupied by eight thousand eight hundred and eighty-six inhabitants; and in 1821 the town contained twelve thousand six hundred and twenty-eight, persons‡ inhabiting two thousand seven hundred and thirty-four houses. In 1828 the gross total of the

*Beauties of England and Wales.—Yorkshire, p. 743.

†The market is held by prescription, which, through length of time, is now equivalent to a charter.

‡The entire parish contained ninety-two thousand eight hundred and fifty persons.



HALIFAX CHURCH.

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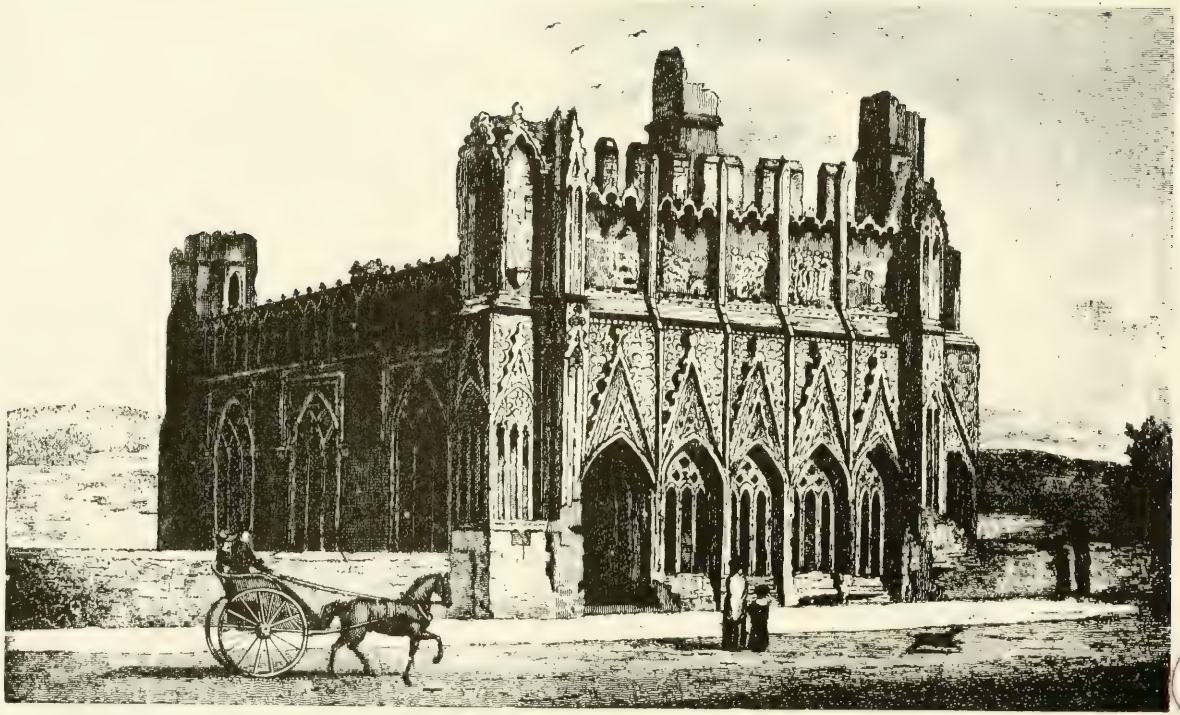

CHANTRY ON THE BRIDGE AT WAKEFIELD, ENGLAND.

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inhabitants of this extensive parish amounted to one hundred and four thousand two hundred and sixty-nine, an increase of eleven thousand two hundred and nineteen since the official census taken in 1821.

The town of Halifax can not boast of great antiquity; its name is not found in Domesday book, nor is it mentioned in any ancient record before a grant of its church was made by Earl Warren to the priory of Lewes, in Sussex. The origin of its name has been variously given: Dr. Whitaker supposes it to be half Saxon, half Norman; and that formerly, in the deep valley where the church now stands, was a hermitage, dedicated to St. John the Baptist, the image in the sanctity of which attracted a great concourse of persons in every direction, and that there were four roads by which the pilgrims entered, and hence the name Halifax, or Holyways, for *fax*, in Norman French, is an old plural noun, denoting highways.

The church stands near the east end of the town, the chancel directly fronting the entrance from Wakefield. It is a large structure of pointed architecture, one hundred and ninety-two feet in length, and above sixty in breadth within the walls. The precise era of its erection can not be ascertained. It is evident that there was no church here at the time of the Conqueror's survey; for the Domesday book informs us that in the manor of Wakefield, of which Halifax was a part, there were only two churches, and it is clear that these were at Wakefield and Sandal. Internal as well as external evidence fixes the erection of it in the reign of Henry VI. Since that time it has been frequently re-edified, and the chancel seems to have been an addition to the original fabric. The steeple, which was built by the munificence of the families of Lacy and Saville, the founders of the parish of Halifax, was begun in the year 1450; and this tower, which is well proportioned, is said to be one hundred and seventeen feet in height from the ground to the summit of the pinnacles.

Within the church are two chapels, one on the north side, the other on the south; the former of these, called Rokeby's chapel which is eleven yards and a quarter in length, and five yards and a quarter in breadth, was erected in consequence of the will of Dr. Rokeby.

The parish town of Thurnscoe is situated eight miles from Doncaster, and has a population of two hundred and five persons.

The benefice is a rectory, dedicated to St. Helen, and valued in the Liber Regis, at 11. 7s. 8 1-2d. Patron, Earl Fitzwilliam. The church is a neat edifice.

The township of Ardsley is in Staincross wapentake; it contains nine hundred and ninety-two persons. Here are two considerable seats—Park House, the residence of B. Taylor, Esq., and Ardsley Hall, the seat of J. Micklethwaite, Esq.

The parish of Crotton, three miles and a half east of Wakefield, has a population of four hundred and fifty-nine persons. The benefice is a rectory, dedicated to All Saints, and valued in the Liber regis at 10. os. 2 1-2d. It is in the patronage of the crown. The church, a neat edifice, of the fifteenth century, has a good tower in the center.

The parish of East Ardsley is situated on the high road from Wakefield to Bradford, being distant from the former town three miles and a half. It has a population of eight hundred and thirty-two persons. The benefice, a perpetual curacy, valued in the Liber regis at £27, is in the patronage of the Earl of Cardigan. The church is a small but neat edifice, and contains few objects worthy of notice. West Ardsley, near the last village, has a population of one thousand five hundred and fifteen persons. The church is a perpetual curacy, of the clear value of £31.5s. It is in the patronage of the Earl of Cardigan.

Another branch of the Fields located at Wakefield, which is a large and opulent town, delightfully situated on the left bank of the Calder, in the center of the

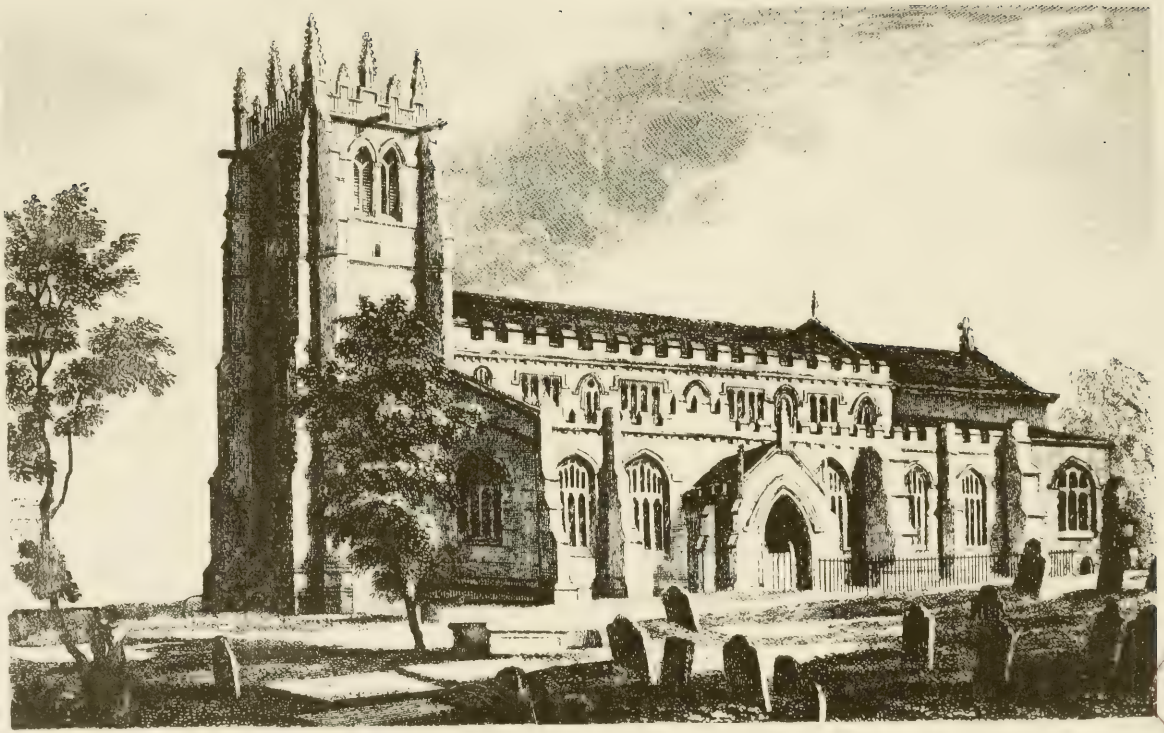
parish and liberty to which it gives name; it is nine miles from Leeds, ten from Barnsley, and one hundred and eighty-seven from London. The streets are, for the most part, regular, handsome, and spacious, and the houses, which are principally of brick, are well built, large, and lofty. The market place, however, is very small and incommodious, and before the corn market was removed into Westgate, it was totally inadequate to the accommodation of a town of its present magnitude. In the center of the market, there is a small cross, of the Doric order of architecture, with an open colonnade supporting a dome, with an ascent by an open staircase to a spacious room, which is lighted by a lantern in the dome and in which room the commissioners of the streets hold their meetings, and other public business is transacted. Friday is the market day at Wakefield, and a great deal of business is done in corn and wool, the latter of which is sent here from various parts of the kingdom, to be disposed of by the factors to the manufacturers in the adjacent districts. The fortnight fairs for cattle, held here every alternate Wednesday, are much resorted to, and contribute to supply an extensive and populous country to the west with fat cattle, brought from the north, the south, and the east.

The manor of Wakefield is very extensive, including the parish of Halifax, and stretching from Normanton westward to the verge of Lancashire. It is more than thirty miles in length from east to west, and comprises upward of one hundred and fifty towns, villages, and hamlets, of which Wakefield and Halifax are the chief; and upward of one hundred and twenty thousand inhabitants (about one-eighth of the whole population of Yorkshire). It appears from Domesday Book to have been part of the royal demesnes of Edward the Confessor, and at the time of the survey it belonged to the crown. How long it continued in the hands of the king is uncertain; some assert that William I., who settled most of the lands in the kingdom on his Norman followers, gave it as a portion with his daughter Gundred to William, Earl of Warren. Others, with greater probability, say that it remained annexed to the crown till the reign of Henry I., who granted it to William, Earl of Warren and Surrey, in 1116.

At the time of the Domesday survey, Wakefield, with its dependencies, was in the hands of the crown. In this extensive manor there were two churches and three priests. "The churches may," says Dr. Whittaker, "without the slightest hesitation, be assigned to Wakefield and Sandal; and as we know that a chapel existed at Horbury within fifty years from this time, and as chapels are never mentioned in Domesday, the presumption is, that the third priest ministered at that place. I am further persuaded, that although the church of Wakefield was in existence in the Conqueror's reign, it was not one of the original Saxon churches, of which, in the hundred of Morley, there were only two.

Huddersfield is one of the five principal market-towns in the central part of the West Riding; it is in the liberty of the honor of Pontefract, eight miles from Halifax, sixteen from Leeds, twenty-four from Manchester, and one hundred and eighty-eight from London. The town, which derives its name from Oder, or Hudder, the first Saxon colonist in the place, stands on the river Colne, which, rising near the source of the Don above Holmfirth, falls into the Calder near Nunbrook. The valley formed by this stream, with a small quantity of level ground upon its banks, comprehends the parish of Huddersfield.

Horton is a large chapelry, with a population of seven thousand one hundred and ninety-two persons. The chapel, a small edifice (consecrated about twenty-four years ago) is a perpetual curacy, valued at £44; patron, the Vicar of Bradford.



THE OLD CHURCH AT BRADFORD, ENGLAND.

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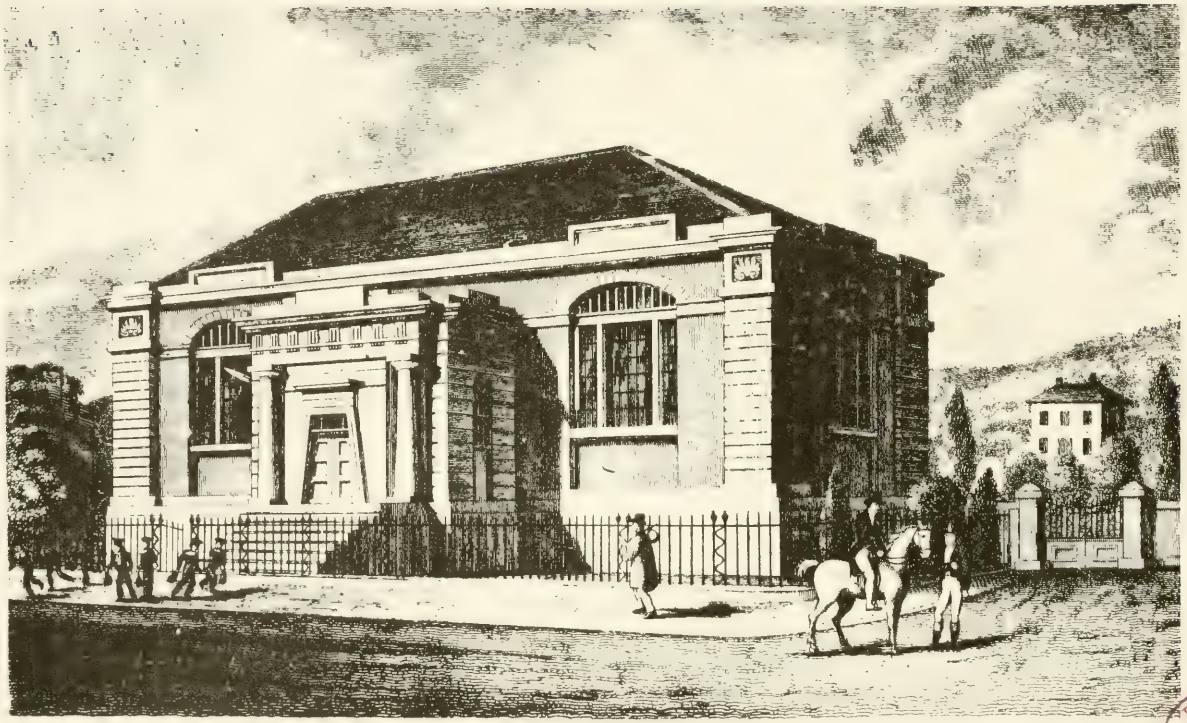

GRAMMAR SCHOOL AT BRADFORD, ENGLAND.

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The commercial and populous town of Bradford,* where the Fields resided, is situate in the liberty of the honor of Pontefract, is eight miles and a half from Halifax, ten miles from Leeds, and about the same distance northwest from Dewsbury. It is pleasantly situated at the junction of three beautiful and extensive valleys. It also possesses the advantage of a navigable canal, which is cut from the Leeds and Liverpool canal, near the village of Shipley, about three miles to the north of Bradford, and penetrates into the heart of the town, affording excellent convenience for the loading and unloading of boats. There is a market on Thursday, and fairs on the 18th and 19th of June, and on the 9th and 10th of December, for horses, horned cattle, pigs, etc.

The town of Bradford has thirteen thousand and sixty-four inhabitants, occupying two thousand four hundred and fifty-nine houses.†

Bradford is pleasantly situated on one of the tributary streams of the river Aire, formerly belonging to the great family of Lacy, Earls of Lincoln, who had here a manor house, where previously had been a castle, the site of which is not at this time exactly known. Like many other manufacturing towns, Bradford, having espoused the cause of Parliament, in the great contest between that body and Charles I., was garrisoned, and maintained a siege against the royalists. Sir Thomas Fairfax came to the assistance of the garrison with eight hundred foot, and sixty horse, which brought down upon them the powerful army commanded by the Duke of Newcastle, who invested the town, and attempted to storm it in several places. Sir Thomas Fairfax made a vigorous defense.

The parish church, which stands on the site of an edifice much more ancient, is a structure of pointed architecture of considerable antiquity; it was built in the reign of Henry VI., and, after fifteen years' labor, finished in the thirty-sixth year of that reign in 1458. It comprises a nave and chancel, with aisles, and a tower at the west end. The interior is near, and crowded with monuments and tablets; among them is one to Abraham Sharpe, the celebrated mathematician, who died Aug. 15, 1742. The tower is of later date, and was not completed till the twenty-third of Henry VII. in 1508.

The chapelry of Sowerby is very extensive, containing six thousand eight hundred and ninety inhabitants. The chapel, a neat edifice, built in 1763, is a perpetual curacy, dedicated to St. Peter, and valued in the parliamentary returns at £78. Patron, the Vicar of Halifax. The chapel has a chancel; within it is a statue of Archbishop Tillotson, erected in compliance with the will of his surviving grand-niece, upward of thirty years ago. The archbishop was born at Haugh-end, in this township. At Sowerby was once a castle, the foundation of which may yet be seen in a field near the top of the town, adjoining to which is a piece of ground, called the Hell Croft, where, no doubt, the dead were buried. It is not known at what time it was built, but it is clear, however, that during the possessions of the Earls of Warren there was a castle there.

North Ouram has six thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and South Ouram four thousand two hundred and fifty-six inhabitants. The hall at the former village is the residence of J. F. Dyson, Esq. A near chapel was built and consecrated in 1819 at South Ouram.

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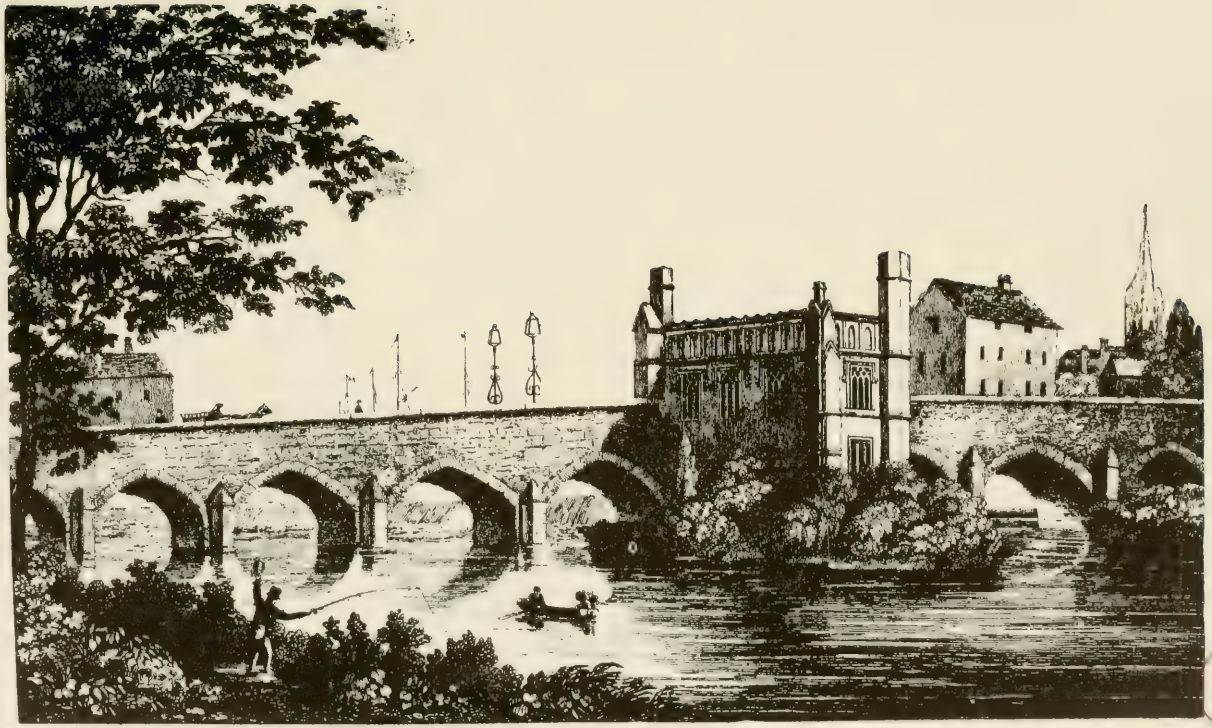
*According to the conjectures of antiquaries the name of Bradford is derived from the ford at the bottom of the church brow; yet it is difficult to imagine how a water so insignificant could have acquired the epithet of "broad." The term broad is, however, in Yorkshire frequently applied to rivers which have no peculiar title to that designation, and hence the river Aire, where it passes Leeds, is by many called the Broad Aire.

†The entire parish contains a population of fifty-two thousand nine hundred and fifty-four persons.

William, Duke of Normandy, commonly called the Conqueror, landed in England Sept. 29, 1066, and on Oct. 14, 1066, fought the battle of Hastings, where Harold the King of England was defeated and slain. As early as the third year of William the Conqueror, 1068, Hubertus de la Feld held lands in the County of Lancaster, near Chester, granted him for military services. From official records in the various counties of Gloucester, Hereford, Herts, Lancaster, Middlesex, Suffolk, Surry, Yorkshire, and other parts of England, the name of De la Fell, De la Feld, De la Felde, is found changed to Feld, Felde, Feild, Fielde and Field are found down to the present time. Therefore, the derivation of the family name of Field is self-evident. The substantive from which it is taken is feld, or as it was written in old English, field, and is so written by all the old English authors. It is also found ffield down to 1700; this latter was probably used by those who were refugees from England to Holland, Wales, and Sweden, who came to America. John Horn Tooke in his diversions of Purley suggests that Field in old English was written Feld, Field land as open land, and was so used to designate land where trees had been felled from forest or wood land.

In the twelfth year of Henry II., 1111, John de la Feld appears as the owner of land in the County of Gloucester. The estate of Robertus de la Felde or Fielde who appears in Parliamentary writs as early as 1316 as one of the lords of the township of Hardwick, County of Gloucester, is said to have descended to the Fields and remained in the family for many generations. The place is still called Fields Court. There are the ruins of a Castle Field on the river Calve in Gloucestershire, near the town of Calve, which is said to be very ancient. The same year John de la Feld appears as one of the lords of Chelsham, County of Surry. In proof of the identity of the two families, it is ascertained that the two names are found in the same parts of England; for instance, in the County of Hereford, a county very rich in ancient names of families, frequent mention is made of the de la Felds and de la Feldes in the reign of Edward II., 1280, and were common before the reign of Richard IV. The prefix de la was dropped by many families in the fourteenth century on account of the wars with France having made it unpopular. The first without the prefix is found in Halifax and Sowerby as early as 1360, and about 1445 it entirely disappears. In those localities where the de la Felds were the most numerous between the eleventh and fourteenth centuries in the counties of Lancaster, Gloucester, Hereford, Herts, and others, we find the Felds or Fields settled between the fourteenth and sixteenth centuries. Sometimes the two names are met with in the same locality, but at different periods. The name also appears at a very early period without the prefix de la in Ardsley and Bradford in the West Riding of Yorkshire, which borders on Lancashire, migrating from west to east and came from the latter county. One of the earliest probate records is in 1480, when letters of administration of the estate of "William Feld of Bradford" were granted April 21, 1480, to his widow Katherine.

As the family is found seated at Horton, about two miles from Bradford, a few years later, it is probable that this was the residence of William Feld, and the description (of Bradford) refers to the parish rather than the town, as the registers of Bradford church only go back to 1596. Beside the branch at Horton, the Felds or Fields are found seated between the years 1500 and 1600 at several places within a radius of ten miles of Bradford, and were descendants of William Feld who died in 1480. They are also found at Cropton, in the parish of Stansfield and close to Lancashire; at Sharleston, near Wakefield; at Ardenton or Ardsley, between the latter place and Bradford; at Beiston, near Leeds; at Halifax and the contiguous parishes of Kirkheaton and Almondbury. In Lyson's "Environs of London," Vol. 4, page 258, is found Edward Field of Marden, and afterward of Stanstead Burg



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BRIDGE AT WAKEFIELD, ENGLAND.

County of Herts, Esq., died the 3d, buried the 7th June, 1676, aged 56, at Sheepshall. He married Frances, third daughter of William Pert, Esq., of Arnoldo, County of Essex, and widow of Charles Nodus of Sheepshall, Esq., who died Oct. 15, 1656, aged 48; she died, buried at Sheepshall, Sept. 18, 1690, aged 80. The adowson of the vicarage of Stanstead Abbott in the time of Henry II. was given by Roger de Wancy to the Prior and Canons of Merton in the County of Surry, in whom it continued until their dissolution, when it came into the possession of the crown, and in 1550 and 1552 was in the gift of Lady Mary, sister of Edward VI., afterward Queen of England. But the next vacancy was in Edward Baesh, Esq., lord of the manor of Stanstead, in whose family and name it continued until it was sold with the manor to Edmund Field, Esq., A. D. 1676, and is at present vested in Wm. Henry Field, Esq., lord of that manor. Edmund Field, Esq., died in February, 1719, aged 43, buried at Stanstead, and was a relative of John Field, the astronomer, as their coat of arms is identical.

The name of John De la Feld occurs in 1112, the twelfth of Henry I., as a proprietor in the counties of Lancaster (where Sir Hubertus settled) and Bucks; of Robert De la Feld without a date, and of John De la Feld in the thirty-eighth and forty-third of Henry III., 1254-59. John De la Feld witnessed two deeds in the same years on the marriages of his son and daughter, viz., John, and Elizabeth who married Norman D'Arcy.

John, the son, espoused in 1254, the thirty-eighth of Henry III., Elizabeth Fitzwarine, daughter of the Lord Warden of the marches in the north. Their children were John, Hubert, and Nichols.

Elizabeth, daughter of John, married 1259, forty-third of Henry III., Norman D'Arcy, of Norton, in the County of Lincoln, and had Philip, afterward Lord D'Arcy, in Parliament in 1299; Sir John D'Arcy, a very distinguished personage, was justice of Ireland and was in Parliament as baron in 1332, and Robert D'Arcy, of Starlingburgh, Lincoln County.

John De la Feld (John, John) married in 1289, in the fifteenth of Edward I., Maude, daughter and heir of Montacute, and had two sons, Hubert and John, cannon of the abbey church at Hereford.

Hubert De la Feld (John, John, John) married in 1318, the eleventh of Edward II., his cousin, the daughter and heir of Falke Fitzwarine, and had John.

John De la Feld (John, John, John, John) married in 1350, in the twenty-third of Edward III, Margaret de Tyringham, and had three sons, Robert, Thomas, and Nicholas.

Thomas De la Feld (John, John, John, John, John) married in 1372, the forty-fifth of Edward III., Elizabeth, his kinswoman, daughter of Thomas Butler, second son of Thomas, Earl of Ormonde, and great-great-granddaughter of Elizabeth De la Feld, wife of Norman D'Arcy. Thomas fell soon after his marriage in the French wars, and leaving no issue, his estate was given to his brother Robert.

Robert De la Feld (John, John, John, John, John) married in 1378, in the fifty-first of Edward III., Elinor Butler, sister of his brother's wife and co-heir with her of their father, Hon. Thomas Butler. By her Robert had a daughter, Anne, abbess of a convent at Lancaster, and a son, Robert.

Robert De la Feld (Robert, John, John, John, John, John) married in 1411 in the twelfth of Henry IV., Alice, daughter and heiress of Sir Reginald de Grey, and had a son, Thomas.

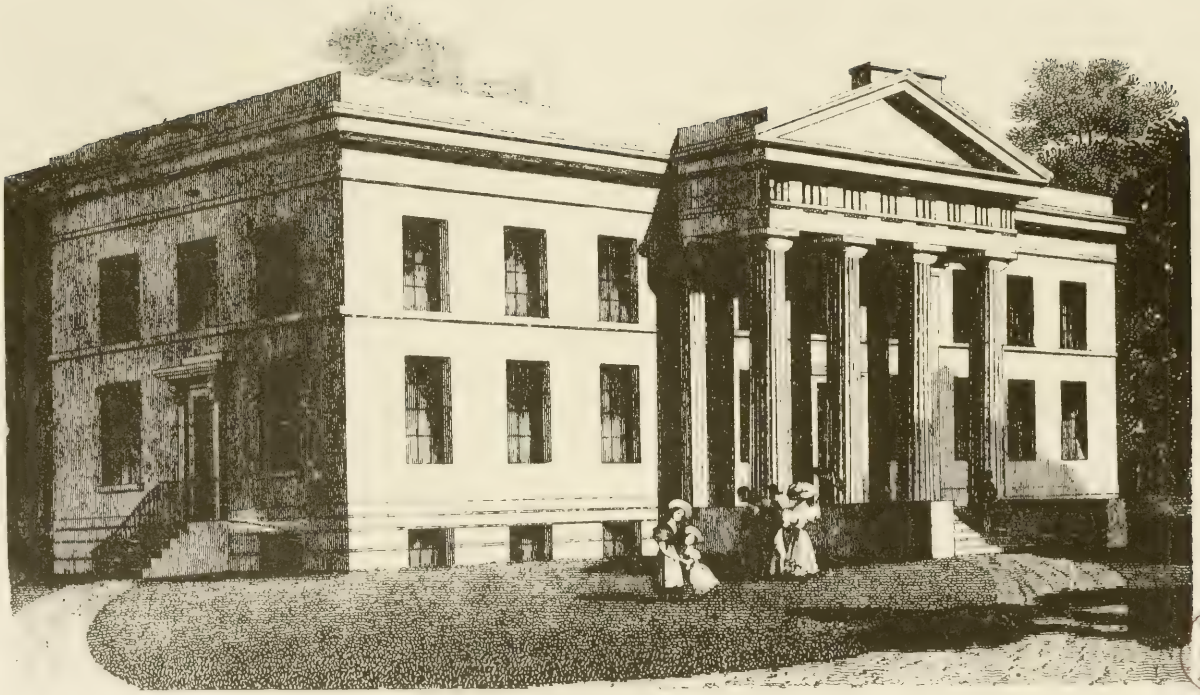
Sir Thomas De la Feld (Robert, Robert, John, John, John, John, John) wrote himself of Ailesbury or Ardsley, in England, and of the lordships of Fieldstone and Culduffe in the County of Kildare in Ireland. This, Sir Thomas married in 1438,

in the sixteenth of Henry VI., Katherine, only daughter of Sir Thomas de Rochfort, and had a son, Sir John.

In the year 1454, in the thirty-third year of the reign of Henry VI., a John Field was sheriff of London. There is no question but that the present name of Field is a contraction of De la Feld, and in the account of Delafield of Fieldston, previously referred to, De la Field is indeed changed to Delafield, which shows a common origin with the Fields, and the name is continued to the time Burke's work was published in 1833.

It is evident that Feild, Fielde, and Field is an ancient name in England, without the prefix, certainly as far back as 1392. It is said that Dr. Richard Field, a distinguished divine, who was chaplain to both Queen Elizabeth and James II., was a native of the County of Hertford, born in 1561, about six miles from St. Albans, "of a family very ancient and of good repute in the countrie." He was the author of the "Book of the Church," a work of note in its day, and which still keeps its place in the literature of the Church of England, as it was re-published at Oxford in 1843 in four volumes, 8 vo. His biographer relates that he was born on an estate which had been in the family for some generations, as he used to say that out of the house in which he was born there had died but three housekeepers in 160 years; so much were his ancestors blessed with length of days. This was said while his father was living, and, of course, referred to his grandfather and two generations before him, which would carry the family back into the fourteenth century.

In Wood's Athanæ, John Field or Feld is mentioned as a citizen of London, who figured as a zealous protestant and was a great enemy to Sir Thomas More, who was beheaded July 6, 1555. In Philip Morant's "History and Antiquities of Essex," occurs the name of another John Field, who died in 1477, who held the manor of Stypyll, or Stepyl Hall, and later appears in the same county one William Field, Esq., who married Arabella, daughter of Earl Rivers, by whom he had Richard, an officer in the army; William of the Inner Temple, Esq., and Elizabeth, wife of Sir Richard Lloyd, Knight of the "Barons of the Exchequer." Walter Field, clerk, is set down at Provost of Ryngges College, Cambridge, in the reign of Edward IV., about 1450. Another Walter of Radley, County of Gloucester, died in the reign of Richard III. These connections might be traced to any extent from wills proved in the Doctors Commons. The name was and still is a familiar one both in England and the provinces. Many of the names appear in the clergy list, and some have been raised to a bishopric. In a book called "Patterson's Roads" (eighteen edition) are designated a number of country seats belonging to gentlemen by the name of Field in different parts of England. John Wilmer Field, a descendant of William Feld (which see), has estates in the three Ridings of Yorkshire, and seats at Helmsley Lodge and Heaton Hall. To further sustain the descent of the Fields from the Counts De la Fell, or Feld, the visitation in the Heralds College show families of the name at that time entitled to wear the coat of arms, in the counties of Gloucester, Hertford, and Somerset, and the century before in Yorkshire. The arms of the De la Felds, or Delafields, of Maddy, County of Hereford (sable, three garbs argent) are the same as those borne by any branch of the Field family, which goes to show they are of the same origin with that of Yorkshire, except the arms of the latter bear a chevron which was often used as a "difference," *i. e.*, to distinguish different branches of the same family. The arms are of the most simple character, of the most ancient ones, and were doubtless used by the family before grants originated. The garb or wheat sheaf is one of those plays on the name so frequently met with in heraldry, it being the chief production of the fields, and therefore a proper emblem for a family of that name. The arms are found with the sole difference that the chevron is "or" (gold) on a roll in the Her-



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alds College of London which is one of a collection made in 1580 and styled at that date "an ancient roll." The officials of the office attribute it to the reign of Edward II., about 1200. They are called the arms of Feld.

In the sixteenth century the name is illustrated by a distinguished astronomer, John Field, who was the first to introduce the Copernican system into England. Copernicus died in 1543, leaving as a legacy to the world his great work on "The Revolution of the Celestial Orbs," in which he overthrew the system of Ptolemy which had ruled the world for two thousand years. It embodied the labor of his life, and the first copy of his work was brought to him on his death-bed. Attacking so boldly the general belief of mankind, the new system made its way very slowly among the scientific men of Europe, and is proof at once of the clearness of mind of this English mathematician and of his intellectual intrepidity, that he so quickly saw its truth and at once stood forth in its defense. In the year 1556, thirteen years after the death of Copernicus, John Field published the first astronomical tables that ever appeared in England, calculated on the basis of the new discoveries, and thus made the true system of the universe familiar to the dawning science of Great Britain. In the Gentleman's Magazine for May, 1834, first part, page 491, is a biographical sketch of this eminent man, who is styled the Proto Copernican of England, by the Rev. Joseph Hunter, keeper of one of the record offices, and a well known antiquarian of London. It was in recognition of this great service that he received a patent which was confirmed in the Archers Court of Heraldry, Sept. 4, 1558, in the fifth to sixth of Philip and Mary, to wear the family arms, also at the same time in addition, the following crest was granted him, which, in the language of Heraldry, would be a dexter arm issuing out of clouds proper fessways, habited gules holding an armillary sphere by its axis. The Heralds visitation of Yorkshire in 1584-5 records the name of himself, wife, and children. His biographer, speaking of the addition, says there was meaning if not poetry in this; a red right arm issuing from the clouds and presenting a golden sphere, intimating the splendor of the Copernican discovery, a light from the heavens above.

In March, 1653, Edmund Field of Weston, Herts, of a family long seated in that county, obtained a grant of the same arms, except that the chevron was engrailed. The date of John Field's marriage is not known. He probably married about 1560, Jane, daughter of John Amyas, Esq., of Kent County, England. From the time of his marriage to 1584, Hunter in his sketch says, "Little if anything was heard of him," but in 1584-5, he answered the summons of the Heralds who visited the County of York in those years, when he gave an account of his right to arms and crest, of his marriage and of his issue, which were eight sons and one daughter, and his residence at Ardsley, or Ardslow, a village of the Wapentake of Morley, situated about four miles north of the town of Wakefield on the public road to Bradford. He died in 1587, for his will is dated Dec. 28, 1586, and probated May 3, 1587. In his will he describes himself thus: "John Field of Ardslow, former sometymes studente in the mathematical sciences." His biographer says: "The appointments respecting his property show that he was a man of substance and of a generous and liberal mind. To his wife he gave all his interest in the farmhold and a corn mill appurtenant thereto. He was not without his trials, for to his eldest son whom he describes as his 'disloyal and loose-lived son Richard,' he gave one silver spoon in full payment and satisfaction of his child's part, and if not satisfied with it that he lose the benefit of it. To his two sons, James and Martin Field, he gave "all his plate and jewels of gold and silver." The rest and residue of his estate he gave to his eight youngest children to be equally divided between them. He gave in his will a penny-dole to 500 poor folks, and a dining to all his poor neighbors. Referring back to the early authentic records in England to William

Feld of Bradford, whose will is dated in 1480, and letters of administration granted to his widow, Katherine, April 21, 1480; he left two sons whose names I have not been able to ascertain. Richard Felde, grandson of William and Katherine, of East Ardsley, whose will is dated 19th of August, and proved Dec. 9, 1542, his widow, Elizabeth, co-executor with his son John and brother Thomas, supervisor. There is no mention of any other children in his will, but his son John the Astronomer, who was born about 1520.

The will of Jane, widow of John Field, is dated July 17, 1609, and she was buried at East Ardsley, Aug. 3, 1609. They had nine children—Richard, born in 1562; Matthew, born in 1563; Christopher, born in 1565; John, born in 1568; William, born in 1570; Thomas, born in 1572; James, born in 1574; Martin, born in 1577; Ann, born in 1580. The oldest, Richard, was disinherited by his father. Matthew, lord of the manor of Thumscoe, named in his mother's will, died June 2, 1631. Letters of administration granted to his son, Matthew, Aug. 4, 1631. Christopher not named in his mother's will. John not named in his mother's will. William of Thumscoe, executor of his mother's will. Thomas named in his mother's will, in which she calls him her third son. James, Martin, or Ann are not named in their mother's will. By their not being named, Mr. Osgood Field thinks they were not living, which is a matter of doubt, as they may have espoused the Puritan cause and left England. ~~From~~ papers belonging to the late Mr. Richard Field of Brooklyn, N. Y., who died Nov. 23, 1875, now in the possession of his son, Mr. Charles M. Field, of Brooklyn, say that Mathew Field, son of John and Jane (Amyas), had a son, James, born in 1587, who had a son, Robert, born in 1610, who emigrated in 1636, to Boston, and in 1645 to Flushing, L. I. They also have a tradition in their families that Zechariah was related to Robert, but not so near as first cousin, but that they were descended from the same stock within a few generations he had no doubt. From various sources and from a tradition handed down in the different families, that Zechariah Field had two brothers, who came over with him or a few years later. I find Darby Field, who was a refugee and escaped from England to Sweden, and came from there to Boston in 1636, and in 1638 removed to Exeter, N. H., in 1648, to Dover, N. H., where he died in 1649. The probability is that the other brother was Richard or Henry, as both of those came over in 1635, and one of them settled in Virginia, and was probably an adherent of the Church of England. The Virginia families say their ancestor had a brother who settled in Massachusetts. William and John Field came to Boston in the ship Lion, which sailed about the middle of August, 1631, and arrived in Boston, Nov. 4, 1631. They settled in 1638 in Providence, R. I. There has also been a tradition handed down in the families of Zechariah Field that his brothers had to leave England on account of political and religious troubles, and lost their property by confiscation, which may account for John Field disinheriting his son Richard, and the others not being named in their mother's will and leaving her property to her sons Mathew and William, and apparently none to any of the others. The theory of Mr. Osgood Field may be incorrect in thinking Christopher, John, and Ann were not living at the date of their mother's will, because of their not being mentioned in it. Those were troublous times in England when households were divided by strong political and religious feuds, and it is not improbable that they might have fled to Holland, Sweden, or Wales. In Shakespeare's comedies is found a Nathaniel or Nat. Field, as he was usually called, son of a Puritan preacher, born in London in 1587. His name first appears in our dramatic literature as one of the children of Queens Chapel. In 1607 he played in Bussy De Ambois, in George Chapman's tragedy of that name. He attained great eminence in his profession. He was not only an actor, but an author, and a recognized wit. One of his jokes was: A nobleman connected with

him, but whose branch of the family spelled their name Feild, asked him how this difference in spelling the name came about. "I do not know," said Nat, "unless it was because my branch of the family was the first that learned to spell." He was a fellow of Dulwich College, where a portrait of him still exists, which shows him to have been a fine-looking man.

In 1619 the name of Field occurs as the seventh in a patent granted by King James II. There was a Francis Field, rector of Middleton Stoney, County of Oxford. In his will, dated Oct. 14, 1616, he bequeaths a legacy toward bringing up "Francis, son of brother Zachary Field, deceased." Apparently, the testator had no children, as none are named in the will. He names his wife Frances, his father Henry Field, the elder of Barkhamstead, County Hertford, his mother Margaret, his brother Henry, and William Silmett, son of his sister, and Robert G., of St. Albans. The will of Henry Field, Sr., is dated Aug. 10, 1620, in which he describes himself of Barkhampstead, manufacturer of cloth; he appoints his wife Margaret and son Henry executors, and names his son-in-law Robert Silmett.

There was a numerous family of Fields seated in Hertfordshire from an early date, and in the neighborhood of St. Albans. Mr. William Field descended through his grandson William (cousin of John), through his son William, and his son Robert baptized at Halifax March 9, 1605-6, who is named in his father's and mother's wills, and it is claimed this Robert Field is the same person that is found at Newport, R. I., Aug. 23, 1638; that is found in Flushing, L. I., in 1645, which does not agree with Mr. Josiah Field's records, or those of the late Mr. Richard Field, whose account of the Flushing family he says has many inaccuracies, but does not point them out. If he is not descended from John Field, the astronomer, what right has he to use the crest granted him in 1558 of a sphere, in addition to his family coat of arms?

THE FIELDS OF OTHER PLACES IN WAKEFIELD MANOR AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

IN the subsidy roll of 6th Henry VIII. (1514-15), John Feyld is assessed under the head of Sharleston, a place in the parish of Warnfield, two or three miles south-east of Wakefield. Among the wills at York is that of this same person, "John Feld, of Sharleston," dated June 28th, 1522, in which he desires "my bodie to be beried in the chirche garthe of Warmfeld," and names in it his sons, Henry, Lionell, and "Umfray," and his brother, Henry Feld. Among the witnesses are Richard Feld and "John Jobe (or Jube), senior." It was proved July 8th of the same year. In the subsidy roll of 15th Henry VIII. (1523-24), Humfrey Feyld, Robert Feyld, and Richard Feyld are assessed under the head of "Sharleston." On April 18, 1588, Robert Field, "of Sharleston in the parish of Warmfeld," made his will, in which he mentions his wife Margaret, Sister Janet, and daughters Elizabeth, Agnes, Dorothy, Anne, and Jane. The will of "Robert Feld of Croston* (Cross-stone) in the parish of Stansfield, husbandman," is dated May 7, 1525. He divides his property among his children, whom he does not name. He mentions his brother, i. e., brother-in-law, John Job, or Jub. It is witnessed by Brian Feld and Robert Feld, and was proved by his widow, Joan, and Thomas Feld, chaplain. The occurrence of the name of John Job, or Jub, in this last will, and in that of John Feld of Sharleston, would seem to indicate a relationship between the testators, although the parishes of Stansfield and Warmfield are as far apart as any of the places named where the Fields were seated in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. The author would mention that the name "Jubbe" occurs in the visitation of Yorkshire of 1563-64. In 1604 John Field, of Cross-stone, husbandman, names in his will his son Edmund, and daughters Frances Bourke, Jesabel, Anne, Susan, and Hester.

We find in the parish registers of Halifax, the burials of Richard Feylde in 1540, Elizabeth Feyld in 1547, and of Edward Feld in 1551, all of that town. The will of another Richard Field of Halifax, dated December 8, 1557, and proved 22nd of same month, names his wife Ellen, and children Christopher, Robert, and Elizabeth; also a child unborn. The Halifax registers record the baptisms of Robert in 1552, Elizabeth in 1555, and Richard in 1558, all described as children of "Richard Feld," of Halifax.

In 1555 the marriage of Gilbert Feld and Isabella Harpur is recorded, and in the baptismal entries of their children, as below, he is described as of Halifax, viz., in 1556, "Sibil," 1557, Annis, 1560, Gilbert, and 1564, Johanna. Probably this last Gilbert is the person of that name mentioned in the Wakefield rolls in 1583 and 1592. In 1584 Frances, daughter of Richard Feld of Halifax, was baptized, and in 1630 "Jonas, son of John Field, of Halifax," buried.

In the Wakefield Manor rolls, under Alverthorpe, there is mention of land there in possession of John Feld in 1532 and of Roger Feild in 1607. In 1610 Roger and William Feild were tenants there, and in the following year "Roger Feild de Wakefield, chapman," took of the waste at Alverthorpe.

He is doubtless the Riger Feeld, against whom, in conjunction with Robert Smythe, a certain Leonard Foster brought an action, March 20, 1559-60, as appears by the Duchy of Lancaster Pleadings; wishing to have these two removed from the

* Crosstone, near Todmorden, and about half a dozen miles west of Halifax.

WAKEFIELD MANOR, ENGLAND, AND NEIGHBORHOOD, FROM A MAP OF 1610.

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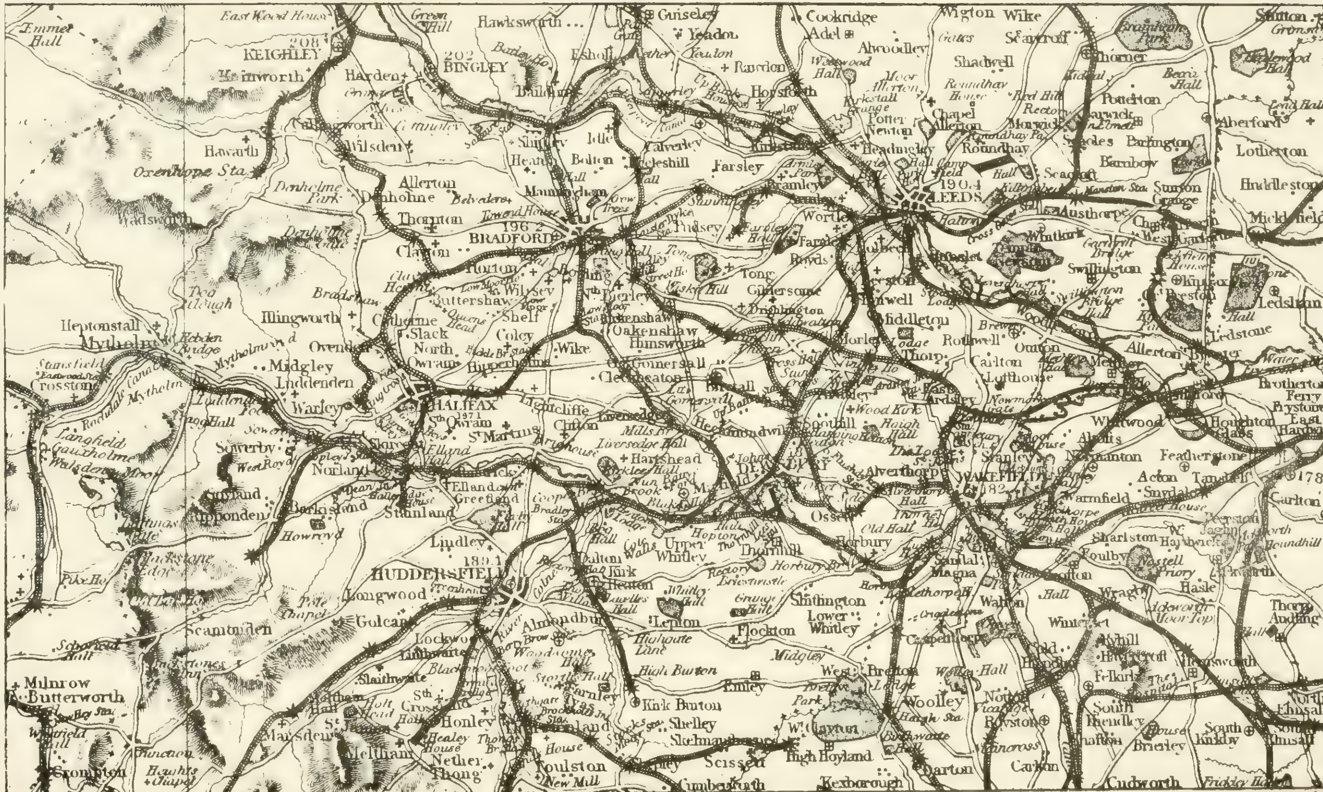

WAKEFIELD MANOR, ENGLAND, AND NEIGHBORHOOD IN 1900.

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custody of the daughters and lands of Roger Pollard, of Wakefield, deceased, on the ground that they were the next heirs, Feeld and Smythe reply that they are acting under Pollard's will, and that they are not the next heirs. In 1617 Roger Feild de Wakefield and Grace, his wife, are referred to under Alverthorpe, as ceding lands to John Maude, gent., of Wakefield, and in 1622 this Roger's lands there are spoken of.

Among the wills at York is that ot Henry Feilde, "of Lexton, in the parish of Kirkheaton." He names his wife Isabel, his son-in-law John Beaumonte, and his "sister Thomas Naler's wife." It is dated February 28, 1577-78, and was proved in the same year. His widow, Isabel, made hers on June 10, 1583, and it was proved August 2nd of same year. She bequeaths all to her daughter Rosamond Beaumond.

William Feild of Newsome, in the parish of Almondbury, made his will November 1, 1617. He mentions in it his sons William and George and daughter Rosamond, wife of Godfrey Kay,* also his grandson William, whose father was of same name.

It will be noticed that Henry and Isabel Feilde had a daughter Rosamond named in the will of latter in 1583; and as we find that William of Newsome had also a daughter Rosamond, we may infer that the families were nearly related, more especially as they were residing in the same neighborhood.

There are a few other notices of Fields in or near Wakefield Manor but the names mostly occur singly and possess no special interest.

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* Some members of the ancient family of Key, or Kay, of Woodsome Hall, Almondbury, have claimed descent from Sir Kay, the knight of King Arthur's Round Table.

HORSMONDEN BRANCH.

JANE FIELD, or Fylde, as the parish records have it, was born in Horsmonden England, about 1585. She was married there to Henry Sharpe, Sept. 24, 1610. Their daughter Mary was baptized there Oct. 16, 1614. She was united in marriage in England to Major Simon Willard, who was a native of Horsmonden, where he was born in 1605. They came to America in 1634, and settled in Concord, where he was one of the most prominent men in the Colony, Major of the Provincial militia, and held the most important offices which he discharged with great ability. He was married three times and had seventeen children by his first wife, nine sons and eight daughters; all were married and left issue as follows:

1. MARY, b. in England; m. 1649, Joshua Edmunds; she d. before 1653; he m. again, had issue, and died Nov. 5, 1683.
2. ELIZABETH, b. in England; d. in infancy.
3. ELIZABETH, m. April 8, 1653, Robert Blood, of Concord; she d. Aug. 29, 1690; he m. again and d. Oct. 27, 1701.
4. DOROTHY, d. in infancy.
5. JOSIAH, b. in Massachusetts; m. Hannah Hosmer, March 20, 1657; he d. July, 1674. Res. Hartford and Wethersfield, Conn.
6. SAMUEL, b. Concord, Jan. 31, 1639; gr. Harvard, 1659; m. Abigail Sherman, dau. of Rev. John and Mary Launce, Aug. 8, 1664, and 2nd, in. 1679, Eunice Tyng. She survived her husband and d. Jan. 14, 1720. He first settled at Groton and remained there until driven out by the Indians in King Philip's war in 1676. Was installed pastor of the old South Church in Boston, Sept. 12, 1707. He was also president of Harvard College with the title of vice-president.
7. SARAH, b. Concord, Jan. 27, 1642; m. July 2, 1666, Nathaniel Howard of Chelmsford. She d. in Charlestown, Jan. 22, 1677. He m. second, 1678, Sarah Parker.
8. ABOVEHOPE, b. Oct. 30, 1646; d. unm. Dec. 3, 1663.
9. SIMON, b. Nov. 23, 1649; m. 1679, Martha Jacob. Resided in Salem where he was deacon of the First Church; was marshal of Essex Co.; in June, 1689, was commander of a military company, in the expedition against the Eastern Indians, 1689-90; m. 2nd, July 25, 1722, Priscilla Buttolph; he d. June 23, 1731.
10. MARY, b. Sept. 7, 1653; m. Jan. 22, 1671-2, Cyprian Stevens of Lancaster.
11. HENRY, b. Jan. 4, 1655; m. July 16, 1674, Mary Lakin; m. 2nd, 1689, Dorcas Cutler. Res. Groton and Lancaster.
12. JOHN, b. Feb. 12, 1656; m. Oct. 31, 1698, Mary Hayward. Res. Concord, where he d. Aug. 27, 1726.
13. DANIEL, b. Dec. 29, 1658; m. Dec. 6, 1683, Hannah Cutler; b. 1660; d. Feb. 22, 1690; m. 2nd, Jan. 4, 1692, Mary Mills. Res. Sudbury, Charleston, Braintree, and Boston, at which latter place he was jailer. He d. Aug. 23, 1708.
14. JOSEPH, b. Jan. 4, 1660; m.; res. London; was a sea captain in the London trade; he d. before 1721.

15. BENJAMIN, b. 1665; m. Sarah Lakin. Res. Groton and Hassanamisco, later incorporated as Grafton. See History of Grafton, by Fred'k C. Pierce.
16. HANNAH, b. Oct. 6, 1666; m. May 23, 1693, Capt. Thomas Brintnall, of Sudbury.
17. JONATHAN, b. Dec. 14, 1669; m. Jan. 8, 1690, Mary Browne. Res. Roxbury and Sudbury; and d. 1706.

THE FIELDS OF HEATON, SHIPLEY, AND BRADFORD.

ABOUT eight miles northeast of Halifax, and six miles from North Ouram, is the flourishing and populous town of Bradford. A branch of the Fields was residing in its environs in the earlier part of the fifteenth century. The author has not made as thorough search into the history of this branch as in the case of that residing in Wakefield Manor, and further investigations may bring new facts to light concerning it. The parish registers of Bradford do not commence till 1596, and therefore afford no very early information of the family. From the time of Edward Feild of Horton, 1595, and his five brothers and same number of sisters, down to the birth of the two daughters of John Wilmer Feild (which see), he has followed the pedigree recorded in the College of Arms, London, where proofs of its authenticity would have been required before entering it.

THE YORKSHIRE BRANCH.

REV. JOHN FIELD, M. A. (Thomas of Richmond, Yorkshire), b. Richmond, Yorkshire, England, in 1789; m. in Harpole, Northampton, England, 1818, Louisa Bonoquet; b. 1798; d. in 1835, in Braybrooke, England. He was Rector of Braybrooke. He d. March, 1867. Res. Braybrooke, England.

i. JAMES WILLIAM, M. A., Rector of Braybrooke, Northamptonshire.

ii. THOMAS, M. A., Rector of Bigby, Lincolnshire, Canon and Prebend of Lincoln Cathedral, Public Orator of Cambridge University, Civil Service Examiner, Justice of the Peace for Lincolnshire, Fellow and Orator of St. John's, Cambridge.

iii. JOHN BONOQUET, b. Nov. 20, 1819; m. Cecilia Mostyn and Charlotte Eliza Lenard.

iv. GEORGE THOMAS, Royal Artillery, Lieutenant General, served through Siege of Sebastapol, D. A. Q. M. G. of R. A. in Crimea -on the staff; Commandt. R. Academy and Superintendent R. Arsenal in Wales.

v. MARY, b. 1824; m. Rev. William Hughes, M. A., Rector of Kislingbury, Northampton. Res. 12 Frederick Place, Clifton, England.

CAPT. JOHN BONOQUET FIELD, R. N. (John, Thomas), b. Wootton Hall, Northamptonshire, England, Nov. 20, 1819; m. in Malta, Jan., 1849, Cecilia Mostyn; b. Sterling Castle, Scotland, Mar., 1828; d. Lymington, Hants, England, Jan. 4, 1867; m. 2nd, Charlotte Eliza Lenard. Captain Field's life was that of an ordinary naval officer who did his duty in all seas for thirty-five years; became a captain and died worn out and broken down and crippled from exposure and hard work, chiefly from the effects of the Russian War and slave cruising on the coast of Africa. He was Senior Executive officer of H. M. S. "Cossack" throughout the Russian War. He was wounded in boarding a slaver and saw much hard service. He d. Jan. 10, 1869. Res. Lymington, England.

i. JOHN GEORGE MOSTYN, b. Oct. 11, 1849; m. Sarah Louisa Harrison.

ii. ARTHUR MOSTYN, b. Jan. 27, 1855; m. Laura Mary Hale.

iii. MARY LOUISA, b. Dec. 11, 1852; m. Dec., 1874, Lieut. George A. Grant, R. N.; she d. June 20, 1887, leaving 5 ch., at Clifton, Bristol, England.

CAPT. JOHN GEORGE MOSTYN FIELD (John B., John, Thomas), b. Malta, Oct. 11, 1849; m. Dec. 27, 1877, at Harrow, England, Sarah Louisa Harrison, of Oxendon, Northamptonshire; b. May 20, 1858. Captain Field has been at sea all his life and eight years ago also became a Post Captain. Dates are: Joined H. M. service, June 10, 1863; became midshipman, Sept., 1864; Sub-Lieut., March 29, 1869; Lieutenant, April, 1873; Commander, June, 1888; Captain, 1895; served on Foreign Intelligence Committee (now called Intelligence Department) during Russian War scare in 1885, being the first naval officer called in to start it under its head Captain Hall, R. N.; was Cruising Lieutenant of H. M. S. Sultan at Alexandria, and through the Egyptian War of 1882, being part of the time with the naval brigade on the staff. Second Lieutenant of H. M. S. "Sultan" in the Channel and Mediterranean Fleet, 1883 to 1885. Foreign Intelligence Committee, 1885-6. Second Lieutenant H. M. S. Opal Thalia in Australia, 1886-88. Commander Devonport, 1888-1892. Commanded H. M. Cruiser "Scout" in Mediterranean Stations, 1892 to 1895. Commanded H. M. Cruiser "Andromache" at the Spithead Jubilee, Russia,

1897, and received Jubilee medal from Queen's Secretary of Education Committee at Admiralty, 1897 to 1898, also Captain and Vice-President of R. N. College, Greenwich, 1898. Commanding H. M. S. Marathon (cruiser), an East India Station, from June, 1898; and is at present Senior Naval Officer of the Order Division. He was mentioned in dispatches for Alexandria, and was recommended for the Albert medal for saving life in Aug., 1881. Was 1900 on H. M. S. "Marathon."

i. HENRY MOSTYN, b. Sept. 20, 1879; d. June, 1883.

ii. KENNETT ALEXANDER PERROTT, b. Aug., 1882; now, 1900, at St. Helen's College, South Sea, Hants.

CAPT. ARTHUR MOSTYN FIELD (John B., John, Thomas), b. Braybrooke, Northamptonshire, England, June 27, 1855; m. Feb. 5, 1894, Laura May Hale; b. Aug. 17, 1865. He joined H. M. Navy in 1869, and has been employed in the surveying branch of the Navy, commanding Greenwich Line, 1885, H. M. Ships Dart, Egem, Perquin, and Research. Then he was specially promoted to Lieutenant in 1875 for meritorious examinations, and received the Beaufort Testamonial for that year. Promoted Commander, 1889, and Captain, 1895, and a Fellow of Royal Astronomical Society and Fellow Royal Geographical Society. Res. Bronteville, Southsea, England.

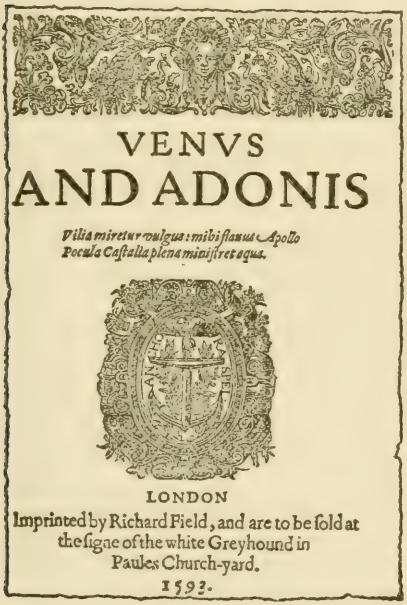
i. MARIE LAURA, b. June 21, 1895; d. Jan. 9, 1899.

ii. CECILIA MOSTYN, b. Sept. 28, 1896.

iii. THOMAS MOSTYN, b. Feb. 19, 1900.

PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE ENGLISH BRANCH.

RICHARD FIELD (A. 1579-1624), printer and stationer, was the son of "Henry Feilde of Stratford uppon Avon, in the countye of Warwick, tanner" (Arber, Transcript, ii.93), whose goods and chattels John Shakespeare, the father of the poet, was employed with two others to value on 21 Aug., 1592 (Shakespeare, ed. J. P. Collier, 1858, i. 112-13). Field was apprenticed to George Bishop, stationer and printer, for seven years from 29 Sept., 1579. The first six years were to be served with Thomas Vautrollier, and the seventh with Bishop (Transcript ii. 93). The term of apprenticeship expired in 1586. He was made free of the Stationers' Company on 6 Feb., 1586-7, and in 1588 married, says Ames, "Jakin (Jacqueline), the daughter of Vautrollier," whom he succeeded "in his house in the Black Friars, near Ludgate," using the same devices and sometimes printing the same copies. Collier quotes the marriage register as "R. Field to Jacklin Vautrillian," 12 Jan., 1588



VENVS
AND ADONIS

Vilia miretur vulgus: mihi flauus Apollo
Pocula Castalia plena ministret aqua.

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Imprinted by Richard Field, and are to be sold at the signe of the white Greyhound in Paules Church-yard.
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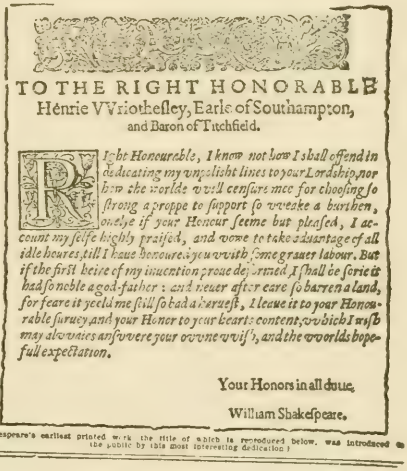

TO THE RIGHT HONORABLE
Henrie VVriothesley, Earle of Southampton, and Baron of Titchfield.

Right Honourable, I know not how I shall offend in dedicating my vnpolisht lines to your Lordship, nor how the worlde vvill censure mee for choosing so strong a proppe to support so vveake a burthen, onelye if your Honour seeme but pleased, I account my selfe highly praised, and vowe to take aduantage of all idle houres, till I haue honoured you vvith some grauer labour. But if the first heire of my inuention proue deformed, I shall be sorie it had so noble a god-father: and neuer after eare so barren a land, for feare it yeeld me still so bad a haruest, I leaue it to your Honourable survey, and your Honor to your hearts content, vvhich I wish may alvvaies answvere your ovvne vvish, and the vvorlds hopefull expectation.

Your Honors in all duue,
William Shakespeare.

(Shakespeare's earliest printed work the title of which is reproduced below, was introduced to the public by this most interesting dedication.)

(Memoirs of Actors in Shakespeare's Plays, 1846, p. 223). It is stated, however, in a list of master printers included in the "Stationer's Registers" (Transcript, iii. 702), that Field married the widow of Vautrollier and succeeded him in 1590. He took his first apprentice on 3 Nov., 1589, followed by others, among them his younger brother, Jasper. The first entry to him in the "Registers" is for "a booke in French, intitled: 'Le politique reforme' " (sic) (ib. ii. 511), on 24 Dec., 1588, of which he also issued an English translation. In 1589 he printed Puttenham's "Arte of English Poesie" and a handsome edition in a "neat brevier Italic", of "P. Ovidii Nasonis Metamorphoseon libri xv." "impensis Johannis Harrisoni," a bookseller with whom he had many subsequent transactions. He was fined 10s. on 12 May for printing a book contrary to order, and on 3 Nov., 1589 for keeping an apprentice unpresented

(ib. ii. 860-1). Sole license for the first edition of Harrington's translations of "Orlando Furioso" was granted to him on 6 Feb., 1592 (Cal. State Papers, Eliz. 1591-4, p. 179). In 1895 he produced his fine edition of North's "Plutarch," reprinted by him in 1603 and 1610-13. He came on the livery of the Stationers' Company on 1 July, 1598. From an entry in the "Register" on 4 June, 1599 he seems to have been at that time among the unprivileged printers (Transcript iii. 678). He was chosen renter on 26 March, 1604, and on 17 June, 1605 paid 40 pounds instead of serving the office. On 11 June, 1604, he was called to be assistant (ib. ii. 837, 840, iv. 29). He was several times warden and master in 1620. Two presses were worked by him on 9 May, 1615 (ib. iii. 699).

The last book known to bear his imprint is Camden's "Annales, traduites en langue francoise par P. de Bellegent," 1624, 4to. On some Spanish books his name appears as Ricardo del Campo. During thirty-six years Field printed many important books, but he is chiefly interesting as the fellow-townsman and most probably the personal friend of Shakespeare. He was the printer of the first (1593), the second (1594), and the third (1596) editions of Shakespeare's "Venus and Adonis," as well as of the first (1594) edition of his "Lucrece," all for John Harrison. Not one of his quarto plays, however, came from Field's press. "In the production of 'Venus and Adonis,'" says Mr. Halliwell-Phillips, "it is only reasonable to infer that the author had a control over the typographical arrangements. The purity of the text and the nature of the dedication may be thought to strengthen this opinion, and, although poems were not then generally introduced to the public in the same glowing terms usually accorded to dramatic pieces, the singularly brief and anonymous title-page does not bear the appearance of a publisher's handiwork" (Outlines of Life of Shakespeare, 7th ed. 1887, i. 101-4). Mr. Blades suggests that when Shakespeare first came to London he visited his friend Field and was introduced to Vautrollier, in whose employment as press reader or shopman he may have acquired that practical knowledge of the art of printing shown in his writings (Shakespeare and Typography, 1872, p. 26, etc). Collier was unable to trace "any relationship between Nathan Field, the actor, and Richard Field, the printer, but they were neighbors, living in the same liberty of the Black Friars" (Memoirs of Actors, 1846, p. 223).

RICHARD FIELD, D. D. (1561-1616), divine, was born Oct. 15, 1561, at Hemel Hempstead in Hertfordshire, of an old and reputable family. "His ancestors," says his son and biographer, "were blessed with length of days." The estate which he inherited from his father and grandfather had been in the hands of only three owners in 160 years. He was educated at Berkhamstead School, and matriculated at the age of sixteen (1577) as of Magdalen College, Oxford, where he remained till he took his B. A. degree, 18 Nov., 1581, when he removed to Magdalen Hall. Here he took his master's degree, 2 June, 1584, and was appointed to the "Catechism Lecture," which, though in reality a private lecture for that house, was made by him so interesting that it drew hearers from the whole university, among whom, it is said, was Dr. Rainolds (or Reynolds), the well-known president of Corpus Christi College. He was now famous for his knowledge of school divinity, and esteemed one of the best disputants in the university. His father, it would appear, had at this time provided a match for him as his eldest son, but his not taking orders was made an indispensable condition; upon which he returned to Oxford, and after a residence of seven years, till he took his degree of B. D. 14 Jan., 1592, he was made divinity reader in Winchester Cathedral. He appears then to have left Oxford, but his character as an indefatigable student lived in the University long after his departure, and "Dr. Field's rooms" were shown as an object of interest. In 1594 he was chosen divinity lecturer to the Hon. Society of Lincoln's Inn, and soon

after presented by Mr. Richard Kingsmill, a ben her of the Inn, to the rectory of Burghclere, Hampshire. Mr. Kingsmill resided at Highclere, close by, and brother, Sir William Kingsmill, at Sydmonton Court, not far off, and both families were constant attendants at Burghclere church. Field was offered the more valuable living of St. Andrew's, Holborn, which he declined, preferring the leisure and quiet of Burghclere, where he passed the greater part of his time till his death. On 9 April, 1594 he married Elizabeth, daughter of the Reverend Richard Harris, sometime fellow of New College and rector of Hardwick, Buckinghamshire. On 7 Dec., 1596 he proceeded to the degree of D. D., being at that time of Queen's College and described as "sometimes of Magdalen Hall." In September, 1598 he received a letter from Lord Hunsdon, dated "from the court at Greenwich," desiring him to come and preach before the queen (Elizabeth) on the 23rd of that month a probationary sermon, upon which he was appointed one of her majesty's chaplains in ordinary, and received a grant of the next vacant prebend at Windsor. This grant is dated 30 March, 1602, and he succeeded to the vacancy and was installed 3 Aug., 1604. He was joined in a special commission with William, marquis of Winchester, Thomas Bilson, bishop of Winton and others, for ecclesiastical causes within the diocese of Winchester, and in another to exercise all spiritual jurisdiction in the said diocese with Whitgift, archbishop of Canterbury, Thomas, bishop of Winton, and others, by James I., 1603, to whom he was also chaplain, and by whom he was sent to the Hampton Court conference, 14 Jan., 1603.

When King James came to Oxford in 1605, Field was sent for to take part in the Divinity Act. Sir Nathaniel Brunt, then one of the proctors, and afterward vicar-general and warden of Merton, declared that the disputation between Doctors Field and Aglionby before the king, on the question "Whether saints and angels know the hearts of men," was the best he ever heard. In 1610 he was made dean of Gloucester, but never resided much, preaching rarely above four or five times a year, but always commanding a great audience. He chiefly resided at Burghclere and Windsor, and when in residence in the cloisters at the latter place during the winter months his house was the resort of many eminent men, who came to enjoy his learned conversation. He was on intimate terms with Sir Henry Saville, the provost of Eton, and Sir Henry Nevill, who had been Queen Elizabeth's ambassador to France, and lived near to Windsor. He often preached before the king who, upon the first occasion that he heard him, exclaimed, "Is his name Field? This is a *field* for God to dwell in." Similarly Fuller, years afterward, styled him "that learned divine, whose memory smelleth like a *field* which the Lord hath blessed." The king took singular pleasure in discussing with him nice and curious points of divinity, and had designed to send him to Germany to compose the differences between the Lutherans and Calvinists, but for some reason not known the project was dropped. His majesty also wished to bestow on him the bishopric of Salisbury, but it seems the solicitations of his courtiers were powerful enough to procure it for another person. It is certain, however, from a letter from Sir George Villiers, afterward Duke of Buckingham, dated "from the court at Wansted 11 July, 1616" that the revision of the see of Oxford, upon its next avoidance, was proposed to him. Bishop Hall who became dean of Worcester the month after Field's death mentions that that deanery was designed for him, and laments that so learned a man did not live to fill it. On 14 Oct., 1614 he lost his wife, who left him six sons and a daughter. "He continued a widower about two years, when he was persuaded by his friends to marry again, and they recommended to him, for a religious, wise, understanding woman, the widow of Dr. John Spencer, some time president of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, of whose birth and education Mr. Izaak Walton gives us a very good character in the life of Mr. Hooker." Doctor Spencer's widow

was Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Cranmer, the archbishop's nephew, and Izaak Walton's aunt. Field, however, survived his second marriage a little more than a month. On 15 Nov., 1616 he was seized with a fit of apoplexy and suddenly carried off. He was buried in the outer chapel of St. George's, Windsor, below the choir. A black marble slab with his figure in brass, was laid over his grave, and an inscription, also in brass, recording his death and that of his first wife, Elizabeth Harris.

His great work was first published in 1606." The title is "Of the Church Five Books, by Richard Field, Doctor of Divinity; at London imprinted by Humfrey Lownes for Simon Waterson, 1606." This is a 4th volume. There are in reality only four books. In 1610 was printed "The Fifth Book of the Church, together with an appendix containing a defense of such passages of the former books that have been excepted against, or wrested to the maintenance of Romish errors, by Richard Field, Doctor of Divinity, London, printed by Nicholas Okes for Simon Waterson," 1610, 4to. It has been discovered that there was another impression of the volume of 1606, in which the errata were corrected. Both have the same date and the same number of pages, but no two pages in the two books agree in all particulars, and Lowne's name does not appear in the title of the second impression. These are Field's own editions, and are dedicated to the Archbishop of Canterbury (Bancroft). A second edition of the whole ' Of the Church Five Books, by Richard Field, D. D., and sometimes Dean of Gloucester. The second edition, very much enlarged in the third book, and the appendix to the same; at Oxford imprinted by William Turner, printer to the famous University, 1628," folio, was edited by Nathaniel Field, the author's son, and dedicated to William Villiers, Duke of Buckingham. This edition is charged by the Scots in their "Canterburian's Self-conviction," 1641, 4 to, with additions made by Archbishop Laud. The third edition was printed "by William Turner, printer to the famous Universitie, 1635," folio. Modern editions are those by the Ecclesiastical History Society, Cambridge, 1847-52, 4 vols. 8vo, reissued with new title, London, 1853, and an edition edited by the Rev. J. S. Brewer, London, 1843, of which the first volume only was published. It is needless to speak of a work which has long taken its stand by the side of Hooker among the grandest monuments of polemical divinity in the language. Anthony Wood's description of Field's personal character, his vast learning and astonishing memory, his peaceable disposition and amiable qualities, will be found in the "Athenæ." It is well known that Field and Hooker were on terms of the greatest friendship, which was probably brought about by Doctor Spencer, their common friend, for Hooker was older than Field by eight years, and had left the University before Field came there. Dr. Spencer was the dear friend and fellow-pupil of Hooker, and edited his works.

In 1604 Field published a sermon on St. Jude v. 3, preached before the king at Windsor, and shortly before his death had written a great part of a work entitled "A View of the Controversies in Religion, which in these last times have caused the Lamentable Divisions in the Christian World." This was never completed but the preface is printed in his "Life," by his son, Nathaniel Field, Rector of Stourton, Wiltshire, and published by John Le Neve, author of the "Fasti Ecclesia Anglicanæ," in 1716. From a copy of this life, interleaved with manuscript additions from the author's rough draft by the editor (Le Neve), and some notes by Bishop White Kennett (which copy is now in the British Museum), Gough drew up "The Life of Field," which was printed in vol. vi. pt. i. of the new edition of the "Biographia Britannica." Of that volume a manuscript note in the Bodleain copy says, "Of this part I know of but one copy existing." Chalmers, in his "Biographical Dictionary," transcribed the article.

We have little to add but that King James, with his own hand, inserted Field's

name as one of the fellows of Chelsea College, and on hearing of his death, expressed his regret in the words, "I should have done more for that man." Of Field's sons, Nathaniel was prebendary of Chichester and rector of Stourton. Richard was M. D. and died single, and was buried in St. Bride's Church, 1696. Giles died in 1629, aged 21, and is buried in New College Chapel.

GEORGE FIELD (1777?-1854), chemist, was born in or about 1777 at Barkhamstead, Hertfordshire, of a family long settled in that town, and was educated at St. Peter's school there. When about eighteen years of age he came to London to seek a profession. He thought he saw an opening in the careful application of chemistry to pigments and dyes. War on the continent, by stopping the supply of madder from Holland, threatened to impede his progress. This obstacle, however, led him to consider the nature of its cultivation, and with a well-devised project he waited on Sir Joseph Banks for his advice, and, as he hoped, his co-operation. Sir Joseph after unsuccessfully attempting to cultivate madder in Essex, had made up his mind that it could not be done in England. Field then commenced the cultivation in his own garden, and from roots of his own growth produced beautiful specimens of coloring matter. A contrivance, both mechanical and chemical, was still wanted to reduce the liquid to its finest consistence. His invention of the "physeter" or percolator by atmospheric pressure admirably accomplished this purpose. He exhibited his percolator, together with an improved drying stove and press, before the Society of Arts, and was awarded their gold Isis medal in 1816 "for his apparatus of preparing colored lakes." Both apparatus are figured and described by him in the society's "Transactions," xxxiv. 87-94. Oddly enough the percolator was patented by others several years after, and applied to the clearing of sugar. Field continued his application of science to the purposes of the artist with good effect; his dexterity and care in the preparation of delicate color set all competition at defiance. Among his other inventions may be mentioned his metrochrome and his conical lenses, which produced a continuous rainbow with varied effects of refractions. Field died at Syon Hill Park Cottage, Osleworth, Middlesex, on 28 September, 1854, aged 77. He bequeathed to the Royal Institute of British Architects six architectural drawings by J. L. Bond; to the Hanwell Lunatic Asylum "The Maniac" by R. Dawes, R. A.; while to the library of London University he gave a portrait of Sir William Harvey, by Mirevelt (Gent. Mag. new ser. xlii. 596).

Field's reputation as an author rests on his "Chromatography; or, a Treatise on Colors and Pigments, and of their Powers in Painting," etc., 4to, London, 1835, of which a new edition, "revised, rewritten, and brought down to the present time," by T.W. Salter, appeared in 1869, and a third, "modernized" by J. S. Taylor on the basis of Salter's revision, in 1885. Another valuable professional treatise, his "Rudiments of the Painter's Art; or, A Grammar of Coloring," 12 mo, London, 1850, was "revised and in part rewritten," by R. Mallet in 1870, and again in 1875 by E. A. Davidson, who has added sections on painting in sepia, water-colors, and oils. Field's other writings are: 1. "A Brief Outline of the Universal System," in vol. ix. of "The Pamphleteer," 8vo, London, 1813-26; 3rd edit., 8vo., London, 1846. 2. "The Third Organon attempted; or, Elements of Logic and Subjective Philosophy," in vol. xii. of the same. 3. "The Analogy of the Physical Sciences indicated," in vol. xv. of the same. 4. "Esthetics; or, the Analogy of the Sensible Sciences indicated, with an appendix on light and colors," in vol. xxii. of the same. 5. "Ethics; or, the Analogy of the Moral Sciences indicated," in vol. xxiii. of the same. 6. "Outlines of Analogical Philosophy, being a primary view of the principles, relations, and purposes of nature, science, and art," 2 vols. 8vo, London, 1839.

FREDERICK FIELD (1826 1885), chemist, born in Lambeth on August 2, 1826,

was the second son, by his second wife, of Charles Field of the firm of J. C. & J. Field, candle-manufacturers, etc. Educated at Denmark Hill grammar school and at Mr. Long's school at Stockwell (where he was a schoolfellow of Professor Odling), Field showed so strong a liking for chemistry that on leaving school in 1843 he was placed in the laboratory of the Polytechnic Institution, then conducted by Dr. Ryan. On leaving the Polytechnic, Field entered into partnership with a chemist named Mitchell as an assayer and consulting chemist, but finding the need of further training spent some time as a student under Dr. Hoffman in the Royal College of Chemistry in Oxford Street.

Field was one of the original members of the Chemical Society of London, started in 1846, and he read his first paper to that society in the following year (Memoirs Chem. Soc. iii. 404-11). In 1848 he accepted the post of chemist to some copper-smelting works at Coquimbo in Chili. Some account of his work there is contained in his papers in the "Journal of the Chemical Society" for 1850, "On the Examination of some Slags from Copper-Smelting Furnaces," and "On the Ashes of the Cactus-plant," from which large quantities of carbonate of soda were obtained. In 1851 Field described a natural alloy of silver and copper, which had the appearance of nearly pure silver, and also discovered that a certain ore which occurred in large quantities near Coquimbo was in reality pure lapis lazuli, the first found in South America.

In 1852 Field was appointed manager of his company's works at Caldera, a new port to the north of Coquimbo. Before assuming this position he visited England and married a sister of (Sir) Frederick Abel, returning to Caldera in 1853, of which he was now appointed vice-consul. The post involved many responsibilities in a land subject to revolutions. During the Russian war Field also acted as the representative of France in that district.

In 1856 Field became chemist and sub-manager to the smelting works then established by Senor Urmeneta at Guayacan, which have since become one of the largest copper-smelting works in the world. In 1859 a revolution broke out in Chili. Field sent his wife and family to England, but himself remained and succeeded in preserving the establishment from injury. In September, 1859, he finally quitted Chili for England. Soon after his arrival in London he was appointed lecturer on chemistry to St. Mary's Hospital (1860), and in 1862 became professor of chemistry in the London Institution. In the same year he was appointed chemist to the aniline color works of Simpson, Maule & Nicholson, a post which he held until 1866, when he became a partner in the old firm of his family—Messrs. J. C. & J. Field—in which he remained and of which he was senior partner at the time of his death. In 1876 Field's health began to fail, and after a long illness he died on April 3, 1885.

Field wrote forty-three papers on scientific subjects for various periodicals, in addition to one written in conjunction with his brother-in-law, Sir F. A. Abel. Among them are: "On the Solvent Power exercised by Hyposulphite of Soda on many Salts insoluble in Water" ("Jour. Chem. Soc.," 1863); "On the Solubility of the Halogen Salts of Silver in certain Solutions" (Chemical News, 1861); "On the Existence of Silver in Sea-water" ("Proc. of the Royal Soc." vol. viii., 1856-7); "Artificial Formation of Atacamite" ("Revue Universelle," 1859); on "Ludlamite, a New Mineral;" and on "The General Distribution of Bismuth in Copper Minerals" (Jour. Chem. Soc., 1862).

COLLEGE GRADUATES BY THE NAME OF FIELD.

AMHERST COLLEGE, AMHERST, MASS.—Amherst graduates by the name of Field have been:

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1833, Caleb C. Caleb Clesson Field, the son of George and Phila (Holton) Field, was born at Northfield, Mass., May 27, 1810. He prepared for college at the New Salem (Mass.), Chesterfield (N. H.), and Amherst (Mass.) Academies. After his graduation, he taught for two years in the Academy at Concord, Mass. In 1835, he went to Boston and studied at a private medical school until June, 1836, and continued his studies with Dr. James Deane, of Greenfield, Mass., till March, 1837, with Dr. Amos Twitchell, of Keene, N. H., for five months, and attended a course of lectures at Dartmouth Medical College, from which institution he received the degree of M. D. in December, 1837. He settled immediately as a physician at Leominster, Mass., and practiced his profession there till his death, from pleuropneumonia, May 6, 1881. Dr. Field served as a member of the School Committee of Leominster for forty-three years, and represented Leominster in the Massachusetts Legislature, 1873-74. He was married to Hannah Crosby, daughter of Timothy Danforth, of Amherst, N. H., May 27, 1839. She died May 14, 1857, and two of their six children are still living. Jan. 7, 1858, he was married to Mrs. Anne Sophia Carter, daughter of Ephraim Warner, of Lunenburg, Mass., who died Jan. 16, 1860. He was married to Martha, daughter of Luke Joslyn, of Leominster, March 28, 1861, and she survives him.

1834, Thos. P. Born in Northfield, Mass., Jan., 12, 1814. He graduated at Amherst College in 1834, studied theology at Andover, Mass., and graduated in 1840. He was a teacher in Amherst College in 1837 and 1838. He was settled over the Congregational church in Peabody, Mass., in 1840, and was dismissed in October, 1850, and was settled in November over the Second Presbyterian church in Troy, N. Y., and was dismissed from that church in June, 1854, and became professor of rhetoric and English literature in Amherst College, which he filled until 1856, when he was installed over the First Congregational church in New London, Conn., where he remained until 1876. In June, 1878, he was again appointed a professor in Amherst College.

1835, Justin. Justin Field, the son of Justin and Harriet (Power) Field, and brother of Rev. Thomas P. Field, D. D., of the class of 1834, was born in Northfield, Mass., April 10, 1816, and was fitted for college in the Boston Latin School and in Northfield Academy. He studied theology at Union Seminary, 1838-39, and at Andover Seminary 1839-40. He was ordained priest in the Episcopal church by Bishop Griswold, at Jamaica Plain, Mass., Sept. 7, 1842. From 1843 to 1845 he was without charge, residing in Roxbury, now Boston Highlands. He was rector of St. Paul's church, Stockbridge, Mass., from 1846 to 1850; of St. James' church, Great Barrington, from 1850 to 1852; of Grace church, Medford, from 1852 to 1862, and of Trinity church, Lenox, in the same state, from 1862 to 1890. A part of that year and the next he spent in travel in Great Britain and Europe. In 1892 he was employed in preaching during January in Columbus, Ga., and for about three months afterward in Brooksville, Fla. Returning to the north, he resided in West Newton, Mass., until his death from cystitis, March 5, 1893. Mr. Field was married (1) June 26, 1862 to Caroline C., daughter of George C.

Wilde, of Boston, who died March 23, 1887; (2) April 26, 1890, to Louise H. Irene, daughter of Hon. Wellesley H. Hylton-Joliffe, of Somerset, Hants, England, who with two of his three children survives him.

1846. Levi Alpheus son of Alpheus and Caroline (Adams) Field, born in Leverett, Sept. 17, 1821; fitted for college at Shelburne Falls and Monson Academies; Andover Seminary, 1846-49; preached at Mitteneague (West Springfield); ordained at Marlboro, Mass., Aug. 31, 1853; pastor there till his death, Oct. 22, 1859; married Nancy, daughter of Cyrus W. Holmes, of Monson; one child.

1869, Henry K., address Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

1880, Clifton L., address Greenfield, Mass.

1880, Henry P. (Hon.), address Northampton, Mass.

1883, Walter T., address 378 Wabash avenue, Chicago, Ill.

1896, Leonard Hamilton, Jr. (in Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1896-99).

Non-graduate students: Class of 1825, Constant; 1867, Edward A.; 1874, Edwin F.; 1892, Arthur E.

YALE COLLEGE, NEW HAVEN, CONN.—1732, Seth Field; 1745, Samuel; 1762, Samuel; 1785, Simeon; 1795, Joseph; 1797, Timothy; 1802, Daniel D.; 1807, Henry; 1831, Junius L.; 1833, Samuel; 1841, David I.; 1841, Maunsell B.; 1877, Burr K.; 1888, John E.; 1889, Theron P.; 1893, John H.; 1896, Wm. P.

Josephus Field, Mr., S.T.D., 1840; class 1809; died 1869.

Curtis Field, LL.D., class of 1844.

George Paisley Field, LL. B., 1855, class of 1851; died 1859.

George Washington Field, class of 1851, lawyer.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASS.—1809, Joseph Field, d. 1869; 1844, Curtis Field; 1851, George Paisley, d. 1859; 1851, George Washington; 1859, Henry Martyn; 1863, George Gibson; 1872, Alfred Withington; 1878, Charles Elmer; 1880, Jacob Brainard; 1884, Charles Merritt.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN ANN ARBOR, MICH:—Albert Field, 1866-67, Lit., M.D. (Long Island) 1867, East Hampton, Conn.; Charles Fred Field, A.B., 1875, 292 Kirby avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Clifton Lamson Field, 1882-83, Law, A. B. (Amherst College) 1880, clerk of court, Greenfield, Mass.

Edward Clem Field, 1883, Ph.C., 453 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Elisha Chapman Field, 1865, LL.B., Monon Building, Chicago, Ill.

Ferdinand Thomas Field, 1884, M.D., Elroy, Wis.

Freeman Field, 1893-95, Lit., 1897, LL. B., 679 Jefferson avenue, Detroit, Mich.

George Samuel Field, 1895, LL.B., 30 Buhl Block, Detroit, Mich.

George Washington Field, 1868, LL.B., A.A. (Ohio Wesleyan University) 1864, A.M. (Ohio Wesleyan University) 1867, Bee Building, Omaha, Neb.

Henry George Field, B. S. (Eng.) 1893, 1203 Majestic Building, Detroit, Mich.

Henry Power Field, 1882, LL.B., A.B. (Amherst College) 1880.

Jane Estelle Field, 1896, A.B., Stillwater, Minn.

Kirke Hart Field, 1880, LL.B., Redlands, Cal.

Nelson Curtis Field, 1890, A.B., Glenwood, Iowa.

S. Graham Field, 1873-74, Law, registered from Kalamazoo, Mich.

William Davis Field, 1889-90, M.D., West Stockbridge, Mass.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.—The following is a list of all the Fields who have been students of the University of Virginia since its foundation. The first line to each name gives his record here, viz., date of birth, home address, last year of attendance. The second line gives the subsequent

record when known. Those not stated to be dead are presumed to be still living, at the address given.

John, Charlottesville, Va., 1831; no record since.

John C., 1815, Gloucester C. H., Va., 1837; died August, 1861.

Eldon C., 1831, Columbus, Miss., 1852; captain Confederate States Army; planter, Floreyville, Miss.

Thomas G., 1836, Columbus, Miss., 1855; captain Confederate States Army; fell at Harrisburg, Miss.

Wm. Thomas, 1836, Glassy Mountain, S. C., 1857: M.D.; lieutenant Confederate States Army; member South Carolina Legislature, 1868; farmer, Pickens C. H., S. C.

W. Gibson, 1838, Culpeper C. H., Va., 1861; captain Confederate States Army; fell July 1, 1862, Malvern Hill.

John Wm., 1836, Accomac county, Va., 1859; M.D.; member Virginia Legislature; physician, Missouri.

David M., 1841, Sussex county, Va., 1860; farmer; died 187-.

Scott, 1847, Canton, Miss., 1868; lawyer, Calvert, Tex.

Willis W., 1850, Woodford county, Ky., 1872; farmer, county surveyor, Versailles, Ky.

Joseph, Jr., 1853, Cambridge, Mo., 1875; no record since.

Charles W., Jr., 1858, Comorn, Va., 1878; lawyer, Baltimore, Md., 44 South street.

Wm. W., 1857, Culpeper, Va., 1879; lawyer, Denver, Col.

Samuel S., 1865, Virginia, 1884; lawyer, Baltimore, Md., 301 St. Paul street.

BROWN UNIVERSITY, PROVIDENCE, R. I.—The persons by the name of Field graduated from Brown are the following. The ages I cannot give, but they average about twenty-two:

Barnum, 1821; Charles Elmer, 1875; Evan Dale, 1899; George Wilton, 1887; Harold Crivs, 1894; James Peirson, 1865; Thomas Gardner, 1870; William Goodell, 1808.

For further information, I refer you to the Historical Catalogue of Brown University, 1764-1894.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY, ITHACA, N. Y.—Arthur Carpenter Field, M.E., 1891; born June 24, 1870; 250 Dearborn avenue, Chicago, Ill. Father, Richard I. Field, 250 Dearborn avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Frederick William Field, B.S. in Arch., 1894, Aug. 4, 1871, 1915 West Genesee street, Syracuse, N. Y. Father, Wm. R. Field, 88 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Henry John Field, LL.B., 1896, May 11, 1870, Greenfield, Mass. Father not known.

Rosamond Almeda Field, A.M., 1890 (Mrs. C. H. Estey), Jan. 16, 1867, Addington Road, Brookline, Mass. Father, T. B. Field, Wellsboro, Pa.

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, HANOVER, N. H.—Andrew Emerson Field, Barre, Vt., class 1846; Bohan Prentice Field, Bangor, Me., 1795, died 1843, aged 68; Brayton Allen Field, Watertown, N. Y., 1878; Caleb Clesson Field, Leominster, Mass., class of 1838, medical department, A.B., Amherst College, 1833, A.M.; Edwin Dewey Field, Hanover, N. H., class of 1880, medical department; Joseph Field, class of 1792, died 1866, aged 94; Joseph Root Field, class of 1822, died 1828, aged 33, see History of Northfield, Mass.; Martin Field, honorary degree 1805, lawyer, A.M., A.B. Williams 1798, died 1833, aged 60; Seth Field, class of 1824, medical department, died 1851, aged 53; Walbridge Abner Field, lawyer, Boston, Mass.; tutor, 1855-58, assistant attorney-general of the United States, 1869-70, M. C., 1879; died 1899; Warren Asa Field, lawyer, died 1856, aged 74.

Frederick C. Pierce, Historian and Genealogist, Chicago. Dear Sir: I have the honor to inform you that there are no graduates of Beloit College by the name of Field or Fields. In reply to yours of Jan. 3, 1900. Yours very truly, Chas. A. Bacon, Librarian.

UNION COLLEGE, SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—Jeremiah Field, class of 1816, lawyer, Chester, Vt., removed to Ellsburg, N. Y., died 1861; George W. Field, class of 1836, M.D., Geneva, N. Y., died Geneva, 1875; Thomas W. Field, class of 1849, teacher, died Williamsburg, N. Y.; William H. Field, class of 1863, lawyer, died New York City.

WILLIAMS COLLEGE, WILLIAMSTOWN, MASS.—Martin Field, graduated 1798, M.A., Dartmouth, 1805, died 1833, aged 60; Levi Field, graduated 1799, died 1820, aged 40; John Field, graduated 1807, died 1827, aged 48; Lucius Field, graduated 1821, M.A., Amherst, 1826, died 1839, aged 48, tutor Amherst; Constant Field, graduated 1825, M.D., Berkshire Medical, 1829, died 1833, aged 29; David Dudley Field, graduated 1825, M.A., 1838, LL.D., 1855, also Univ. Bologna and Univ. Edinburgh; Jonathan Edwards Field, graduated 1832, president Massachusetts Senate, died 1868, aged 56; David Dudley Field, graduated 1837; Stephen Johnson Field, graduated 1837, M.A., LL.D., 1864, professor of law, Univ. of Calif, judge and chief justice supreme court of California and justice supreme court of the United States; Henry Martyn Field, graduated 1838, M.A., D.D., 1862; Samuel Tobey Field, graduated 1848; Dudley Field, graduated 1850, died 1880, aged 50; Henry Martyn Field, graduated 1854; Cyrus West Field, graduated 1859; Aaron Wesley Field, graduated 1865; Matthew Dickinson Field, graduated 1875, M.D., 1880, Bellevue Medical College, 1879, Edward Morse Field, graduated 1876, M.A.; Cyrus William Field, graduated 1879; Charles Field, graduated 1881; William Davis Field, graduated 1886.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK, N. Y.—Archelaus G., medicine, 1864; Chauncey M., medicine, 1875; Cortlandt de P., arts, 1859; Edward P., law, 1880; Edward S., arts, 1881, law, 1883; Edwin, medicine, 1873; Frank H., law, 1888; Henry M., medicine, 1862; Jacob T., medicine, 1863; Joseph K., law, 1879; Otis, arts, 1873; William H., law, 1865; Peter Conover, medicine, 1895.

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT, BURLINGTON, VT.—Henry Francis Field, of Rutland, Vt., in 1894 received the honorary degree of A.M. He is now cashier of Rutland County National Bank; superintendent Sunday-school, Congregational.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY, ANDOVER, MASS.—Artemas Clinton Field, Sanbornton, N. H., 1853-55; Barnum W. Field, Boston, Mass., 1842; Charles Armstrong Field, Dorset, Vt., 1871; Henry Martyn Field, West Cambridge, Mass., 1855; John Worcester Field, West Cambridge, Mass., 1853-55; William Evarts Field, West Cambridge, Mass., 1865; Charles Field, Jr., Athol, Mass., graduated from Phillips Academy, Andover, in 1877, from Williams College in 1881; Charles Kingsley Field, 23 Park street, Park Lane, London, W., England, here in 1897, did not graduate; Edward Davenport Field, 41 Prospect street, Rutland, Vt., here in 1895-96, did not graduate; John Howe Field, 27 North Main street, Rutland, Vt., graduated in 1889, Yale 1892; Charles Clesson Field, 598 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., here in 1890, did not graduate; Tracy Cameron Field, 23 Park street, Park Lane, London, W., England, here in 1897, did not graduate; William Henry Field, Rutland, Vt., graduated in 1895; William Joslin Field, 53 Spring street, Keene, N. H., here in 1896-97, did not graduate.

THE PHILLIPS EXETER ACADEMY, EXETER, N. H.—1851, Artemas Clinton Field, Lempster, H. H., clergyman, Hinesburg, Vt.; 1866, Roswell Martin Field, St. Louis, Mo., journalist, Kansas City, Mo.; 1876, George Walker Field,

Ferrisburg, Vt., farmer, Burlington, Vt.; 1886, James William Field, Berwick, Me., business, Exeter, N. H.

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, EVANSTON, ILL.—Elizabeth Field, nee Edwards, class of 1889, born 1867, Syracuse, N. Y.; married Howard Field, June 12, 1890; address 1562 Maple avenue, Evanston.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, WIS.—George Wm. Field, graduated 1870, A.B., A.M., M.D., Chicago Medical College, 1875, residence Eagle Grove, Iowa; Jennie, graduated 1874, Mrs. James W. Bashford, Delaware, Iowa; Walter Scott, graduated 1878, B.S., LL.B., 1880, assistant attorney Vernon county, Wis., 1886-90, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Jesse Southwick, graduated 1886, city attorney, district attorney, Pierce county, Wis., residence Prescott, Wis.; Samuel M., graduated 1895, LL.B., attorney, 207 Sixth street, Racine, Wis.

OBERLIN COLLEGE, OBERLIN, OHIO.—Mrs. Abby Manchester Field-Goodsell, 1876, born Jan. 8, 1856, Byron, Cal.; Adelia Antoinette Field-Johnston, 1856, born Feb. 5, 1837, dean Woman's Department, Oberlin College; Anna Louise Hine-Field, 1882, born March 7, 1855, 80 Kentucky street, Cleveland, Ohio; May Baldwin Fairfield-Field, 1883; 1828 North street, Lincoln, Neb.

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, PRINCETON, N. J.—Robert Field, graduated 1793, no details; James Ten Eyck Field, graduated 1806; born Oct. 31, 1787, died 1866, married Rachel Depuy, had daughter who died an infant, and son Depui (Princeton, 1830), see later; Richard Stockton Field, graduated 1821; born Dec. 31, 1803, died May 25, 1870; Depui Field, graduated 1830, see above, died 1835; George G. Field, graduated 1839, no details, still living; Roscoe Field, graduated 1848, no details, still living; Alexander Shaw Field, graduated 1852, no details, still living; Edward Field, graduated 1861, born May 18, 1841, still living; Chauncey Mitchell Field, graduated 1871, born March 27, 1850, died July 12, 1895, third son of Richard R. and Margaretta Field; Richard Edgar Field, graduated 1874, no details, died 1891; William Pierson Field, graduated 1883, no details, still living.

THE WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.—Daniel Webster Field, non-graduate, born in 1814 in Providence, R. I., left college in 1835 at close of sophomore year; engaged in dry goods business in Providence, R. I., several years; became a portrait painter for several years; afterward devoted himself to jewelry, study of mechanics, and landscape painting; married in 1835 Nancy Curtis, of Springfield, Mass. Children—Daniel C., Elizabeth S. married E. S. Leavitt, Helen S. married W. H. Green, Zipporah C. married Frank Jones.

Leon Chester Field, A.B., 1870; born in Southbridge, Mass., Feb. 7, 1847; was a teacher and Methodist minister; married Aug. 22, 1870, Clara Elizabeth Crowell, of Ware, Mass. Children—Leona Minor, born 1875; Grace Josephine, born 1878, died 1879. He died in 1885.

FIELDS IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

FIELDS FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

The following is a complete, correct, and official list of persons by the name of Field, however spelled, who served in the Revolutionary army from the state of Massachusetts. It is compiled from the publications recently issued by the State, under the direction of the Secretary of State. This name also appears under the form of Feaild, Feald, Fealds, Feeald, Feild, Feildes, Feilds, Feld, Fiealds, Fields.

FEAILD, PETER. Seaman, schooner "Franklin," Samuel Green, master; engaged March 14, 1777; discharged May 13, 1777; service, 2 mos. 29 days (?).

FEALD, JAMES. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt., commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brig. Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol co.) brigade; service, 6 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

FEALDS, BARZILLAI. Private, Capt. Zebedee Redding's co., Col. Gamaliel Bradford's (12th) regt.; pay roll for December, 1778.

FEEALD, SAMUEL, JR., Andover. Private, Capt. Joshua Holt's (4th Andover) co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 1-2 days.

FEILD, BENJAMIN. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co., Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 4 days at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, BAZALEEL. List dated Taunton, May 21, 1778, of men mustered by James Leonard, muster master, to serve for the term of 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill; Capt. Samuel Robinson's (1st Attleborough) co., Col. John Daggett's (4th Bristol co.) regt.; age, 16 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, light; hair, black; eyes, dark; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill June 19, 1778.

FEILD, EBENEZER. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co., Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 4 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, EBENEZER, JR. Sergeant, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co., Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 15 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, FOBES. Private, Capt. Nathan Packard's co., Col. Edward Mitchell's regt.; service, 5 days; company ordered to Squantum March 4, 1776, on an alarm.

FEILD, JACKSON. Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co., Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 15 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, JOHN. Private, Capt. Israel Trow's co., Col. John Daggett's regt.; entered service Jan. 19, 1778; discharged March 31, 1778; service, 2 mos. 13 days, under Maj. Gen. Spencer at Rhode Island; company drafted to serve for 3 months from Jan. 1, 1778. Roll sworn to at Norton.

FEILD, JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Josiah Vose's (Milton) co.; service, from April 13 to April 26, 1776, 12 days, in defense of seacoast.

FEILD, JOSEPH. Capt. John Worthley's co., Col. Edmund Phinney's regt.; order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Fort No. 2, 1775.

FEILD, JOSEPH. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co.; Col. Palmer's regt.: service, 10 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, RICHARD. Corporal, Capt. Nathan Snow's co., Col. Hawes's regt.;

enlisted Sept. 24, 1777; service 1 mo. 9 days, on a secret expedition to Rhode Island. Roll sworn to at Plymouth.

FEILD, RICHARD. Private, Capt. Nathan Packard's co., Col. Edward Mitchell's regt.; service, 5 days; company ordered to march to Squantum March 4, 1776, on an alarm.

FEILD, ROBERT. Descriptive list dated West Point, Jan. 20, 1781; Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co.; lieut. Col. Smith's (6th) regt.; age, 14 yrs; stature, 4 ft. 7 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; eyes, gray; rank, drummer; enlisted Jan., 1780, by Maj. Porter; enlistment, during war.

FEILD, SOLOMON. List dated Taunton, May 21, 1778, of men mustered by James Leonard, muster master, to serve for the term of 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill; Capt. Samuel Robinson's 1st (Attleborough) co., Col. John Daggett's (4th Bristol co.) regt.; age, 17 yrs.; statue, 5 ft. 8 in.; complexion, dark; hair, black; eyes, black; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill June 19, 1778.

FEILD, THOMAS. Receipt dated Boston, May 3, 1782, for bounty paid said Feild by Alexander Hodgdon, in behalf of a committee of the town of Boston, to serve in the Continental Army for the term of 3 yrs.

FEILD, TIMOTHY. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co.; Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 7 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, WILLIAM. Corporal, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s (1st) co., Col. Palmer's regt.; service, 15 days, at Rhode Island; company assembled March 4, 1776.

FEILD, ZEBULON, Taunton. Drummer, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; service, 20 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777.

FEILDES, JOHN. Power of attorney, dated Feb. 22, 1785, given to Mason Wattles, by said Feildes, a laborer of New Rochelle, N. Y., to collect the wages, etc., due him for service in the army.

FEILDING, JOHN. Private, 10th Mass. regt.; list of men belonging to the Mass. line reported as not having been mustered or who were omitted from pay rolls to whom wages and depreciation were allowed; reported omitted July, 1777.

FEILDS, JOSEPH. Descriptive list of men raised to serve in the Continental army for the term of 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, returned as mustered in from Gen. Thompson's brigade May 19, 1778, by Daniel Ilsley, muster master, for Cumberland co., and delivered to Maj. James Johnston, superintendent for said co.; age, 29 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9¾ in.; complexion, light.

FELD, PETER. Capt. Micajah Gleason's co., Col. Nixon's regt.; company receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 10, 1775.

FELD, ZEBULON, 3d. List of men mustered for 6 mos. service at Rhode Island by James Leonard, muster master for Bristol co., dated July 7, 1778; Col. George William's regt.

FIEALDS, SAMUEL, Andover. Private, Capt. Joshua Holt's (4th Andover) co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 day; reported as among men who were aged or unable to bear arms who carried provisions to Cambridge for those in need.

FIELD, AARON, Springfield. Surgeon's mate, Lieut. Col. Barnabas Sear's regt.; marched Aug. 1, 1781; discharged Nov. 15, 1781; service, 3 mos. 21 days, travel included; regiment raised for 3 mos. Roll sworn to at Greenwich.

FIELD, ABIEZER, Taunton. Private, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; service, 20 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777, by order of Brig. Gen. Godfrey.

FIELD, ABIEZER, Taunton. Private, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's co., Col. Josiah

Whitney's regt.; service, 1 mo. 23 days; company marched from Taunton to Providence, R. I. Roll made up for wages and travel, agreeable to resolve of April, 1777, and sworn to at Taunton, Sept. 23, 1777.

FIELD, ABIEZER. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt., commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brig. Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol co.) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

FIELD, ASA. Private, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) co., Col. Israel Chapen's (3d) regt.; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, 1 mo. 14 days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."

FIELD, BARZILLIA, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Abiel Peirce's co., Col. Nicholas Dike's regt.; pay abstract for mileage to and from camp, etc.; warrant allowed in Council, Nov. 30, 1776; also, Capt. Edward Cobb's co.; service, 2 mos. 4½ days; company marched from Bridgewater and Abington April 21, 1777, to Bristol, R. I.; roll endorsed "Col. Titcomb's regt.;" also, Capt. John Ames's co.; enlisted June 26, 1778; discharged July 20, 1778; service, 24 days; company marched to Rhode Island June 26, 1778, and joined Col. Wade's regt. June 27, 1778, for 24 (also given 21) days' service; also, Capt. Jacob Pool's co., Col. Jacob's (Plymouth co.) regt.; enlisted July 21, 1780; discharged Oct. 21, 1780; service, 3 mos. 13 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce the Continental Army for 3 mos.; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, BENJAMIN, Falmouth. Capt. Samuel Noyes's co., Col. Edmund Phinnie's (31st) regt.; billeting allowed from date of enlistment July 10, 1775, to date of marching from Falmouth, July 13, 1775; credited with 3 days' allowance; also, private, same co. and regt.; company return (probably Oct., 1775); also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Fort No. 2, Cambridge, Oct. 27, 1775.

FIELD, BENJAMIN, Greenwich. Private, Capt. Joseph Hooker's co. of Minute-men, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service 18 days; also, Capt. John Thompson's co.; Col. Leonard's (Hampshire co.) regt., enlisted May 7, 1777; discharged July 8, 1777; service, 2 mos. 10 days, travel included; company marched to reinforce Northern army for 2 mos.

FIELD, BEZALEEL. Private, Capt. Elisha May's co.; enlisted Sept., 1776; discharged Nov., 1776; company served on a 2 mos.' campaign at New York.

FIELD, DANIEL, Buxton. Capt. John Rice's co.; billeting allowed from date of enlistment, July 3, 1775, to date of marching from Scarborough, to headquarters, July 4, 1775; credited with allowance for 1 day; also, private, Capt. John Rice's co., Col. Edmund Phinney's (31st) regt.; company return dated Sept. 29, 1775.

FIELD, DANIEL, Pepperell. Enlistment agreement signed by said Field and others, engaging themselves to serve for 3 yrs., unless sooner discharged; enlisted Dec. 23, 1776; also, list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, Muster Master for Suffolk co., dated Boston, Jan. 8, 1777: Capt. Thomas's co., Col. Thomas Marshall's regt.; also, private, Colonel's co., Col. Marshall's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to Jan. 22, 1778; reported died Jan. 22, 1778; also, 2d sergeant, Capt. Philip Thomas's co., Col. Thomas Marshall's regt.; rations allowed from date of enlistment, Dec. 23, 1776, to Feb. 6, 1777; credited with 46 days' allowance; subsistence also allowed for 11 days' travel on march from Boston to Bennington; also, Capt. Philip Thomas's (5th) co., Col. Thomas Marshall's (10th) regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777.

FIELD, DANIEL, Pepperellborough. Private, Capt. John Elden's co., Col.

Lemuel Robinson's regt.; company return dated Roxbury, Feb. 26, 1776; also, company receipt dated Dorchester, April 1, 1776, given to Capt. John Elden, for travel allowance to camp and home.

FIELD, DANIEL (also given Jr.), Pownalborough (also given Pepperellborough, Walla, and Sanford). List of men raised to serve in the Continental army from Capt. Larkin Thorndike's, Capt. John Woodbury's, and Capt. Joseph Rae's 1st, 2d, and 3d cos. in Beverly, dated Beverly, Feb. 13, 1778; residence, Pownalborough; engaged for town of Beverly; joined Capt. William Peter's (Porter's) co., Col. Francis's regt.; term, 3 years; said Field reported as belonging to 1st Beverly co.; also, list of men mustered by Nathaniel Wells, muster master for York co., dated Wells, March 12, 1777; residence Pepperellborough; Capt. Porter's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis's regt.; reported received state bounty; also, private, Capt. Billy Porter's co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 27, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Wells; also, detachment from Capt. Porter's co., Col. Francis's regt.: rations allowed from date of enlistment, Feb. 27, 1777, to time of marching; credited with 47 days' allowance; residence, Sanford; also, Capt. Billy Porter's co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's regt.; muster roll for Jan. 1779, dated West Point; reported furloughed by Gen. Paterson, Nov. 19, 1777, for 60 days.

FIELD, DANIEL. Capt. Nathan Alden's co.; Col. Jeremiah Hall's regt.; company order, payable to Capt. Alden, for wages for 3 mos.' service at Bristol, R. I., dated Bristol, March 7, 1777.

FIELD, DANIEL. List of men in Capt. J. Sprague's division in service in Oct. 1777.

FIELD, DANIEL, JR., Buxton. Private, Capt. John Elden's co., Col. Lemuel Robinson's regt.; company return dated Roxbury, Feb. 26, 1776; also, company receipt dated Dorchester, April 1, 1776, given to Capt. John Elden, for travel allowance to camp and home.

FIELD, DARIUS. Private, Capt. Rufus Barney's co., Col. Carpenter's regt.; service, 4 days, on an alarm at Rhode Island; company detached to march to Tiverton, R. I., for 6 days; roll dated July 28, 1780; also, Capt. John Shaw's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt.; service, 4 days; company marched to Rhode Island March 6, 1781, by order of His Excellency John Hancock, on a 40 days' expedition.

FIELD, DAVID. Official record of a ballot by the House of Representatives dated Jan. 31, 1776; said Field chosen Colonel of 5th Hampshire co., regt. of Mass. militia; appointment concurred in by Council Feb. 8, 1776; reported commissioned Feb. 8, 1776; also, colonel; return dated Boston, April 8, 1777; signed by Brig. Gen. Timothy Danielson, of companies of militia from Hampshire co., which turned out as volunteer under Col. David Leonard and Lieut. Col. May to reinforce the army at Ticonderoga, agreeable to order of Council of Feb., 1777; two companies raised from said Field's regt.; also, resignation dated Deerfield, Feb. 14, 1778, signed by said Field, stating that he had been appointed to the "first commission" in 5th Hampshire co. regt., that he had served in that capacity to the best of his ability, but owing to old age was no longer able to fulfill the duties of his office, and asking that his resignation be accepted; resignation accepted by General Court, Feb. 20, 1778.

FIELD, EBENEZER, Amherst. Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 22, 1775; also, private, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos. 7 days; also, company return (probably Oct., 1775); also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Prospect Hill, Oct. 25, 1775.

FIELD, EBENEZER, Brookfield. Matross, Capt. William Todd's (8th) co., Col. Thomas Craft's (artillery) regt.; service from Feb. 1, 1776, to date of discharge, May 8, 1776, 3 mos. 7 days. Roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, EBENEZER, Western. Corporal, Capt. Reuben Read's co. of Minute-men Col. Jonathan Warner's regt.; which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Roxbury; service, 8 days; also, sergeant, Capt. John Grainger's co., Col. Ebenezer Learned's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 28, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 4 days; also company return dated Oct. 7, 1775; also, lieutenant, Col. William Shepard's (4th) regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777 to Dec. 31, 1779; also, Capt. Thomas Fish's co., Col. William Shepard's (3d) regt.; muster roll for Oct. and Aug., 1778; also, Lieut. Col. Ebenezer Sprout's co., Col. Shepard's regt.; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; appointed Jan. 1, 1777; reported furloughed May 4, also given May 5 (year not given), for 10 (also given 8) days by Col. Shepard; also, captain lieutenant, Col. Shepard's regt.; return of officers for clothing dated Salem, Aug. 28, 1779; also, lieutenant, Col. Shepard's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 14, 1780.

FIELD, EBENEZER, Wrentham. Private, Capt. Benjamin Haws's co., Col. John Smith's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 6 days; also, Capt. Oliver Pond's co., Col. Joseph Read's (29th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos. 8 days; also, company return dated Sept. 25, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Roxbury, Dec. 27, 1775.

FIELD, EBENEZER (also given Eben.), Jr., Braintree. Corporal, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minute-men of North Parish in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 7 days; also, private, Capt. Edmund Billing's co. of North Precinct in Braintree, Col. Jonathan Bass's regt.; service, 2 days; company assembled June 13, 1776, to drive British ships from Boston harbor; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, ELIHU. Private, Capt. Amasa Sheldon's co., Col. Elisha Porter's regt.; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged July 18, 1777; service, 15 days, travel included, on expedition to Northern department. Roll sworn to at Deerfield.

FIELD, ELIJAH, Sunderland. Private, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; also, list of men returned as serving on picket guard under Maj. Loammi Baldwin dated May 11, 1775; also, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 24, 1775; also, private, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 12 days; also, company return (probably Oct., 1775); also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Oct. 31, 1775.

FIELD, ELIJAH. Corporal, Capt. Reuben Petty's co., Lieut. Col. Samuel William's regt.; engaged Dec. 16, 1776; discharged March 19, 1777; service, 3 mos. 15 days, travel included.

FIELD, ELIJAH. Sergeant, Capt. Moses Harvey's co., Col. David Wells's regt.; engaged May 10, 1777; discharged July 10, 1777; service, 2 mos. 10 days, travel included, in Northern department. Roll dated Montague.

FIELD, ELIJAH. Private, Capt. Moses Harvey's co., Col. Woodbridge's regt.; enlisted Aug. 22, 1777; discharged Nov. 29, 1777; service, 3 mos. 17 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Northern army; roll endorsed "service at Saratoga."

FIELD, ELIJAH. Assistant at the scale, under Timothy Leonard, assistant

commissary of issues, N. D., in Brig. Gen. Warner's brigade; enlisted Oct. 9, 1777; discharged Nov. 30, 1777; service, 1 mo. 29 days, 6 days' travel included.

FIELD, ELIJAH. Private, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) co., Col. Israel Chapen's (3d) regt.; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, 1 mo. 14 days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."

FIELD, EPHRAIM, Braintree. Private, Capt. John Vinton's (Braintree) co. of Minute-men, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 29, 1775; service, 3 days.

FIELD, EPHRAIM. Private, in a company commanded by Capt. Thomas Nash of Weymouth, Col. Solomon Lovell's regt ; service, 4 days; company marched to take possession of Dorchester Heights March 4, 1776; roll endorsed "minute roll."

FIELD, EPHRAIM. Descriptive list of men raised in Plymouth co. in 1779, to serve in the Continental army; age, 23 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Bridgewater; delivered to Capt. L. Bailey; also, Major's co., Col. Wesson's (9th) regt.; entered service July 24, 1779; discharged April 24, 1780; term, 9 mos.

FIELD, EPHRAIM. Private, Capt. David Packard's co., Col. Cary's regt.; service, 11 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780.

FIELD, FOBES, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's co. of Minute-men, Col. Bailey's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days; also, Capt Snell's co., Col. Mitchel's regt.; marched Dec. 8, 1776; service, 2 weeks, 2 days; company marched to Providence, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; also, Capt. David Packard's co., Col. Cary's regt.; service, 11 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780.

FIELD, GEORGE. Private, Capt. Timothy Paige's co., Col. James Conver's regt.; enlisted Aug. 21, 1777; discharged Aug. 31, 1777; service, 10 days; company marched to Bennington on an alarm.

FIELD, GEORGE. Sergeant, Capt. Samuel Merriman's co., 6th Hampshire co. regt.; engaged Sept. 22, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service 1 mo. 3 days, travel included, on an expedition to the northward.

FIELD, HENRY. Private, Capt. Elihu Lyman's co., Col. Elisha Porter's (Hampshire co.) regt.; enlisted July 25, 1779; discharged Aug. 31, 1779; service, 1 mo. 13 days, travel included, at New London, Conn.

FIELD, HENRY. Private, Capt. Eliphalet Sawen's co., Col. William McIntosh's regt.; enlisted March 25, 1778; discharged April 7, 1778; service, 13 days, with guards at Roxbury; also, corporal, Capt. Thomas Newcomb's co., Col. Ebenezer Thayer's regt.; enlisted July 22, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos., travel included; reported discharged 220 miles from home; company raised to reinforce Continental army for 3 mos.; part of company stationed at West Point and part at Rhode Island; list of men raised for Continental service agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; engaged Dec. 30, 1780; engaged for town of Braintree; term, 3 yrs.

FIELD, JACKSON, Braintree. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minute-men of North Parish in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 7 days; also, Capt. Edmund Billing's co. of North Precinct in Braintree, Col. Jonathan Bass's regt.; service, 5 days; company assembled June 13, 1776, to drive British ships from Boston harbor; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, JAMES. Private, Capt. Micah Hamblin's co.; enlisted July 13, 1775; service to Dec. 31, 1775, in defense of seacoast. Roll sworn to in Barnstable Co.

FIELD, JOHN, Marblehead. List of men raised to serve in the Continental

army from Col. Jonathan Glover's (5th Essex co.) regt., as returned agreeable to order of Council of Nov. 7, 1777; residence, Marblehead; engaged for town of Marblehead; term, 3 yrs.

FIELD, JOB, Rhode Island. Volunteer, ship "Dean," commanded by Capt. Elisha Hinman; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Boston, Nov., 1780; age, 10 yrs.; complexion, dark; residence, Rhode Island.

FIELD, JOB, Swanzey. List of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from Col. Jonathan Glover's (5th Essex Co.) regt., as returned agreeable to order of Council of Nov. 7, 1777; residence, Swanzey; engaged for town of Marblehead; joined Col. William Lee's regt.; term, 3 yrs.

FIELD, JOB. Marine, brig "Hazard," commanded by Capt. John Foster Williams; engaged May 14, 1779; service to Sept. 6, 1779, 3 mos. 24 days; nationality, American; stature, 5 ft. 5½ in. Roll sworn to in Suffolk Co.

FIELD. JOB. Private, Capt. Eliphalet Sawen's co., Col. William McIntosh's regt.; enlisted March 25, 1778; discharged April 7, 1778; service, 13 days, with guards at Roxbury; also, Capt. Joseph Baxter's co., Col. McIntosh's regt., Gen. Lovell's brigade; enlisted Aug. 5, 1778; discharged Sept. 14, 1778; service, 1 mo. 13 days, travel included; company detached from militia for service on an expedition to Rhode Island; roll dated Braintree and sworn to at Boston; also, descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental army for the term of 6 mos., agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, commissioner, by Brig. Gen. John Glover, at Springfield, July 9, 1780; age, 20 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 6 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Braintree; arrived at Springfield July 8, 1780; marched to camp July 9, 1780, under command of Lieut. Jackson of the artillery; also, pay roll for 6 mos.' men raised by the town of Braintree for service in the Continental army during 1780; marched July 4, 1780; discharged Dec. 22, 1780; service, 6 mos.

FIELD, JOHN, Greenwich. Descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental army for the term of 6 mos., agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, commissioner, by Brig. Gen. John Glover, at Springfield, July 18, 1780; age, 19 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, dark; engaged for town of Greenwich; marched to camp July 18, 1780, under command of Capt. Joseph Brown; also, list of men raised for the 6 mos.' service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780; also, pay roll for 6 mos. raised by the town of Greenwich for service in the Continental army during 1780; marched July 17, 1780; discharged Dec. 30, 1780; service, 5 mos. 21 days.

FIELD, JOHN, Milton. Private, Capt. John Bradley's (Milton) co., Col. Lemuel Robinson's regt.; service, 11 days, subsequent to Concord fight and before completion of standing army. Roll dated Milton, Dec. 21, 1775.

FIELD, JOHN, Milton. Private, Capt. Elijah Vose's co., 36th regt.; company return dated Fort No. 2 (probably Oct., 1775); also, Capt. Elijah Vose's co., Col. John Greaton's regt.; order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Cambridge, Dec. 2, 1775.

FIELD, JOHN, Milton. Matross, Capt. John Gill's (6th) co., Col. Thomas Craft's (artillery) regt.; service from Feb. 1, 1777, to May 8, 1777, 3 mos. 7 days.

FIELD, JOHN, Milton. List of men raised to serve in the Continental army from Capt. Bradley's co., Col. Benjamin Gill's regt., dated Stoughton, June 27, 1777; residence, Milton; engaged for town of Milton; joined Capt. Williams's co., Col. Greaton's regt.; term, 3 yrs.; also, list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, muster master for Suffolk Co., dated Boston, May 11, 1778; Capt. Colton's co., Col. Greaton's regt.; also, sergeant, Capt. Robert Oliver's co., Col. John Greaton's

regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from May 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; also, Capt. Edward Cumpston's co., Col. Greaton's (2d) regt.; return of men in camp on or before Aug. 15, 1777; also, recommendation signed by John Greaton, colonel of 3d Mass. regt., stating that there were a number of vacancies for ensigns in his regiment, and recommending said Field and four others as qualified for the positions; ordered in Council March 4, 1780, that said officers be commissioned; said Field's commission to date from April 12, 1778; also, sergeant, Capt. Oliver's co., Col. Greaton's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780 to May 1, 1780.

FIELD, JOHN, Taunton. Private, Capt. Marcey Williams's co., Col. Timothy Walker's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos. 7 days; also, company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Roxbury, Dec. 12, 1775; also, private, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) co., Col. George Williams's (3d Bristol co.) regt.; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776; roll dated Taunton; also, corporal, Capt. Jonathan Shaw's co., Col. George Williams's regt.; service, 1 mo. 1 day; company marched from Raynbam, Taunton, and Easton, in Sept., 1777, on a secret expedition; also, private, Capt. John Haskins's co., in a regiment commanded by Lieut. Col. Samuel Pierce; enlisted May 28, 1779; discharged July 1, 1779; service, 1 mo. 6 days, travel included, at Tiverton; company raised to serve at Rhode Island until July 1, 1779.

FIELD, JOHN. Private, Capt. Peter Procter's co., Lieut. Col. Williams's regt.; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 mo. 6 days, travel included; company marched to reinforce northern army.

FIELD, JOHN. Private, Capt. Enoch Robinson's co.; enlisted Aug. 12, 1779; discharged Sept. 11, 1779; service, 1 mo. 1 day; company ordered to serve at Rhode Island for 4 weeks under Capt. Commandant Samuel Fisher; roll sworn to at Attleborough. (See Thomas Field.)

FIELD, JOHN. Return of men raised for Continental service, agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; engaged April 23, 1781; engaged for town of Boston; term, 3 yrs.; also, private, Capt. William Moore's co., Col. William Shepard's (4th) regt.; muster roll for May, 1781, dated West Point; reported on command at the lines; also, muster roll for June, 1781, sworn to in Camp at Phillipsborough; reported deserted June 12, 1781.

FIELD, JOHN. 6th Mass. regt.; return of men entitled to $80 gratuity for serving during war, endorsed "to 1782;" also, Capt. Daniel Pilsbury's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (6th) regt.; wages allowed from Jan. to Dec., 1782, 12 months.

FIELD, JOHN, JR., Braintree. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minutemen of North Parish in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 7 days; also, Capt. Edmund Billings' co. of North Precinct in Braintree, Col. Jonathan Bass's regt.; service, 2 days; company assembled June 13, 1776, to drive British ships from Boston harbor; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Oliver Vose's co., Col. Robertson's regt.; service, 15 days; company marched to Roxbury subsequent to Concord fight and there served before completion of the standing army; roll sworn to Feb. 12, 1776; also, Capt. John Bradley's (Milton) co., Col. Benjamin Gill's regt.; service, 5 days; company marched to Dorchester Neck, March 4, 1776, when the forts were erected on the Heights.

FIELD, JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Edward Fuller's co , Col. Brooks's regt.; company return endorsed "Oct., 1776;" reported wounded and in hospital.

FIELD, JONATHAN. Private, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Wells's

regt.; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 mo. 1 day, travel included, on expedition to the northwest. Roll dated Leverett.

FIELD, JOSEPH (also given Jos., 2d), Braintree. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minute-men of North Parish in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 3½ days; also, corporal, Capt. Edmund Billings's co. of North Precinct in Braintree, Col. Jonathan Bass's regt.; service, 5 days; company assembled June 13, 1776, to drive British ships from Boston harbor; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, JOSEPH, Greenwich. Private, Capt. Joseph Hooker's co. of Minute-men, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 11 days; also, Capt. Isaac Gray's co., Col. Jonathan Brewer's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos. 8 days; also, company return dated Prospect Hill, Oct. 6, 1775.

FIELD, JOSEPH, North Yarmouth. Capt. John Worthley's co., Col. John Phinney's regt.; billeting allowed from date of enlistment, May 12, 1775, to date of marching to headquarters, July 6, 1776; credited with 55 days' allowance; also, corporal, same co. and regt.; company return (probably Oct., 1775), dated Camp at Cambridge; also, company receipt given to Lieut. Crispus Graves for wages for Nov. and Dec., 1775; dated Cambridge, Feb. 20, 1776; also, list of men raised in Cumberland co. for the term of 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill; Capt. Gray's co., Col. Mitchell's regt.; age, 29 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 9 in.; complexion, light; residence, North Yarmouth; arrived at Fishkill, June 11, 1778; also, list of men returned as received of Maj. James Johnson, by Jonathan Warner, commissioner, at Fishkill, June 25, 1778; also, list of men returned by Brig. Lemuel Thompson, dated Brunswick, July 1, 1778; also, list of men returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam, July 20, 1778.

FIELD, JOSEPH, Wrentham. Private, Capt. Oliver Pond's co. of Minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 11 days; also, list of men drafted from the militia to march to Horse Neck under command of Col. McIntosh (year not given), but who failed to join regiment; reported drafted from Wrentham; drafted into Capt. Fisher's co.

FIELD, JOSEPH. Private, Capt. Phineas Stearns's co.; service, 5 days; company marched from Watertown by order of Gen. Washington to reinforce army at the taking of Dorchester Heights in March, 1776.

FIELD, JOSEPH. Private, Capt. Ezekiel Plimpton's co., Col. Hawes's regt.; enlisted Sept. 25, 1777; discharged Oct. 28, 1777; service, 1 mo. 7 days, travel included, at Rhode Island; roll dated Medfield.

FIELD, JOSEPH. List of prisoners sent from Newport, R. I., in the prison ship "Lord Sandwich" and landed at Bristol, March 7, 1778.

FIELD, JOSEPH (also given Jr.). 1st lieutenant, Capt. William Spinney's (11th) co., Col. John Frost's (2d York co.) regt. of Mass. militia; list of officers chosen by respective companies in said regiment, as returned by Col. Frost and others, field officers, dated Kittery, Sept. 3, 1776; said Field chosen in room of Lieut. William Spinney, promoted; ordered in Council, Nov. 14, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned Nov. 14, 1776; also, 1st lieutenant, Capt. Thomas Cutt's co., Maj. Daniel Littlefield's detachment of York co. militia; detached July 10, 1779; discharged Sept. 10, 1779; service, 2 mos. on Penobscot expedition.

FIELD, JOSEPH. Sergeant major, Capt. Job Alvord's co., Col. S. Murray's (Hampshire co.) regt.; engaged July 13, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental army for 3 mos.

FIELD, LEMUEL, Braintree. Private, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minutemen of North Parish, in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 3½ days; also, Capt. Seth Turner's (Independent) co.; enlisted May 9, 1775; service, 9 mos. 12 days; enlistment, 9 mos.

FIELD, LEMUEL. Private, Capt. Lieut. William Burbeck's co.; enlisted Jan. 17, 1780; service to Oct. 24, 1781, 21 mos. 9 days, under His Excellency John Hancock; company raised for defense of Castle and Governor's Islands; roll sworn to at Boston; also, Capt. Thomas Cushing's co.; service from Oct. 25, 1781, to date of discharge, May 16, 1782, 6 mos. 22 days; company raised for defense of Castle and Governor's Islands; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, LEVI. Private, Capt. Peter Procter's co., Lieut. Col. Williams's regt.; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 mo. 9 days, travel included; company marched to reinforce northern army; also, sergeant, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) co., Col. Israel Chapen's (3d) regt.; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, 1 mo. 14 days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."

FIELD, LIMAS. Seaman, frigate "Deane," commanded by Capt. Samuel Nicholson; engaged May 1, 1781; service, 8 mos.; engagement, 12 mos.; reported a servant to Capt. Nicholson; also, reported died Dec. 31, 1781.

FIELD, LUKE, East Guilford, Conn. Col. John Paterson's (15th) regt.; list of deserters; age, 26 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, light; deserted May 10 (year not given).

FIELD, MEDAD. Private, Capt. Salmon White's co., Col. Woodbridge's regt.; enlisted Aug. 17, 1777; discharged Aug. 19, 1777; service, 4 days, at the northward by order of Gen. Horatio Gates.

FIELD, MOSES. Private, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Leonard's regt.; enlisted Feb. 25, 1777; discharged April 10, 1777; service on expedition to Ticonderoga; also, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Wells's regt.; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service 1 mo. 1 day, travel included, on expedition to the northward; roll dated Leverett.

FIELD, NATHAN, Lincoln. List of men raised to serve in the Continental army (year not given); residence, Lincoln; engaged for town of Lincoln.

FIELD, NATHAN, Rhode Island. Cooper, ship "Deane," commanded by Capt. Elisha Hinman; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Boston, Nov., 1780; age, 25 yrs.; complexion, light; residence, Rhode Island.

FIELD, NATHAN. List of men raised to serve in the Continental army as returned by Capt. Elisha Hunt, sworn to in Hampshire co., April 14, 1779; engaged for town of Northfield; joined Col. Lam's (Lamb's) artillery regt.; term, 1 year.

FIELD, NATHANIEL. Corporal, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) co., Col. George Williams's (3d Bristol co.) regt.; service, 19 days; company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776; roll dated Taunton; also, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., Col. Abiel Mitchell's regt., commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brig. Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol co.) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

FIELD, NOAH, Whately. Private, Capt. Israel Chapin's co., Col. John Fellow's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service to April 26, 1775, 7 days; also, Capt. Israel Chapin's (2d) co., Col. John Fellow's (8th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 12 days; also, company return dated Oct. 8, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money, dated Dorchester, Nov. 25, 1775; also, sergeant, Capt. Seth Murray's co., Maj. Jonathan Clap's regt.; engaged July 9, 1777; discharged

Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 mo. 10 days, travel included, on an expedition to Fort Edward and Mosses Creek.

FIELD, OLIVER, Springfield. Private, Maj. Andrew Colton's co. of Minute-men, which marched April 21, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service to May 4, 1775, 2 weeks, 1 day; also, descriptive list of 9 mos.' men raised in Hampshire co., agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779, as returned by Noah Goodman, superintendent; Capt. Burt's co., Col. Bliss's regt.; age, 26 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; engaged for town of Springfield; delivered to Lieut. William Storey; also, list of men returned as received of Noah Goodman, superintendent for Hampshire co., by Justin Ely, commissioner, at Springfield, Oct. 19, 1779; also, Capt. Flower's co.; entered service July 13 (also given July 10 and July 15), 1779; discharged April 13, 1780; term, 9 mos.; also, private, Capt. Samuel Flower's co., Col. John Greaton's (3d) regt.; muster roll for Aug., 1779, dated Camp Highlands; also, muster roll for Sept., 1779, dated Camp Bedford; also, muster roll for Oct., 1779, dated Camp Bedford; also, muster roll for Oct., 1779, dated Camp near Peekskill; also, muster roll for Nov. and Dec., 1779, dated Continental Village; also (late), Capt. Flower's co., Col. Greaton's regt.; muster roll for Jan.-June, 1780, sworn to at "Orange Town;" reported discharged; also, descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental army for the term of 6 mos., agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood of 6th Mass. regt., at Springfield, July 6, 1780; age, 20 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 10 in.; complexion, light; engaged for town of Springfield; arrived at Springfield July 5, 1780; marched to camp July 6, 1780, under command of Lieut. Taylor of 2d Mass. regt.; also, list of men raised for the 6 mos.' service and returned by Brig. Gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780; also, pay roll for 6 mos.' men raised by the town of Springfield for service in the Continental army during 1780; marched July 5, 1780; discharged Dec. 13, 1780; service, 5 mos. 15 days; also, private (late), Capt. Samuel Flower's co., Col. John Greaton's (3d) regt.; muster roll for July, 1780; also, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Aug. and Sept., 1780, dated Camp Orringtown; enlisted July 6, 1780; also, Capt. Joseph Crocker's co., Col. Greaton's regt.; muster roll for Oct., 1780, dated Camp Totoway; also, same co. and regt.; muster roll for Nov. and Dec., 1780, dated Camp at West Point.

FIELD, PETER, Salem (also given Marblehead). Private, Capt. Micajah Gleason's co., Col. John Nixon's (5th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos. 8 days; also, company return dated Sept. 30, 1775; reported "absent, Quebec."

FIELD, PETER. Seaman, ship "Pliarne," Samuel Green, master; engaged June 12; discharged Sept. 17 (year not given); service, 3 mos. 5 days.

FIELD, PHILIP. List of men raised for Continental service, agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; engaged Jan. 6, 1781; engaged for town of Boston.

FIELD, PHINEAS, Northfield. Private, Capt. Elihu Lyman's co., Col. Elisha Porter's (Hampshire co.) regt.; enlisted July 25, 1779; discharged Aug. 31, 1779; service, 1 mo. 13 days, travel included, at New London, Conn.; also, descriptive list dated Warwick, Aug. 4, 1780, of men detached from 6th Hampshire co. regt., agreeable to order of court of June 22, 1780, to serve for the term of 3 mos. from time of arrival at Claverack; Capt. Seth Pierce's co., Col. Seth Murray's regt.; enlisted July 15, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental army for 3 mos.; roll dated Leverett.

FIELD, RICHARD, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's co. of Minute-men, Col. Bailey's regt., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 12 days; also, corporal, Capt. Josiah Hayden's co., Brig. Gen. John

Thomas's regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 mos. 1 week 1 day; also, company return dated Oct. 6, 1775; also, muster roll made up from Sept. 1, 1775, to Oct. 30, 1775, 61 days, dated Camp at Roxbury; also, sergeant, Capt. Daniel Lathrop's (7th) co., Col. Thomas Craft's (artillery) regt.; abstract for advance pay, travel allowance, etc., dated Boston, June 3, 1776; also, same co. and regt.; enlisted May 13, 1776; service to Aug. 1, 1776, 62 days, travel included; also, same company and regt.; service from Aug. 1, 1776, to Nov. 1, 1776, 3 mos.; also, same co. and regt.; service from Nov. 1, 1776, to Feb. 1, 1777, 3 mos.; reported as serving 1 mo. in colony service, 2 mos. in Continental service; also, same co. and regt.; service from Feb. 1, 1777, to date of discharge, May 7, 1777, 3 mos. 7 days.

FIELD, RICHARD, Mansfield. Private, Capt. Abiel Clap's co. of Minute-men, Col. John Dagget's regt.; service between April 19 and April 29, 1775, 9 days.

FIELD, RICHARD. Private, Capt. David Packard's co., Col. Cary's regt.; service, 11 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780.

FIELD, RICHARD. Private, Capt. John Dean's co., Col. Isaac Dean's (4th Bristol co.) regt.; enlisted Aug. 1, 1780; discharged Aug. 7, 1780; service, 9 days, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Aug. 1, 1780; roll dated Mansfield.

FIELD, ROBERT, Greenwich. Corporal, Capt. Joseph Hooker's co. of Minute-men, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 18 days.

FIELD, ROBERT. Private, in a company commanded by Capt. Isaac Powers of Greenwich, Col. Elisha Porter's regt.; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 mo. 9 days, travel included; company marched to join northern army under Gen. Schyl, or Schuyler, on an alarm.

FIELD, ROBERT. 2d lieutenant, Capt. Joseph Hooker's (11th) co., Col. E. Porter's (4th Hampshire co.) regt. of Mass. militia; list of officers; commissioned June 29, 1780.

FIELD, ROBERT. Fifer, Lieut. Cols.' co., Col. Smith's regt.; Continental army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; term, during war; also, 3d co., Col. Thomas Nixon's (6th) regt.; return of men entitled to $80 gratuity for serving during war, endorsed "to 1782;" also, drummer, Capt. Ebenezer Smith's co., Lieut. Col. Calvin Smith's (6th) regt.; wages allowed for Jan., 1781, Dec., 1782, 24 mos.

FIELD, SAMUEL, Amherst. Private, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service 7 days; also, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; company receipt for advance pay for 1 month dated Cambridge, June 24, 1775; also, corporal, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service 3 mos. 12 days; also, company return (probably Oct., 1775); also, corporal, Capt. Moses Harvey's co., Col. David Well's regt.; engaged May 10th, 1777; discharged July 10th, 1777; service, 2 mos. 10 days, travel included, in Northern department; roll dated Montague.

FIELD, SAMUEL. 2d lieutenant, Capt. Robert Foster's (7th) co., Col. Timothy Pickering Jr.'s (1st Essex Co.) regt. of Mass. militia; return dated Salem, May 15, 1776, signed by Col. Timothy Pickering, Jr., and Joseph Sprague, of officers chosen by several companies of militia in Salem, and returned to be commissioned; said officers accepting appointments, however, only upon the condition that the General Court will compel a more equal distribution as to the persons required to undergo military training and be subject to service calls, and also in order that the present existing companies may be kept fully trained and equipped; ordered in

Council June 6, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned June 6, 1776.

FIELD, SAMUEL. Private, Capt. Thomas Newcomb's co., Col. Joseph Webb's regt.; enlisted Sept. 6, 1781; discharged Dec. 5, 1781; service, 3 mos. 10 days, travel included, at Peekskill, N. Y.

FIELD, SETH, Northfield. Descriptive list dated Warwick, Aug. 4, 1780, of men detached from 6th Hampshire Co. regt.; agreeable to order of General Court of June 22, 1780, to serve for the term of 3 months from the time of their arrival at Claverack; Capt. Seth Pierce's co., Col. Seth Murray's (Hampshire Co.) regt.; age, 18 yrs.; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Northfield; rank, private; mustered July 20, 1780; also, corporal, Capt. Seth Pierce's co., Col. Seth Murray's (Hampshire Co.) regt.; enlisted July 15, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos. 6 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental Army for 3 months; roll dated Leverett.

FIELD, SETH. Private, Capt. Enoch Chapin's co., Col. Jacob Garrish's regt.; enlisted Aug. 7, 1778; discharged Dec. 14, 1778; service, 4 mos. 10 days, travel included; company detached from militia of Hampshire Co. to guard stores at Springfield and Brookfield for 6 months from July 1, 1778.

FIELD, SPENCER, Rutland. Official record of a ballot by the House of Representatives dated Jan. 23, 1776, of officers chosen to command the 6 regiments raised to serve before Boston until April 1, 1776; said Field chosen Surgeon's Mate, Col. Josiah Whitney's Worcester Co. regt.; appointment concurred in by Council Jan. 23, 1776.

FIELD, THOMAS. Private, Capt. Enoch Robinson's co.; enlisted Aug. 12, 1779; discharged Sept. 12, 1779; service, 1 mo. 2 days, in a regiment under Capt. Commandant Samuel Fisher at Rhode Island. Roll sworn to at Attleborough. (See John Field.)

FIELD, THOMAS. List of men raised to serve in the Continental Army (year not given); engaged for town of Waltham.

FIELD, WILLIAM, Braintree. Corporal, Capt. John Hall, Jr.'s co. of Minute-men of North Parish in Braintree, Col. Benjamin Lincoln's regt., which assembled April 19, 1775, and also April 29, 1775; service, 7 days; also, Capt. Edmund Billing's co. of North Precinct in Braintree, Col. Jonathan Bass's regt.; service, 5 days; company assembled June 13, 1776, to drive British ships from Boston harbor; roll sworn to at Boston.

FIELD, WILLIAM, Leverett. Private, Capt. Reuben Dickenson's co. of Minute-men, Col. R. Woodbridge's regt.; which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 16 days; also, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Well's regt.; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 13, 1777; service, 26 days, travel included, on an expedition to the Northward.

FIELD, WILLIAM. Private, Capt. Eliphalet Sawen's co., Col. William McIntosh's regt.; enlisted March 25, 1778; discharged April 8, 1778; service, 13 days, with guards at Roxbury.

FIELD, ZACHARIAH, Amherst. Return of men drafted from Hampshire Co. militia to march to Horse Neck under command of Colonel Samuel How (year not given), but who failed to join regiment; drafted to Amherst; drafted into Capt. Brakenridge's co.

FIELD, ZACHARIAH. Private, Capt. Seth Murray's co., Col. Ezra May's regt.; enlisted Sept. 20, 1777; discharged Oct. 14, 1777; service, 1 mo., travel included, on an expedition to Saratoga.

FIELD, ZEB., Dighton. Private, Capt. Jacob Fuller's co., Col. John Jacob's

regt.; enlisted July 7, 1778; service, 5 mos. 26 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment to expire Jan. 1, 1779.

FIELD, ZEBULON, Taunton. Drummer, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis's regt.; pay abstract for mileage, etc., to camp and home; credited with two days' allowance; company drafted from Taunton, Raynham, Easton, Dartmouth, Freetown, Berkley, and Dighton; warrant for pay allowed in Council Nov. 29, 1776; also, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) co., Col. George William's (3d Bristol Co.) regt.; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776; also, Capt. Jonathan Shaw's co., Col. George William's regt.; service, 1 mo. 1 day; company marched from Raynham, Taunton, and Easton, in September, 1777, on a secret expedition.

FIELD, ZEBULON (also given Jr.), Taunton. 1st lieutenant, Capt. Israel Trow's co., Col. Jacob French's regt.; list of officers chosen to command companies in regiment raised in Bristol and Cumberland counties and stationed at Winter Hill, Feb. 27, 1776; company raised in Norton, Taunton, Freetown, Dartmouth, Mansfield, Raynham, and Middleborough; ordered in Council March 26, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned March 13 (?), 1776; also, 1st lieutenant, Capt. Elisha Barney's 10th (Taunton) co., 3d Bristol Co., regt. of Mass. militia; list of officers chosen by the several companies in said regiment, as returned by George Williams, and James Williams, Jr., field officers; ordered in Council April 13, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned April 5 (?), 1776; also, lieutenant, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) co., Col. George Williams's (3d Bristol Co.) regt.; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren via Rehoboth, on the alarm of Rhode Island, of Dec. 8, 1776; also, lieutenant, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's co., Col. John Hathaway's regt.; service, 22 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777, by order of Brig.-Gen. Godfrey; also, 1st lieutenant, Capt. Jonathan Shaw's co., Col. George Williams's regt.; service 1 mo. 1 day; company marched from Raynham, Taunton, and Easton, in Sept., 1777, on a secret expedition.

FIELD, ZEBULON. Private, Capt. Ebenezer Deane's co., Col. Thomas Carpenter's regt.; service 1 mo. 4 days; company marched from Taunton, via Rehoboth and Bristol, to Providence, R. I., and thence home. Roll dated Nov. 5, 1777.

FIELD, ZEBULON. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt., commanded by Lieut.-Col. James Williams, Brig.-Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol Co.) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

FIELD, ZEBULON. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's co., Col. Abiel Mitchel's regt. commanded by Lieut.-Col. James Williams, Brig.-Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol Co.) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780. (This name appears twice on roll.)

FIELD, ZEBULON, JR., Taunton. Private, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's regt.; service 1 mo. 23 days; company marched from Taunton to Providence, R. I.; roll made up for wages and travel, agreeable to resolve of April —, 1777, and sworn to at Taunton, Sept. 23, 1777.

FIELD, ZENAS (also given Ezenous), Hatfield. Capt. Israel Chapin's co. of Minute-men, Col. John Fellows's regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service to April 26, 1775, 7 days; also, Capt. Israel Chapin's (2d) co., Col. John Fellows's (8th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; also, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Dorchester, Dec. 6, 1775; also, Private, Capt. Salmon White's co., Col. David Wells's regt.; marched May 10, 1777; discharged July 10, 1777; service, 2 mos. 10

days, travel included, on expedition to Ticonderoga; also, Capt. Seth Murray's co., Col. Ezra May's regt.; enlisted Sept. 20, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 mo., travel included, on expedition to Saratoga.

FIELDS, ABIEZER, Taunton. Private, Capt. Jacob Kaskins's co., Col. John Jacob's regt.; enlisted June 1, 1778; service, 11 days; company detached to guard the shore at Freetown for 10 days by order of Brig-Gen. George Godfrey.

FIELDS, ABISHAL. Private, Capt. Simeon Cobb's co., 3d regt., Gen. Godfrey's brigade; enlisted Aug. 14, 1779; service, 1 mo. 2 days; company detached from militia and ordered to serve under Capt. Samuel Fisher at Rhode Island for 4 weeks.

FIELDS, BEZALEEL. List of men raised in Bristol Co. for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, agreeable to resolve of April 20, 1778, returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam, July 20, 1778; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill June 17, 1778.

FIELDS, DANIEL, Buxton. List sworn to at Buxton, Aug. 26, 1777, of men enlisted into the Continental Army, as returned to Col. Tristam Jordon, by the Selectmen of the town of Buxton; residence, Buxton; also, Private, Capt. Porter's co., Col. Tupper's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780 to Feb. 27, 1780.

FIELDS, JOHN, Andover. Fifer, Capt. Stephen Abbot's co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 19, 1777 to Dec. 31, 1779; reported as serving 8 mos. 12 days as private, 26 mos. as fifer; promoted to fifer Nov. 1,1777; also, private, Capt. Benjamin Farnum's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis's regt.; rations allowed from date of enlistment, Feb. 19, 1777, to time of arrival at Bennington; credited with allowance to March 28, 1777, 49 days, including 11 days for 220 miles travel; also, Capt. Farnum's co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's regt.; return dated Jan. 24, 1778; residence, Andover; enlisted for town of Andover; reported sick at Albany; also, fifer, Capt. Stephen Abbot's co., Col. Tupper's (15th) regt.; muster roll for March, 1779; dated West Point; term, 3 years; also, same co. and regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780 to Feb. 19, 1780; reported discharged.

FIELDS, JONATHAN, Buxton (also given Scarborough). Private, Capt. Jeremiah Hill's co., Col. James Scammon's (30th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 3, 1775; service 12 weeks, 6 days; also, company return dated Sept. 27, 1775; also, Garrison at Fort George, Dec. 8, 1776; enlisted Jan. 1, 1776; reported discharged Sept. 26, 1776; also, Capt. Burbank's co., Col. Sprout's regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777 to Jan. 17, 1778; residence, Buxton; reported died Jan. 17, 1778; also, Capt. Silas Burbank's co., Col. Samuel Brewer's regt.; return dated Camp near Valley Forge, Jan. 23, 1778; residence, Scarborough; enlisted for town of Scarborough; mustered by Daniel Insley, Muster Master; term, during war; reported sick and absent.

FIELDS, JOSEPH. Private, Capt. Samuel Fisher's co., Col. Ephraim Wheelock's regt.; service, 23 days; company ordered to march to Warwick, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1778.

FIELDS, ROBERT. Power of attorney dated Feb. 18, 1785, given to Mason Wattles by said Fields, a laborer of New York city, to collect the wages, etc., due him for service in the Continental Army.

FIELDS, SOLOMON. List of men raised in Bristol Co. for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, agreeable to resolve of April 20, 1778, returned as received of Jonathan Warner, Commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam, July 20, 1778; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill, June 17, 1778.

FIELDS, THOMAS. Private, Capt. Nathan Dix's co., Col. James Wesson's regt.; muster return made up for 1777; mustered by Col. Barett, State Muster Master; reported a transient; also reported deserted.

FIELDER, JOHN. Private, Capt. Joseph Rea's co.; enlisted July 25, 1776; discharged Oct. 28, 1776; service, 3 mos. 3 days, in defence of seacoast; company ordered to serve at the Lines in Beverly by order of Council of July 20, 1776.

FIELDING, JOHN, Newburyport. List of men raised to serve in the Continental Army from 2d Essex Co. regt., as returned by Maj. Ralph Cross, sworn to in Essex Co., Feb. 16, 1778; residence, Newburyport; engaged for town of Newburyport; joined Capt. Moses Greenleaf's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis's regt.; term, 3 years; also, private, Capt. Greenleaf's co., Col. Benjamin Tupper's (10th) regt.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 18, 1777 to Dec. 31, 1779; reported taken prisoner July 7, 1777; also, same co. and regt.; return dated Jan. 25, 1778; mustered by Continental and County Muster Masters; reported a foreigner; also reported taken prisoner at Hubelton.

FIELDING, JOHN. Private, Capt. Abram Washburn's co., Col. Theophilus Cotton's regt.; marched March 10, 1781; discharged April 1, 1781; service, 22 days company marched to Newport, R. I., March 10, 1781, for 40 days' service.

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FRANCIS FIELDS. Private; enlisted May 15, 1777; term, 3 years; discharged May 15, 1780; Col. John Chandler's 8th regt., 1777-81, Stoddards' co. Page 234.

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FRANCIS FIELDS. Private, Capt. Bostwick's co., Chas. Webb (col.) regt., which crossed the River Delaware to Trenton on the evening of Dec. 25, 1776. (Rev. roll, pension bureau.) Page 105.

ELIJAH FIELDS. Private; May 17 to Dec. 16, 1775; Col. Israel Putnam's 3d regt., 2d co.; Experience Storrs Capt. and also lieut.-col. Page 54.

GEO. FIELD. Private; residence Woodbury; enlisted Jan. 1, 1777; term, war; Col. Zebulon Butler, Capt. Robertson's co., 1st Conn. regt. Page 364.

GEO. FIELD. Private; May 31, 1777; term, war; 8th regt. Stoddars' co., Col. John Chandlers, 1777-81. Page 234.

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ICHABOD FIELDS. Private, town of Guilford; Col. Canfield's militia regt., Sept., 1781. Page 582.

JAMES FIELDS. Private, Col. Herman Swift's regt., 1783; enlisted Dec., 1780 to Dec., 1781. List of non-commissioned officers and privates. Page 369.

JOHN FIELD. Age 81; town of Cheshire, New Haven Co. Census of pensioners, 1840. Page 660.

JAMES FIELD. Fifer; paid from Dec. 18, 1780 to Dec. 31, 1781. List of non-commissioned officers and privates. Capt. Comstock's co., 5th regt., Lieut.-Col. Com'dt. Isaac Sherman. Page 345.

JAMES FIELDS. Private; residence Woodbury; Capt. Elijah Chapman's co., Feb. 1, 1783; enlisted Dec., 1781; term, 3 years; Col. Herman Swift. Page 363.

JOSEPH FIELD. Private; town Norfolk; Col. Canfield's militia regt., Sept., 1781. Page 583.

LUKE FIELD. Private, Capt. Hand's co., Col. Talcott's regt. The men were enlisted March 22 for service in the New York expedition, and discharged April 18, 1776. Page 388.

LUKE FIELD. Private, 2d co., Capt. Andrew Ward, also lieut.-col., Col. David Woosters, 1775; discharged north dep't, Nov. 16, 1775. Page 39.

JOHN FIELDS. Capt. James Peck's co., Col. (corporal) Roger Enos' battalion, Sept. 17, 1777. Page 615.

JOHN FIELDS. Residing in New Haven county, Conn.; pensioner of 1832. Page 654.

OLIVER FIELDS. Private; paid from Dec. 23, 1780 to Dec. 31, 1781. List of non-commissioned officers and privates. Capt. Comstock's co., 5th regt., Lieut.-Col. Com'dt. Isaac Sherman. Page 345.

PARDON FIELD. Private; residing in New York. Pensioner of 1818. Page 642.

PRESERVED FIELD. Private; June 3, 1780; town of Wethersfield; sandy hair and eyes; by trade tailor; 5 ft. 5 in. in stature; dark complexion; discharged for Wm. Morrison, April 6, 1779; Col. Sheldon's light dragoons, 1777-83, 4th troop. Page 278.

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TIMOTHY FIELD. Lieut., 7th regt. of militia, Col. Wm. Worthington, 1780. Page 561.

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TIMOTHY FIELD. Sergeant; town of Guilford; 5 days' service, for relief of Boston in Lexington alarm, 1775. Page 12.

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ABNER FIELD. Private; July, 1778; on duty at Pawtuxet, under Col. Benj. Arnold. (R. I. Historical Society military papers.) Page 89.

JACOB FIELD. Private, under pay abstract of Capt. John Whipple's co., in Lieut.-Col. Commandant Geo. Peck's regt., doing duty on R. I. in March, 1781. (Providence town papers, No. 2526.) Page 110.

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PETER FIELD. Same as Jacob.

WILLIAM FIELD, of Pennganset. Fortifications made (Fort Independence) upon the hill southward of his house. Portion of the ancient dwelling is still standing to mark the spot where Thomas Field builded more than two centuries ago. The construction of this was superintended by Capt. Bernard Eddy, and his bill to the town for labor was made up by the following items: Town of Providence to Bernard Eddy. Nov. 20, 1775, to 1½ days work; Wm. Field and 2 hands and his team at 12s. per day—18s, etc. Page 62-64.

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Official Roster State Troops and Militia. Under privates: Field, Benjamin, Middlesex; Field, Dennis, Middlesex; Field, Elnathan; Field, Hendrick; Field, Jeremiah B., Middlesex; Field, John, Middlesex; Field, John B., Middlesex; Field, Jonathan, Middlesex; Field, Richard, Middlesex; Field, Richard R.; Field, Seth, Capt. Maxwell's co., 2d regt., Hunterdon; Field, Thomas, Capt. Fisler's co., Gloucester, also Continental army; Field, William Morris. Page 592.

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CHAS. FIELD. Private. Non-commissioned officers and privates in Col. Stephen Moylan's 4th regt. light dragoons in service of the U. S. Riding master, Wm. Thompson; trumpet major, Christian Coon; Pa. 7th regt. of cavalry, 1777-1783. Page 131, vol. XI.

JOHN FIELD. Scull's co.; taken Nov. 16, 1776; resided in Botetourt Co., Va., in 1792; 3d Pa. battalion, Col. John Shee. Vol. X., page 114.

JOHN FIELD. Capt. John Davis's co.; 7 mo. men; 9th Pa., Continental line. Vol. X., page 699.

JOHN FIELD. List of soldiers of the Revolution. Vol. XIII., page 69.

JOHN FIELD. Private; Sept. 25, 1778, 8th class; Lieut. Henry Meyer's co., Phil. militia, Wm. Bradford, col. Vol. XIII., page 688.

JOHN FIELD. App. Feb. 4, 1781, sergeant, Capt. John Geyer's co., 3d regt. of foot, Major Richard Salter. Vol. XIII., page 776.

JOHN FIELD. A servant to J. Knight. Non-associators in lower Milford township. Vol. XIV., page 226.

NATHAN FIELD. Married man. Non-associators in lower Wakefield township. Vol. XIV., page 237.

NEWBERT FIELD. Non-associators in Bristol borough and township. Vol. XIV., page 218.

PETER FIELD. Sept. 1, 1781; Capt. Geo. Taylor's co., 1st regt. of foot, commanded by David Reese. Vol. XIII., page 787.

SAMUEL FIELDS. May 14, 1778; 1st lieut., Capt. Philip Matthew's 4th co., 4th battallion, Col. Samuel Lyon. Vol. XIV., page 413.

THOMAS FIELDS. Sergeant, Darby; taken Nov. 16, 1776; 5th Pa. battalion, Col. Robert Magaw, Capt. John Richardson's co. Vol. X., page 162.

THOMAS FIELDS. Private. Non-commissioned officers and privates. 6th Pa., Continental line. Vol. X., page 597.

WM. FIELDS. Act of Feb. 25, 1813. Pension list. Vol. XI., page 761.

WM. FIELDS. Age, 21; 5 ft. 3¾ in. tall; farmer; born in England; enlisted April 16, 1777; private; roll of 7th co., Capt. Isaac Sweeny, Lieut. Septimus Davis. Vol. XI., page 265.

WM. FIELD. Non-associators in Buckingham township. Vol. XIV., page 219.

WM. FIELDS. Private; sick; Trenton; a return of Capt. John——— co. of 6th Pa. regt., commanded by Lieut-Col. Josiah Harmar, Sept. 9, 1778. Vol. XV., page 460.

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Names.	Rank.	Annual Allowance.	Sums Received.	Description of Service.	When Placed on Pension Rolls.	Commencement of Pension.	Age.	Laws under which they were formerly inscribed on the Pension Roll, and Remarks.	State and County under which Found.
Thomas Fields	General's Mate	$ 45.00	$ 112.50	Mass. State	Dec. 10, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	75		Kennebec Co., Me.
John Fields	Private	96.00	962.60	Mass. Contl. line	Nov. 29, 1819	April 7, 1818	70	Dropped under act May 1, 1820. Restored commencing Dec. 20, 1824	Merrimack Co., N. H.
James Field	Private	96.00	1,529.06	Mass. line	April 8, 1819	April 1, 1818	80		Bristol Co., Mass.
Abiezer Field	Private	22.33	66.99	Mass. Militia	Mar. 7, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	72		Bristol Co., Mass.
Zebulon Field	Musician	69.66	209.98	Mass. State troops	Mar. 16, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	74		Bristol Co., Mass.
Samuel Field	Private	24.43	61.08	Mass. Militia	June 6, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	78		Franklin Co., Mass.
Samuel Field	Private	80.00	240.00	Mass. Contl. line					Hampshire Co., Mass.
Daniel Field	Private	20.00	60.00	Mass. Militia	Nov. 30, 1832	Mar. 4, 1831	76		Plymouth Co., Mass.
Barzilla Field	Private	29.00	87.00	Mass. Militia	July 22, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	72		Plymouth Co., Mass.
John Field	Sergeant	96.00	1,026.40	Mass. Contl. line	Mar. 31, 1819	April 24, 1818	74	Died Jan. 2, 1829	Providence Co., R. I.
Lemuel Field	Ser. and Ens.	140.00	420.00	R. I. Militia	Sept. 28, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	84		Providence Co., R. I.
Edmond Field	Private	96.00	181.03	Conn. line	April 24, 1818	April 16, 1818		Dropped under act May 1, 1820	New Haven Co., Conn.
John Fields	Private	66.66	199.98	Conn. line	Dec. 11, 1832	Mar. 4, 1831	75		New Haven Co., Conn.
Joseph Field	Private	32.00	568 00	29th Regt. U. S. Inf.	June 14, 1816	June 3, 1815		Invalid acts, military establishment	Rutland Co., Vt.
George Fields	Private	96.00	1,523.16	Conn. line	May 8, 1818	April 23, 1818	73		Bennington Co., Vt.
Josua Field	Private	20.00	50.00	N. H. Militia	April 19, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	88		Rutland Co., Vt.
John Fields	Sergeant	60.00	180.00	N. C. Contl. line	Jan. 24, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	81		Rockingham Co., N. C.
Henry Field	Private	96.00	484.12	Virginia line	Feb. 10, 1819	May 12, 1818	74	Died May 27, 1823	Bullitt Co., Ky.
Joseph Fields	Private	96.00	577.03	Maryland line	Mar. 19, 1823	Mar. 1, 1823	78	Transferred from Indiana, March 7, 1828, commencing March 4, 1828	Washington Co., Ky.
Simon Fields	Private	96.00	156.94	Va. Contl. line	Mar. 29, 1831	Mar. 26, 1831	77	Died	Ohio, county unknown.
John Field	Private	96.00	147.09	Virginia line	Dec. 1, 1818	Aug. 24, 1818	68	Suspended under act May 1, 1820	Jefferson Co., Ind.
James Field	Private	96.00	176.47	Conn. line	May 20, 1820	May 2, 1818	55		Niagara Co., N. Y.
John Field	Private	51.66	.....	Mass. Militia	May 6, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	75		Oneida Co., N. Y.
Icabod Field	Private	36.66	119.98	Conn. Militia	Mar. 26, 1834	Mar. 4, 1831	70		Tomkins Co., N. Y.
Benjamin Field	Private	50.00	150.00	N. J. Militia	Aug. 17, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	78	1753	Middlesex Co., N. J.
Jeremiah B. Field	Private	80.00	240.00	N. J. Militia	Aug. 17, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	82	1749	Middlesex Co., N. J.
John B. Field	Private	80.00	240.00	N. J. Militia	July 6, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	79	1752	Middlesex Co., N. J.
Richard R. Field	Private	80.00	240.00	N. J. Militia	July 6, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	78		Middlesex Co., N. J.
Dennis Field	Private	80.00	240.00	N. J. Militia	July 6, 1833	Mar. 4, 1831	72		Middlesex Co., N. J.
Hendrick Field	Private	80.00	240.00		Aug. 17, 1833	Mar. 4, 1818	84		Somerset Co., N. J.
George Fields	Private	96.00	950.40	Maryland line	June 30, 1818	April 11, 1818	80		Montgomery Co., Md.

CENSUS OF U. S. PENSIONERS, 1840.

Names.	Towns.	Counties and State.	Age.	Names of Families with whom resided June 1, 1840.
Rachel Field	Greenwood	Oxford Co., Me.	88	Paul Winthworth.
Ruby Field	Paris	Oxford Co., Me.	81	Galen Field.
John Fields	Merrimack	Hillsborough Co., N. H.	84	John H. Colburn.
Seth Field	Brookfield	Worcester Co., Mass.	79	Seth Field.
Zepporah Field	Providence (city), 5th Ward	Providence Co., R. I.	77	Zepporah Field.
Lucy Field	North Providence	Providence Co., R. I.	75	Lucy Field.
Edward Field (Mary)	Waterbury	New Haven Co., Conn	62	Edward Field.
Dennis Field	Piscataway	Middlesex Co., N. J.	79	Dennis Field.
Benjamin Field	Piscataway	Middlesex Co., N. J.	77	Michael Field.
Hendrick Field	Bedminster	Somerset Co., N. J	88	Hendrick Field.
Joseph Coughran	No town given	Vermillion Co., Ill	74	William Fields.

FIELD FAMILY IN ENGLAND.

1. ROGER DEL FIELD, b. Sowerby, England, about 1240; m. —— ——. He was descended from Sir Hubertus De la Feld and the head of the family which settled in Lancaster and Kent counties, England. Res. Sowerby, England.

2. i. RICHARD, b. about 1276; m. —— ——.

3. ii. THOMAS, b. about 1278; m. —— ——.

2. RICHARD DE FELD (Roger), b. about 1276, in Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. The existing rolls of Wakefield Manor commence in 1284, but are very imperfect until 1306. A roll endorsed 1272 and called first roll, is a mistake for first of Edward II., and, therefore, 1307. The first entry in them relating to the Field family is in 1306, and refers to a suit of Richard del Feld, of Sowerby, against Robert, son of William de Saltonstall. In 1308 Richard de Feld served as a juror, being described in the entry as son of Roger del Feld. Throughout the part of the Wakefield rolls referred to in this book the name is written "ffeld." These two small letters then stood for the capital one, which we now use. Osgood Field says, "very probably Richard and Thomas were brothers." Res. Sowerby, England.

4. i. ADAM, b. 1299; m. —— ——.

3. THOMAS DEL FELD (Roger), b. Sowerby, England, about 1278; m. —— ——. He was of Sowerby, a juror in 1307. Named in the Wakefield rolls in 1314, and also in 1322, when he was at "Halifax Court." Res. Sowerby, England.

5. i. JOHN, b. 1300; m. —— ——.

6. ii. ADAM, b. ——. He was of Sowerby. Named in the rolls in 1349, and then called "son of Thomas de Feld." Mentioned again in 1393.

4. ADAM DEL FELD (Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1299; m. —— ——. In 1333 the name of Adam del Feld appears in the Wakefield Manor rolls, and in 1336 he is spoken of as holding a house and twelve acres in Sowerby, when he was called a son of Richard del Feld. This Adam is mentioned in these rolls several times in the next fourteen years, and in 1349 he was elected greave of Sowerby. This was the chief officer of a graveship. He died shortly after, for the entry in 1350 states that he died 1349-50. Res. Sowerby, England.

7. i. THOMAS, JR., b. 1329; m. Matilda ——.

5. JOHN DEL FELD (Thomas, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1300; m. —— He was named in the Wakefield Manor rolls in 1326, 1334 and in 1336, when he had land at Sowerby. Called "son of Thomas del Feld." Res. Sowerby, England.

8. i. THOMAS, JR., b. 1330; m. Annabelle ——.

7. THOMAS DEL FELD, JR. (Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1329; m. Matilda ——. He paid heriot in 1350 on a house and twelve acres at Sowerby, "after the death of Adam, his father." He had a dispute in 1357 with Richard de Leighrod. In 1361 he surrendered to the lord a house and sixteen acres at Sowerby, and took back the same with "Matilda, his wife," paying ingress. In 1370 Isabella, daughter of Richard de Leghrode, deceased, took land from him. Referred to in the rolls in 1384, and in 1391.

Thomas del Feld paid heriot on a house and twelve acres in Sowerby "after

the death of his father, Adam." Heriot is a fine or tax paid to the lord of a manor by a person when inheriting property in it.

About the same time there was another Adam del Feld at Sowerby, who is named in the rolls in 1349, and called then "son of Thomas del Feld." Whether he is the Adam mentioned in them in 1393 the writer is unable to state. There were also two Thomas del Felds at Sowerby who were contemporaneous, and often distinguished in the rolls as senior and junior, but not always so. The land ceded to Isabella de Leghrode in 1370 was called "Todehoile."

In 1369 Thomas del Feld surrendered, and John, son of William Milner, took the half of a house and land described as "the Langeroide, in Sowerby in Westfelde. In the following year this same Thomas ceded a piece of land in Ribburnsdene (Ripponden) to Henry Pigle. He is probably the "Thomas Feld" who together with his wife is assessed in the Lay subsidy roll for the West Riding of Yorkshire, under the head of "Sowerby" in the second of Richard III. (1378-79). Res. Sowerby, England.

9. i. JOHN, b. 1359; m. —— ——.

10. ii. RICHARD, b. ——; m. —— ——.

11. iii. AGNES, b. ——; d. unm. before 1397.

12. iv. ALICE, b. ——. She paid heriot on fifteen acres and one-half a house in Sowerby "after the death of her sister, Agnes," in 1397. It is supposed that this estate was owned jointly by the two sisters, and that it is the same one which was in possession of Thomas, Jr. and his wife, Matilda, in 1361, from whom it passed to their son John, and was inherited from him in 1393 by his brother Richard, who was the brother of these ladies. This is all the more probable, as we find an entry in 1508, that this property had been in possession of William Felde, who was the nephew of Alice and Agnes, and the property was then conveyed to the use of his widow.

8. THOMAS DEL FELD (John, Thomas, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1330; m. Annabelle ——. He was named in the rolls in 1364 and was elected this year to supervise the "agistment and pannage." Constable of Sowerby in 1365, and greave there in 1370. He hired Sowerby mill in 1380 with Thomas de Helilee, and was a special juror in 1384. In 1370 he took a piece of land of Thomas Wade, in "Dedewyferode," and I think later went to Bradford.

The name of Thomas del Feld occurs frequently in the Wakefield rolls between 1348 and 1391, without the addition of senior or junior, so that it is impossible to say which one is referred to in these entries. Both senior and junior are mentioned in 1384, after which date there is but one entry, in 1391, when the name is simply Thomas del Feld. Probably both senior and junior died about this time. Others of the family mentioned in the lifetime of the two Thomases who cannot be placed with certainty, are Elena del Feld, in 1329 and in 1333, and Margaret, who paid heriot in 1357 on a cottage and land in Sowerby, "after the death of John Tomson, her uncle." She is called daughter of Thomas del Feld, but of which I am unable to state. He d. about 1391. Res. Sowerby and Bradford, England.

13. i. THOMAS, b. 1360; m. Isabel ——.

9. JOHN DEL FELD (Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1359; m. —— ——. He may have been the eldest son—but I think not. He had had possession at one time of the house and sixteen acres at Sowerby, which belonged to his father. He d. about 1393. Res. Sowerby, England.

14. i. JOHN, b. 1383; m. —— ——.

10. RICHARD DEL FELD (Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England ——; m. —— ——. Richard del Feld is referred to in the rolls no less than twenty-three times between 1393 and 1454 inclusive. He must have lived to a good old age, and died about the last date. It was during Richard's lifetime that the prefix "del" was dropped from the family name—the wars with France having made such adjuncts unpopular. The single name of Feld appears in 1412 in the rolls for the first time. After that date it is sometimes preceded by "del," and occasionally by "de" until 1446, which is the latest time at which we meet with either of these in the records referred to.

Richard Feld was chosen greave of Sowerby in 1423 and 1428. Probably the deed of 1454 to his sons was executed by him in anticipation of his immediate death. He d. about 1454. Res. Sowerby, England.

15. i. ROBERT, b. ——. In 1427 and 1428 the name of Robert Feld occurs in the rolls, and in the entry of the latter year he is called "son of Richard." Quite likely he was the same Robert Feld who was elected constable of Warley in 1433, as this place is only two or three miles from Sowerby. He had a son Richard, to whom his grandfather of the same name gave, in 1454, the remainder to a house and twenty-three acres "between Feldhouseloyne (Fieldhouse lane) on the highway of Ribbornedeyne on the south," which was then conveyed to the use of his uncle William for twenty-four years.

16. ii. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.

17. iii. THOMAS, b. ——. Thomas Feld, son of Richard, who is named in the conveyance of 1440, is not again mentioned in the rolls. It is supposed from this that he either died young or left the neighborhood.

18. iv. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Mabill ——.

19. v. GEORGE, b. ——.

13. THOMAS DEL FELDE (Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. 1360; m. Isabel ——. On the 12th of March, 1429 "Thomas del Felde de Bolton" made his will, leaving to his wife, Isabel, all his lands and tenants "in villa and tertory de Bynglay" for life, remainder to his heirs. After the death of "Anabelle my mother" his son Robert is to have his lands "in villa and tertory of Bradford," and if Robert die without issue, remainder to William, his brother. He d. 1429. Res. Bradford, England.

20. i. ROBERT, b. ——.

21. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Katherine ——.

14. JOHN FELD (John, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England, 1383; m. 1412 ——; d. prob. 1423. This branch of the family was seated in Normanton and East Ardsley, within a short distance of Wakefield, and near the neighboring town of Bradford. All these were of the same family originally, as the Fields, of Sowerby. Most of the places referred to were within a radius of ten or fifteen miles of that place. The first one mentioned in the Wakefield rolls at any of these localities was John Feld, of Normanton, who is referred to in 1412, and was no doubt the progenitor of those of the family who were residing near a little later. John was a juror in 1420, and he is named for the last time in 1423. He d. about 1423. Res. Normanton, England.

22. i. RICHARD, b. ——; m. —— ——.

16. JOHN FELD (Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. Besides Robert, Richard had three other sons as appears

by an entry in 1440, when he surrendered the house and land above referred to, which is described as being "between Dedewyfoclogh and Feldhouslone in Sowerby," to the use of John, son of said Richard, with remainder to Thomas and William, brothers of John. This last immediately re-conveyed the estate to his father Richard for life. John had a son Hugh. John was the first mentioned of the three brothers in 1440, and was again mentioned in 1443. He was a juror in 1445, was constable of Sowerby in 1449 and 1450. He was not living in 1468, as appears by an entry that year. Res. Sowerby, England.

23. i. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——; m. —— ——.

24. ii. HUGH, b. ——. He was granted remainder to the house and sixteen acres in 1508, when he was called "son of the late John Feld." In 1525 he let Feldhous to William Brig. He is again mentioned in the rolls in 1521 and 1525. He is not mentioned again and he probably died about this time without issue.

25. iii. JOHN, b. ——. In 1468 Christopher Feld surrendered the use of the house and twenty-three acres to John, his brother, and the four sisters for twelve years.

26. iv. ELENA, b. ——.

27. v. ISABELLA, b. ——.

28. vi. AGNES, b. ——.

29. vii. JOAN, b. ——.

18. WILLIAM FELD (Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. Mabill ——. William Feld was greave of Sowerby in 1476. Under date of 1508 there is an entry of the surrender of a house and sixteen acres, "formerly in tenure of William Felde de Soreby," "to the use of Mabill, widow of the said William Felde, remainder to Hugh, son of the late John Felde, remainder to George, brother of the said John." Res. Sowerby, England.

21. WILLIAM FELD (Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. possibly Bradford, England, ——; m. Katherine ——. Letters of administration granted his widow April 21, 1480. She was administratrix of the estate. He d. April, 1480. Res. Parish of Bradford, England.

30. i. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. —— ——.

31. ii. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.

22. RICHARD FELD (John, John, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. near Normanton, England; m. —— ——. He was constable at Normanton in 1436. His wife is mentioned in the records in 1446-47-49-50, and as she was not called widow then it is presumed he was living. He d. April, 1450. Res. Normanton, England.

32. i. RICHARD, b. ——; m. —— ——.

23. CHRISTOPHER FELD (John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. In 1468 Christopher, son of John Felde, gave heriot on a house and twenty-three acres, between Dedewyfeclogh and Feldehouseloyne, after the death of his father, John. He immediately surrendered the same to the use of John, his brother, and to Elena, Isabella, Agnes and Johne (Joan), their sisters, for twelve years. In 1471 Margaret de Felde, at the Overfeldhouse, was fined for encroaching on the waste. The fact of there being a Field House lane in 1440 implies the existence at that time of a Field house, while this last entry shows that there were at the date of it—1471—two buildings of that name, an upper and a lower Field house. The latter is referred to in 1500, when there was a conveyance of land to Christopher Field between Feldhousloyne, the land of Christopher Feld and Netherfeldhous. Probably one of these is the edifice referred to hereafter,

which was pulled down in the early part of this century. Christopher Felde, who paid heriot in 1468, was elected greave of Sowerby in 1487. He is named in the rolls in 1494 and 1500, and was dead in 1509, when John, described as son of Christopher Felde, Sowerby, paid heriot for house and twenty-three and one-half acres between Dedewyfeclough and Feldehousloyne after the death of Christopher, his father. He was dead in 1509. Res. Sowerby, England.

33. i. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.
34. ii. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Margaret ——.

30. WILLIAM FELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Bradford, England; m. —— ——. Res. East Ardsley, England.

35. i. RICHARD, b. ——; m. Elizabeth ——.
35½. ii. THOMAS, b. ——. Thomas Felde, supervisor of his brother Richard's will in 1542. In 1545 he is assessed for lands in East Ardsley. His brother Richard refers to him in his will, "Mr. Thomas Felde, my brother."
36. iii. JOHN, b. about 1519; m. —— ——.

31. JOHN FELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Bradford, England, ——; m. —— ——. Res. Bradford, England.

37. i. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.

32. RICHARD FELD (Richard, John, John, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Normanton, England; m. —— ——. He was constable of "Endeslawe" (Ardsley) in 1484. Res. Ardsley, England.

33. JOHN FELDE (Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. John inherited the house and twenty-three and one-half acres in 1509. He was constable of Sowerby in 1513 and 1514. He was dead in 1520. Res. Sowerby, England.

38. i. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——; m. Grace Gradeheighe.
39. ii. JOHN, b. ——; m. Elizabeth ——.
40. iii. JAMES, b. ——; m. —— ——.
41. iv. ROBERT, b. ——; m. Agnes ——.

34. THOMAS FELDE (Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. Margaret ——. Thomas, in 1492, took the waste land lying near a road in Sowerby, called Feldhousloyne, when he is described as son of Christopher Felde, and in 1494 he again took similar land. At this time there was much uncultivated land in England, which was called waste. His name does not occur after this until 1527, when he surrendered a tract of land "taken from the waste by the said Thomas," and he made a like surrender in 1530. He was dead in 1534, as appears by an entry in that year, when George Boethes and others surrender a house and land to the use of Margaret widow of Thomas Feld. He was dead in 1534. Res. Sowerby, England.

35. RICHARD FELDE (William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably East Ardsley, England; m. Elizabeth ——. Richard made his will Aug. 19, 1542, and it was proved Dec. 8, 1542. He describes himself as "husbandman of the parish of Ardeslowe," and desires his wife, Elizabeth, and John Felde, my son, have the take of the farmhold, and makes them executors. He adds "also I will that my children have their portion and that Mr. Thomas Felde, my brother, and Christopher Nowell be my supervisors." He d. December, 1542. Res. East Ardsley, England.

42. i. JOHN, b. about 1525; m. Jane Amyas.
43. ii. OTHER children.

37. JOHN FIELDE (John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably in Bradford, England; m. —— ——. He was supervisor of his son Thomas' will, dated Jan. 14, 1572-3. He was a juror for Horton in Barnard's survey, 1577. Res. Bradford, Parish of Horton, England.

44. i. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Anne ——.
45. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Jenet ——.

38. CHRISTOPHER FELD (John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. there, 1540, Grace Gradeheighe. In 1520 he paid heriot on four and one-half acres formerly taken from the waste after the decease of John, his father. This is a smaller estate than his brother John inherited, probably because he was the eldest. In 1531 the last named John Feld gave Christopher half the rent of the house and twenty-three acres, which had been leased in 1529 to Henry Ferror, describing his brother as his lawful heir. In 1539 Christopher surrendered the reversion, after his death, of half the rent of this house and land, to the use of John, son of Jacobus (James) Feld, which two were at this time Christopher's heirs. In the same year he gave heriot on land after the death of Elizabeth, his sister., i. e., sister-in-law. Up to the last date the Wakefield manor rolls have been almost the exclusive source of information relating to the family. The wills recorded hitherto have been few and far between, but at this time are becoming more frequent, and in 1538 parish registers began. Fortunately those of Halifax church exist from the beginning, which can be said of very few. One of the earliest entries in the register records the marriage of Christopher Fyld and Grace Gradeheighe in 1540. In the manor rolls there is an entry in 1554 of the surrender by Christopher Feld of two parts of four and one-half acres to the use of William, Alice and Elizabeth, his children. The name of the last was not found among extracts of baptisms from the Halifax registers, but as the entries are sometimes illegible, it may have been overlooked. This conveyance was probably made by Christopher in anticipation of his death, for in the same year—1554—his eldest son, Edward Felde, paid heriot. Res. Halifax Parish and Sowerby, England.

46. i. EDWARD, bap. 1541; m. Isabella Greenwood.
47. ii. JOHANNA, bap. 1543, at Halifax.
48. iii. ALICE, bap. 1544, at Halifax.
49. iv. GRACE, bap. 1545, at Halifax.
50. v. ELIZABETH, bap. ——; named in her father's deed, 1554.
51. vi. JOHN, bap. 1547; buried in 1547.
52. vii. WILLIAM, bap. 1548; m. Susan Midgley.

39. JOHN FELD (John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. Elizabeth ——; d. s. p. in 1534. In 1529 there was a proclamation concerning John Feld's land, formerly Christopher Feld's, and in the same year this John leased the house and twenty-three acres in Sowerby, between Dedewyfeclogh and Feldhousloyne, to Henry Ferror. In 1531 John Feld gave half the rent from Ferror for this property to Elizabeth, his wife, for life, and the other half to Christopher Felde, his lawful heir. This same Christopher paid heriot on land in 1534, after the death of Elizabeth, his sister, i. e., sister-in-law. From this it will be evident that John Feld must have been the son, and in all probability the eldest, of the person of the same name who was dead in 1520, and therefore the brother of Christopher, who paid heriot in this year, after the decease of John, his father. This is evident not only because we find the John we are referring to in possession, in 1529 and 1531, of the house and twenty-three acres, which Richard Feld surrendered to his son John in 1440, and which descended through him to the first Christopher in 1468, and then to his son John in 1509, but

also because the John we are speaking of calls Christopher his lawful heir in 1531, and more than all, because the last named styles John's wife Elizabeth, his sister, whom he paid heriot in 1534, after her death. The presumption is that her husband was also dead then and that they died childless. He was dead in 1534. Res., s. p., Sowerby, England.

40. JAMES FELD (John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. A Jacobus (James) Feld took of the waste in 1514, and he and Christopher are named together in the rolls in 1530. In 1534 this James surrendered land to John, Edward and Robert, his sons. Probably James was a brother of John and Christopher, and this is the more likely inasmuch as an entry in 1539 says that the last named surrendered the reversion to half the rent of the twenty-three acres leased to Henry Ferror in 1529 to the use of John, son of Jacobus (James) Feld. Res. Sowerby, England.

53. i. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.

54. ii. EDWARD, b. ——. He is not mentioned in the rolls after 1534.

55. iii. ROBERT, b. ——. He is no doubt the one of that name referred to in 1561, and also in an entry under 1594, which states that Robert Wade made a gift to Halifax free schole (school) from lands formerly Robert Feilde's.

41. ROBERT FELDE (John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. 1460; m. Agnes ——.

The villages of Crofton and Sandal adjoin. They are both in the manor of Wakefield, and some two or three miles from the town of that name. About the same distance northeast of Crofton is Normanton, where John Feld was residing from 1412 to 1423. Between these two places lies the parish of Warmfield, in which another John Feld was living in 1514-15, at a place called Sharlston, in Warmfield. A very few years later we find persons of the name at Crofton and Sandal, which looks as if the descendants of John, of Normanton, had spread themselves to these two villages through the intervening parish of Warmfield.

Before proceeding further the author would say that at Sandal stood the famous castle of that name, which was the chief seat of the manor from an early period, and often the abode of royalty. During the civil wars it was besieged and captured by the Parliamentary forces in 1645, and destroyed shortly after, so that only its ruins remain. At the period of which the auther is writing Sandal was a more important place than Crofton, and it is not improbable that residents of the latter and neighborhood should be sometimes described as "of Sandal." It is, therefore, unlikely that the Robert, of the manor rolls, and he of the subsidy roll, were not the same individual, but father and son. As we get on a difficulty arises in tracing the relationship of the different members of this branch of the family, from the frequent occurrence of this name and that of Christopher, and the author would remark here, that both of these were very common about this time among the Fields of Sowerby.

In the Wakefield manor rolls, under the head of Sandal, there is a reference in 1520 to lands formerly in the tenure of Robert Felde and Agnes, his wife; and in the subsidy roll of the fifteenth Henry VII. (1523-4) "Robert Feylde" and "William Feylde" are assessed under the head of Crofton.

He d. before 1520. Res. Sandal, England.

56. i. ROBERT, b. ——; m. —— ——.

57. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. —— ——.

58. iii. CHARLES, b. ——.

59. iv. ALICE, b. ——.
60. v. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——; m. Elizabeth ——.
61. vi. NICHOLAS, b. ——.

42. JOHN FIELD (Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. about 1525, East Ardsley, England; m. 1560, Jane Amyas, dau. of John; d. Aug. 30, 1609. He d. May, 1587. Res. Ardislawe, England.

John Felde has been styled "the proto-Copernican of England, inasmuch as he was the first to make known in that country by his writings the discoveries of this remarkable man, who delayed for a long time the publication of his famous work, "De Orbium Coelestium Revolutionibus," on account of the opposition and persecution to be feared from persons who considered its teachings opposed to those of the Bible. Although completed in 1530, it was not printed till 1543, when its author was on his death-bed. Works based on the new system (which revolutionized the science of astronomy) by Rheticus and Reinhold had appeared in Germany a few years earlier, but the "Ephemeris" of John Field for 1557 which was published in that year, was the first opportunity afforded the people of England of becoming acquainted with the true motions of the heavenly bodies. In the following year he issued a similar work, calculated for 1558, 1559, 1560. Probably these were not his only publications, but no others have come down to us, and only two copies of these are known to exist, the British Museum and Bodleian Library, at Oxford, each possessing both works.

John Field was born probably between 1510 and 1520. It could not have been much after the last date, as he was co-executor of his father's will in 1542. Wood, the historian of Oxford University, claims that he belonged to that sect of learning, which is not improbable, as his writings show that he had received a good classical education. It has been impossible to find anything of him anywhere from the date of his father's will, 1542, to the publication of his first "Ephemeris," 1557, when he was residing in London, where he may have and quite likely did pass the fourteen years intervening. A portion of the time he, not improbably, spent abroad, and no doubt acquired in Germany his knowledge of, and zeal for, the new theories, which he promulgated afterward in his native land.

By a patent, dated Sept. 4, 1558, the heralds formerly recognized his right to the family arms; Sable, a chevron between three garbs argent, and at the same time they granted to him the following crest: A dexter arm issuing out of clouds fesseways proper, habited gules, holding in the hand, also proper, a sphere or. This appropriate crest may be considered a recognition of his services to the cause of astronomy.

We assume that it was about 1560 that he married Jane, daughter of John Amyas, of Kent, as she is described in the Herald's visitation of Yorkshire in 1584-85. Mr. Hunter in an article referred to elsewhere, says that he had searched in vain for genealogical information in Kent without discovering anything of this lady, or her family. This failure is easily explained by the fact that the Amyas was not a Kentish, but a Yorkshire name. The family had been seated in the immediate neighborhood of Ardsley from a early date. In all probability John Amyas removed from there to Kent, and possibly his wife's family belonged to that county. As far back as the first of Edward I. the tolls of Wakefield manor were let to John de Amyas for £100 a year. His daughter, Matilda, married John Waterton, of Walton, whose family has been for centuries one of the most distinguished of that neighborhood. The Amyas's were seated for generations at Sandal, Harbury and Thornhill, all of which are within half a dozen miles of East Ardsley, where John Field resided. There is no question but he chose a wife among his

neighbors and friends. On Oct. 29, 1481, the rector of Methley had license to marry John Amias, of Thornhill, and Margaret Medley. Robert Amyas was instituted vicar of Peniston, May 24, 1498. Hunter, the historian of South Yorkshire, says that he was of the Sandal family. There are two shields carved at the end of stalls in Sandal church—one with the Percy arms impaling first and fourth Frost and second and third Amyas—the last coat being on a bend three roses. The other has also the Percy arms impaling Amyas. Above is the inscription "Orate pro bono statu Joselyng Pyrcy Armegery."

Joselyn Percy was fourth son of the fourth Earl of Northumberland, and married Margaret, only child of William Frost, of Beverly and Featherston. This lady inherited from her father lands in Sandal and elsewhere. Jocelyn Percy died in 1532, and his father-in-law, Frost, in 1529. We learn by the inquisition post mortem on this Jocelyn, held at Wakefield, the year of his death, that Frost's wife was Ann Ranson. She was probably the second one, and the first, and mother of Margaret, an Amyas. The parish registers of Roystone, which is some five miles south of Sandal, began in 1558. There are several entries in the earlier part which relate to persons by the name of Amyas, as, for instance, the burial of Elizabeth Amyas in 1569, and the baptism of "Beatris" Amyas in 1585. Probably John Field returned to East Ardsley not long after his marriage. We find him there at the time of the Herald's visitation of Yorkshire, in 1584-5, when he recorded the names of his wife and children, but for some reason, which the writer cannot explain, did not give the names of his ancestors, not even that of his father.

John Field, of East Ardsley, co-executor of his father's will, had the family arms confirmed, and a crest granted to him Sept. 4, 1558. The Herald's visitation of Yorkshire, 1585, records the names of himself, wife and children. His will, dated Dec. 28, 1586, was proved May 3, 1587.

Jane, daughter of John Amyas, of Kent, executrix of her husband's will. Her own is dated July 17, 1609. Buried at East Ardsley, Aug. 3, 1609.

Although John Field was one of the most distinguished pioneers in the cause of science of whom England can boast, his memory has been almost entirely and unjustly neglected by his countrymen, and even in astronomical circles his is hardly, or not at all known. For further information in relation to him the reader is referred to Gentleman's Magazine, May, 1834, to an article by Rev. Joseph Hunter, and November, 1862, to an article by Osgood Field.

Will of John Field, the Astronomer.—In the name of God Amen the xxxiith day of december a thousand fyve hundreth eyghtie sixe Anno Regine Dne nre Elizabeth Regina viscessimo nono, I John Feld of Ardeslowe in the Countie of York farmer sometymes studente in the mathy mathicales sciences, beinge weake and feble in bodie but of good and pfect memorie laud and prayse be unto Almyghtie God, do make, ordeyne and declare this my psent testament conteyninge therein my last will in maner and forme followinge, that is to say:

First and principallie I bequeathe and comende my soule unto Almightie God my Creator and to his dearlie beloved sonne Jesus Christ my onelie Saviour and Redemer, in whome and by the merritts of whose most precious deathe and glorious passion, resurrection and assencon I hope and stedfastlie beleve to have full and cleare remission, pdone and forgivenes of all my synes and offences. And my bodie to the earthe to be buried wthin the pshe church porche* of Ardeslowe where I am now a prsheoner.

Itm I will that all suche debts and somes of money whatsoever as I shalbe indetted in, or owe of Right by bound obligatorie, bill or conscience unto any psone

* Jane, widow of John Field, in her will, dated 1609, desire "my bodie to be buried by my husband, John Feild, in Ardslaw church porch."

or psons at the tyme of my decease shalbe well and trulie answered, satisfied and paid by my executrix hereafter named.

Itm whereas I do stand bound unto John Franklyne of little chart in the Countie of Kent, esquier, by my deed obligatorie in the some of two, or three hundrethe pounds wth condicon that yt God do calle me out of the world before my wyfe Jane Feild, that then I shall leave her the said Jane worthe the some of one hundrethe poundes at the least in money plait, household stute or other shattalles as by the condicon of the said obligacon mor at large yet dothe and shall appeare. In consideracon whereof as well in pformance of the same condicon of the same obligacon as also for divers other good causes and consideracons me nowe movinge. I do give unto the said Jane Feild my wife my whole intrest title and farmehold lease or leases and terme of yeares wch I now have, or shall have hereafter of my farmehold wherein I nowe dwell. And the water corne mylne belonginge to the same, wth all the houses, buyldinges, lands, tenements, pfytts and hereditaments whatsoever wth all and singular their appurtenances to the same belonginge, or in any wyse appteyninge, as I nowe the said John Feild enjoyeth the same wth the moytie or one half of all my moveable goodes, as oxen, kyne, yonge beastes, cattalles, horses, meares, colts and calves and the moytie, or one halte of all my said moveable goodes, as gucke or dead whatsoever. And also the moytie or one halfe of all my corne nowe in the barne and growinge on the ground nowe sowne, wth the moytie of my hay. Also I give unto her all my goodes wthin my bed Chamber wherein I nowe lye, wth all household stufe and furniture wthin the same Chamber to her propr use for ever. And the said Jane to have and to hold the said farmehold her naturall lyfe yff the said lease, or leases so long contynewe. And yf yt it fortune her to dye before the ende of the same lease, or leases be expired then my will is that she shall bye her will and testament in writinge, or otherwise disposse the same her intrest and possession of my said farmehold to some such one of my child, or children as to her wisdome shall best be licked of.

Itm I do gyve to James Feild and Martyne Feild my two yongest sonnes all my plate and Jewelles of gould and sylver equallie to be divided betwixt them wth eyther of them a bedstead wth the furnitur, havinge a fetherbed, blanketts, sheets, and counterpayntes to the same.

Itm I do gyve unto fyve hundrethe poure folkes peny dole, and dynynge all my poure neighboures, the day of my burial, as shortlie after as may be.

Itm I do give to all my god children twelve pence apece at my wyfes discrecon.

Itm I do give to my cosine Nowell and Xpofer his sonne some cott or dublatt at my wyfes discrecon.

Itm to Willm Medley some hose or cott at her discrecon.

Itm I do give to my gossoppe Willm Shereley and Rowland of the newe pke my huntinge horne wth the rest pteyninge to yt, wth an Inglishe booke at my wyfes discrecon.

Itm I do give to my maid Alice Butler and to my mam John Hill, yf he please and be obedient and serviceable to my wyfe, attendinge my svice trulie some such like consideration and remembrance as shall seame good to my wyfe's discrecon.

Itm I do give to my dislyall and loose lyved sonne Richard Feild one sylver spoone in full payment and satisfacon of his child's porcon wth wch yf he be not satisfied I will he lose the benefytt of the same.

The Rest and Residue of all my goodes whatsoever, my debts paid and my funerall expences discharged, I give and bequeath the residue to my eight children, to be bestowed upon them equalie at the discrecon of my wyfe at such tymes and sessons as they shalbe thought sufficient by their good mother to order and disposes

the same with the consent of my supervisors of this my last will and testament hereafter to be named.

Itm I do ordeyne and applynt the said Jane Feild my true and lawfull wife to be my sole executrix of this my last will and testament and do nominate for my supvisoures Roberte Greenwood, gentleman, and Roberte Abbott of Bentley, tanner, wth Mr. Wm. Dyneley of Swillington to be supervisors of this my last will and testament, pratinge them and everie of them to pforme the speciall trust I have reposed in them, to see the same executed accordinge to my conscience and my true meanynge of the same.

In witnes whereof I the said John Feild to this my psent last will and testament have sett my hand and seale the day and yeare above written.

These beinge witnesses and sealed and delived in the psence of me John Naler, John Adamsone.

Proved May 3, 1587.

62. i. RICHARD, b. 1563. Richard Field, aged 22, in 1585, disinherited by his father. He had a daughter, Mary, in 1609; not then 21. Mentioned in the will of her grandmother, Jane.

63. ii. JOHN, b. 1568; m. —— ——.

64. iii. MATTHEW, b. 1563; m. Margaret ——.

65. iv. CHRISTOPHER, b. 1565. Christopher Field and John Feild, his brother, not named in their mother's will; probably went away from home.

66. v. THOMAS, b. 1572; named in his mother's will; called third son.

67. vi. WILLIAM, b. 1570; m. Mrs. Jane (Sotwell) Burdette.

68. vii. JAMES, b. 1574; named in both his father's and mother's will.

69. viii. MARTIN, b. 1577; named in both his father's and mother's wills.

70. ix. ANNE, b. 1580; prob. d. young, but named in her mother's will.

44. THOMAS FEILDE (John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably in Parish of Horton, Bradford, England; m. Anne ——. She d. October, 1599. He d. April, 1573. Res. Shipley, Parish of Bradford, county of York, England.

His will is dated Jan. 14, 1572-3, and was proved April 24, 1573. Desires to be buried in the south side of Bradford church. His widow was executrix of his will. She was buried at Bradford, Oct. 28, 1599.

Thomas Feilde, of Shipley, in his will, dated Jan. 14, 1572-73, desires to be buried in the south side of the church of Bradford. He bequeaths to his wife, Anne, for life, the farmhold where he dwells, also two new mills and a farmhold occupied by Richard Lillie. After her death these properties and a tenement to go to daughter, Frances Feilde, or if she die without heirs, to brother William, to whom he leaves two tenements in Great Horton, one of which is in the occupation of Percival Feild. His father, John Feilde, is one of his executors. The writer is unable with certainty to connect this Thomas with the pedigree, but thinks it is not impossible that his brother William was the father of the eleven children, of whom Edward is the first named. The "widow Feilde, of Shipley," who was buried at Bradford, Oct. 28, 1599, was, he supposes, wife of Thomas.

71. i. FRANCES, b. ——. She was the only child named in her father's will, joined by her husband—Thomas Green, of York—conveyed Shipley to her cousins, George, Edward and Robert Feild.

45. WILLIAM FEILD (John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably in Bradford, Parish of Horton, England; m. Jenet ——. She d. June 14, 1612. He was named in the will of his brother, Thomas.

Obtained a grant of land in Horton in 1590 from John de Lacy, Lord of Horton. His will is dated March 3, 1598-9, and was proved July 4, 1599. Buried at Bradford, May 23, 1599. Jenet was named in her husband's will. She was buried in Bradford church June 14, 1612.

William Feild, of Great Horton, made his will March 3, 1598-9, and names in it his wife, Jenet, and "younger children," Frances, Marie, Alice and Thomas, each of whom was to receive successively the rents of his lands on Bradfordshire until they had got their respective portions. There was an elder child, John, as shown hereafter, and perhaps others. His burial is entered as follows in the Bradford church registers: "1599, May 23rd, William Feilde of Horton." There is a later entry on June 14, 1512, of the burial of "widow Feild of Horton in ths church," which probably refers to his wife. This William may have been the brother of that name whom Thomas Feilde refers to in his will in 1572-3; although it is strange, in that case, that the former should have named but three of the eleven children at the beginning of the pedigree, when he executed a similar document in 1598-9; but it must not be overlooked that these three, Marie, Alice and Thomas, are mentioned both at the head of the pedigree and in William's will. We find a reference to the last named a little later. On September 2d, forty-third Elizabeth (1601), an inquisition post mortem was held at Shipton after the death of William Feilde, of Great Horton, yeoman, who died May 23d, forty-first Elizabeth (1599). It was found that he has houses and lands in Great Horton and in Bradford, and that his son, John, aged fifty years and more, was his heir. He d. May, 1599. Res. Great Horton, Parish of Bradford, England.

72. i. GEORGE, b. 1543; m. Isabel Mortimer.
73. ii. JOHN, b. 1551; m. Anne ——.
74. iii. ROBERT, b. ——. He res. in Shipley; was a clothier; d. unm.; will dated Nov. 5, 1599; proved Dec. 18, 1599; buried at Bradford, Nov. 12, 1599. Inquisition post mortem March 27, forty-second Elizabeth. He names in his will his brothers, George, Edward, John and William; and his sisters, Elizabeth, Alice, Anne, Susan, Sybil, Mary and Isabel; also Jane, daughter of brother William, and John and Alice, children of brother Thomas. He was a tenant of the Queen in capite.
75. iv. EDWARD, b. ——; m. Jenet Thornton.
76. v. WILLIAM, b.——.
77. vi. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Sybil Rode, Mary Mortimer and Susan Bairstowe.
78. vii. FRANCES, b. ——; named in her father's will.
79. viii. MARY, b. ——; named in her brother Robert's will.
80. ix. ALICE, b. ——; named in her brother Robert's will.
81. x. ANN, b. ——; named in pedigree in Herald's College.
82. xi. ELIZABETH, b. ——; named in pedigree in Herald's College.
83. xii. SUSAN, b. ——; named in pedigree in Herald's College.
84. xiii. SYBIL, b. ——; named in brother Robert's will.
85. xiv. ISABEL, b. ——; named in brother Robert's will.

46. EDWARD FELDE (Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Sowerby, England, in 1541; m. 1560, Isabella Greenwood. Edward Felde paid heriot in 1554 on two parts of the four and one-half acres after the decease of Grace, his mother, and after the decease of Christopher, his father. In 1597 there is an entry on the rolls of the surrender by Edward Feld de Sowerby of land there to Michael, his son. Res. Sowerby, England.

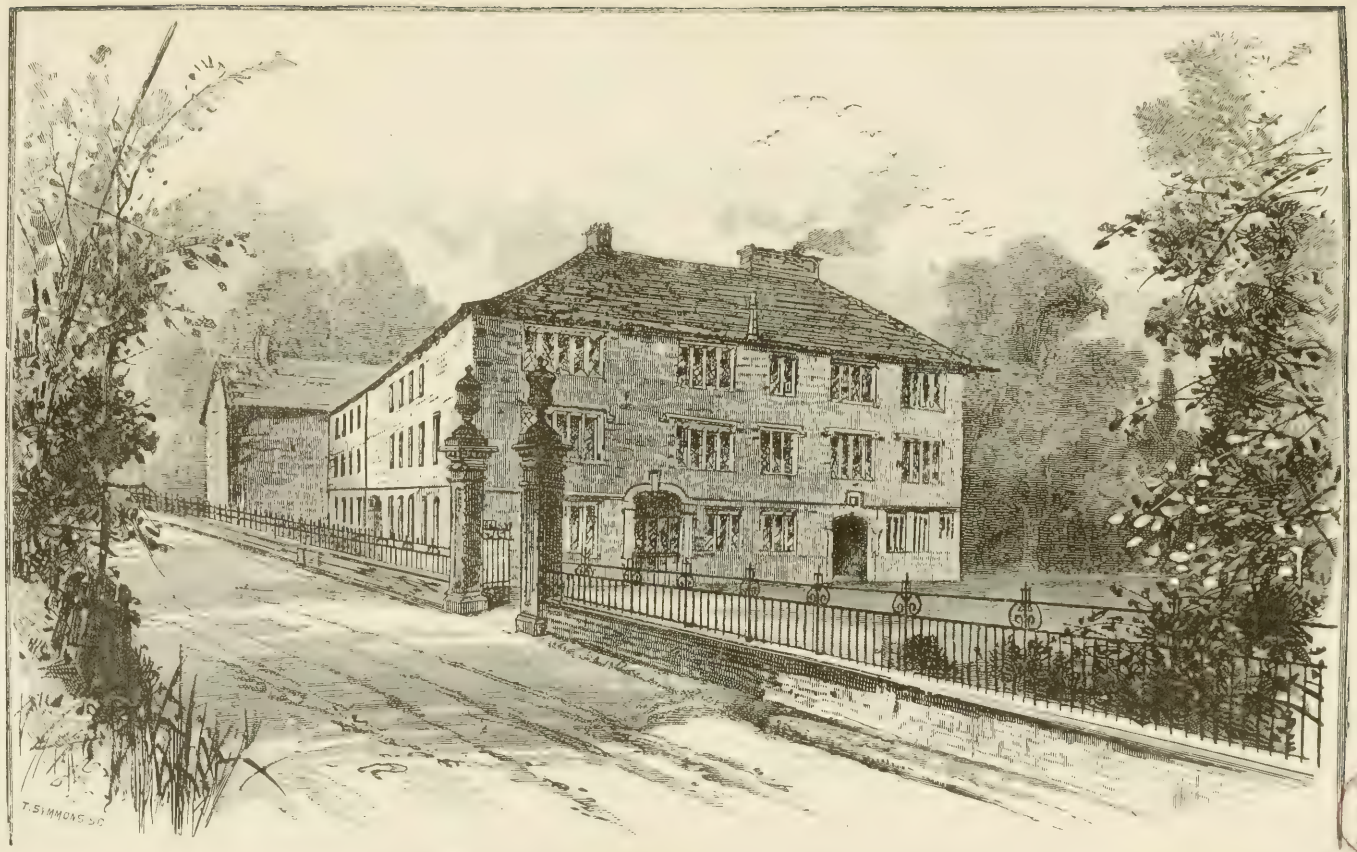
86. i. EDWARD, bap. 1560; m. —— ——.
87. ii. MICHAEL, bap. ——; m. Susan Crabtree.
88. iii. ALICE, bap. 1566.
89. iv. SUSAN, bap. 1568.
90. v. ABRAHAM, bap. 1572.
91. vi. ROSAMOND, bap. 1574.
92. vii. SAMUEL, bap. 1576.

52. WILLIAM FIELD (Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Halifax Parish, Sowerby, England, 1548; m. June 1, 1591, Susan Midgley, of Northowram. She d. March 6, 1623. He d. July 24, 1619. Res. Sowerby and Northowram, England. He was baptized in Halifax parish, Sowerby, England, and married in Halifax church, as is recorded in its registers. His wife, Susan Midgley, was baptized there in 1574, when she is called daughter of John Midgley, of Northowram. She belonged to an old family of that neighborhood—the Midgleys, of Midgley—whose arms sable, two bars gemelle or, on a chief of the second three caltrops of the first, were painted on the roof of Halifax church, together with those of the principal families who attended service there. The residents of Sowerby worshiped at their own chapel.

William Field removed from Sowerby to Southowram within a year or two of 1593, and we find a confirmation of this in the Wakefield rolls which show that Grace, daughter of Richard Barestow, surrendered in 1594 lands in Northowram to William Feild of Southowram. This deed is also mentioned, under the same year, in the dockets at Wakefield. Shortly after purchasing this property, in Northowram, which was the home of his wife's family, he removed there, and passed the remainder of his days there. There is a survey of this neighborhood among the Duchy of Lancaster court rolls, made April 20, 1607, in which it is stated that William Feilde doth hold by copy of his majesty a message called Causeye. This was a road or footpath raised above the surrounding land, usually passing over a morass, or damp ground. A small hamlet in Northowram is called Causeway End at the present day. Besides this causeway he held three acres of land whereof half an acre, used as pasture, and one and one-half acres, used as arable. Also the same William Fielde holdeth of his majesty by deed from my Lord of Leicester one acre and half a rod. According to the Wakefield rolls William Field, of Northowram, paid his fine in 1610 for one tenement, called Cawsey, with all his coppiehold lands, and in the same year he took of the lord four acres waste at Blackyers. In 1616 he was juror at Brighouse court, and in 1618 he is referred to as a sub-tenant of William Sympson. In his last year William Field, Senior de le Cawsey surrenders lands after his decease to William, his son and heir. In 1619 William Feild, of Northowram, clothier, surrenders Horwithins to use of Joseph, his son. On July 15, 1619, he made his will, which is in the registry at York, and died soon after, as it was proved on the 10th of November following:

Will of William Field, of Northowram.—In the name of God amen, I Willm Feild of Northourome in the Countie of York clothier thoughe sicke and weake in bodie yet of whole mind and of sound and pfect memorie praysed be God for the same. Do this fifteenth day of Julie in the yeare of our Lord God 1619 make ordeyne and declare this my psent Testament conteyninge therein my whole and last will in mannr and forme followinge towitt.

First and principally I comitt and comend my soul unto the mercifull goodness of Almightie God my Creator beseaching his goodness to pardon all my offences in by and throughe the meritts death and obedience of Jesus Christ his onely sonn my onely Saviour and Redemer for in and by his meritts is my only hope of Salvacon.



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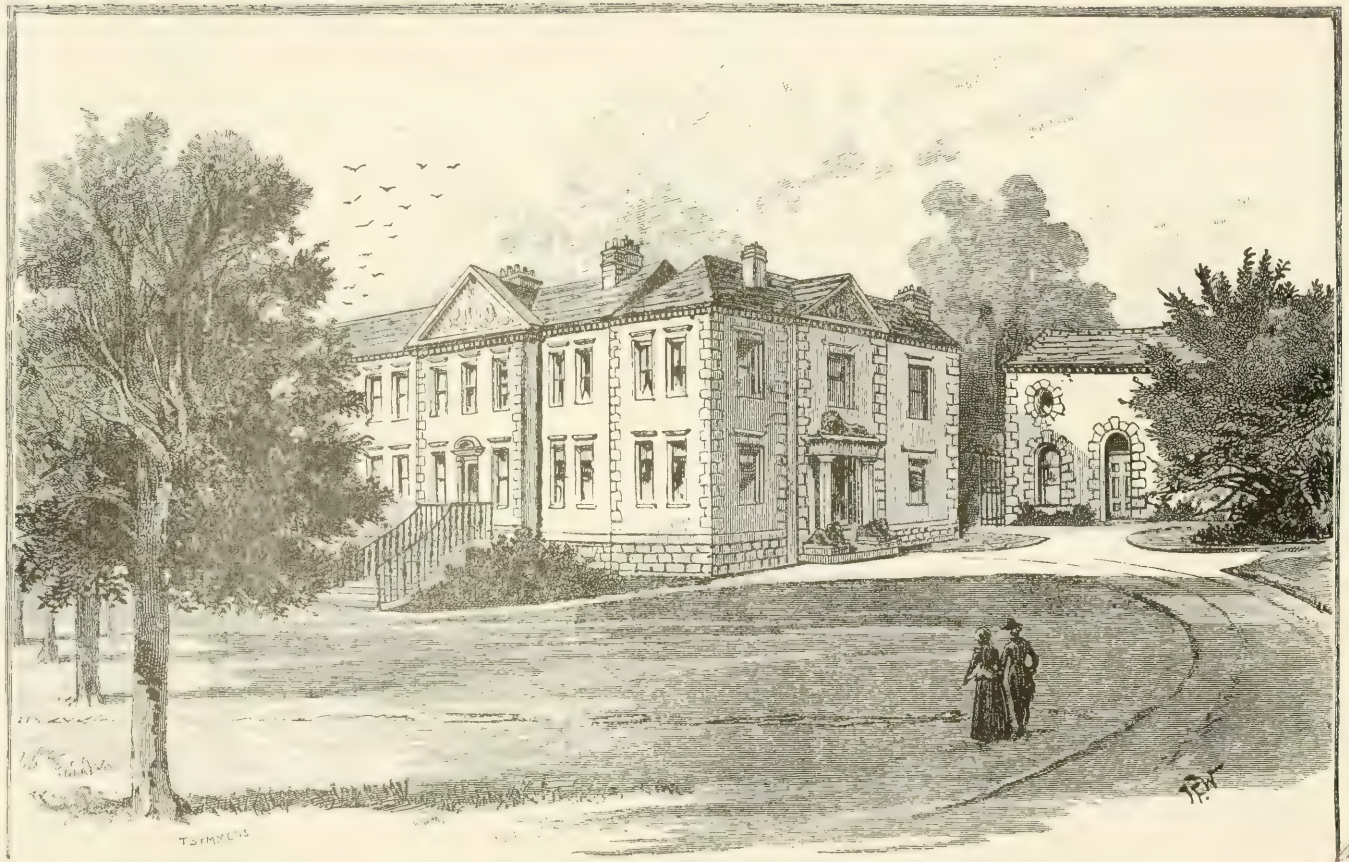

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And my bodie I willingly yield to the Earthe to be buried in such place of Xstian burial as it shall please God my endinge to be. And as consigne my worldly goods whereof I am posessed my wille and minde that the churche have right duties thereof. And such debts as I owe in right and conscience to any psone or psons be first answered and paid out of the same.

Also I give and bequeath to Susan my wiffe all such interest right and title and term of years as I have yet to come and expend in one Tente nowe in the term of occupation of me the said Wm Feild late of the Lands of one I Bothomley, also my will and minde is that all the Legacies wch I owe to all or any of my children be paid out of my whole goods to witt to my daughter Jane tenne pounds to Joseph Feild my son tenne pounds to Susan Tenne pounds and to Isabell and Robert one bond of thirtie pounds already taken to theire use. Item I give and bequeath to Robert Rawson my sonne in law Five shillings. All the residue of my goods, cattells, credits and debts not before given or bequeathed I give and bequeath to George Feild, Jane Feild, Susan, Robt and Isabell Feild equally to be divided amongst them. Also I comit the custodie and tuicon of Robert Feild and Isabell Feild and of theire porcons to my brother Edward Feild duringe and until they come to and accomplishe their several ages of Twentie and one years.

And I name ordeyne and appoint the said Edward Feild my brother Executor of this my Last will and Testament praying him to be agdinge and assistinge to my wiffe and childien as my hope and trust is in him.

In witness whereof to this my psent Last will and Testament I putt my hand and seale and publishe and declare it to be my will in the psence of these whose names are subscribed.

Proved 10th Novr 1619

Susan, the widow of William Feild, did not long survive her husband. Her will is also recorded at York, dated Feb. 24, 1622-3, and was proved 14th of May following. She describes herself in it as of Black Carre or Carr: this is an old Yorkshire word, signifying morass or swamp. Blacker, in Northowram, is mentioned as far back as 1300.

Will of Susan Feild, of Northowram.—In the name of God Amen. The four and twentieth day of February in the twentieth year of the Reigne of our Sovereinge Lord James by the grace of God Kinge of England France and Ireland. Defender of the faith &c.

And of Scotland the six and Fiftieth and in the yeare of or Lord according to the computation of the Church of England of 1622. I Susan Feild of Black Carre wthin the Dioces of Yorke widowe late wife of Willm Feild late of Northourome deceased being sicke in bodie but of good and pfect memory for wch I praise Almightie God doe make and ordeigne this my Last will and Testament in manner and forme followinge. And first I give and comend my soule unto the hands of Almighty God assuredly believinge to have free remission of all my sinnes and everlasting life amongst the blessed Sts in the Kingdome of heaven through the meritts and passion of my alone Savior and Redemer Jesus Christ. And I comitte my body to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executrs hereafter named. And as touchinge the disposition of my worldly goods First my will and minde is that my debts and funeral expenses beinge discharged) I do hereby give devise and bequeath unto Willm Feild my oldest sonne the somme of twelve pounds of Lawful money of England and unto Alice my daughter now wife of Robt Rawson of Wrose the some of five shillings of Like Lawful money of England and no more nor other Legacies in regard the said Willm and Alice are already sufficiently p'vided for and p'ferred by my said late husband deceased their late father.

Item I do hereby give devise and bequeath unto George Feild my sonne the

some of Twelve pounds of lawful money of England to be paid unto him in twelve years to witt yearly and evri yeare the some of Twenty shillings duringe the terme of Twelve years at the feast of St Michaell The arch Angell, and the first paymt thereof to beginne at the feast of St Michael th' arch Angell wch shall fall next after that Joseph Feild my sonne shall have accomplished his full age of Twenty one years and the same paymts to be made by my Executors hereafter named.

Item my further will and mind is and I'do hereby give devise and bequeath all the residue of my goods chattells and debts unto the said Joseph Feilde my sonne and unto Robert Feilde my sonne and Jane now wife of John Mitchell, Susan Feild and Isabell Feild, my three daughters to be equally divided amongst them.

And I do hereby make and ordeyne the said John Mitchell and Joseph Feild Executors of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Susan Feild the Testatrix have hereunto sett my hand and sealle the day and yeare above said. These beinge witnesses

J Midgley
Jonas Mitchell
Mathew Mitchell

As is stated in his will, William was a clothier. This word may have two meanings—a manufacturer of cloth or a cloth merchant. William Field's calling must have been the latter. Henry VII. brought Flemish cloth weavers to England and settled some of them at Wakefield. This industry soon became the chief one of the neighborhood, and has continued so to the present day, when the adjacent town of Leeds is the largest cloth market in the world. At the period we are writing of and even within the recollection of living men, all the cloth was made by hand, and in the cottages of the weavers. When a piece was finished it was taken to the merchant, or sold to him at a market where makers and buyers met. The merchant distributed the goods acquired in this way to his customers at home and abroad, and such was the high reputation of the cloths made in the neighborhood of Wakefield that they found their way, at this early date, to all parts of the civilized world. Great changes have taken place at Wakefield, and in that vicinity since that day. Now large mills dot the banks of the Calder, the machinery in which is driven by steam or water power and often both.

The old village of Sowerby and the Field house stand on the hillside, and at some distance from the river, and are consequently less affected by the change than if they were nearer to it.

93. i. WILLIAM, bap. Aug. 8, 1591; m. Susanna Longbothome.
94. ii. ALICE, bap. Aug. 8, 1593; m., Nov. 11, 1611, Robert Rawson, of Calverley and Wrose.
95. iii. JANE, bap. Nov. 23, 1595; m., June 10, 1622, John Mitchell, of Thornton; named in both father's and mother's wills.
96. iv. GEORGE, bap. Aug. 20, 1598. He is named in both his father's and mother's wills.
97. v. SUSAN, bap. March 15, 1601; m. Dec. 4, 1638, Samuel Holdsworth.
98. vi. JOSEPH, bap. June 19, 1603; m. Oct. 25, 1624, Elizabeth Nicholoson, of Northowram.
99. vii. ROBERT, bap. May 9, 1605; m. Ruth Fairbank, Elizabeth Taylor and Charity ——.
100. viii. ISABEL, bap. March 26, 1609; named in both father's and mother's wills.
101. ix. ROBERT, bap. Aug. 29, 1602; d. in infancy.

53. JOHN FELD (James, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Sowerby, England; m. —— ——. As will be seen hereafter Christopher Feld did not marry until after the date of his surrender. His brother John was probably dead at the time, and without issue, and perhaps also his supposed brother James was no longer living, in which care the latter's son John, presumably the eldest, was then the natural heir of Christopher. This John is again named in 1532 and 1534, and at the last date, when he is described as the son of James he cedes a portion of his rent from the twenty-three and one-half acres to the use of Edward Farrow. Res. Sowerby, England.

56. ROBERT FIELD (Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. ——. It is uncertain if the Robert Field, who made his will in 1558, is the one assessed at the same time as William or not. He describes himself as of Crofton. There are bequests in it to my brother Charles, and to Robert and Alice Field, and their children, Robert and Alice. As the testator had a brother Christopher, he may have been a son of William, although, in that case, not named in his father's will of 1529-30. He d. about 1558. Res. Crofton, England.

102. i. ROBERT, b. ——.
103. ii. ALICE, b. ——.

57. WILLIAM FELD (Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. —— ——; m. —— ——. On the 27th of February, 1529-30, "William Feld, of Crofton" (whom the author takes to be the person assessed in 1523-4), made his will, in which he speaks of his wife, his daughter, Margaret, and his son, Christopher, whom he appoints executor. He d. about 1530. Res. Crofton, England.

104. i. MARGARET, b. ——.
105. ii. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——; m. —— ——.

60. CHRISTOPHER FELD (Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. —— ——; m. Elizabeth ——. He d. Nov. 30, 1557-8. Res. Wakefield, England.

Two Christopher Fields witnessed this will of "Christopher Rishworthe, of Crofton, gentlemen," in 1538—one describing himself as "husbandman," and the other as "wardroper." The wills of these two witnesses—referred to later—can be identified. The writer supposes that all the following entries in the manor rolls refer to Christopher, the "wardroper."

In 1541 he surrendered lands in Wakefield graveship and manor to Elizabeth, his wife.

In 1544 he is spoken of as "Christopher Feld, of Sandall, merchant," and in 1547, under the head of this place, it is stated that he was elected greave for lands formerly Thomas Shey's. This entry occurs in 1552; "Robert Copley redd. lands to Christopher Feld, Sandall." His will is dated July 8, 1557, and was proved December 18th of the same year. He describes himself as "Christopher Feld, of Wakefield,* mercer," and desires to be buried in the church of Wakefield, near his wife. He directs his executors "to cause a troughe stone with a remembrance of himself wife and children in pictures of brass to be set upon and laid upon the grave" as soon after his burial as convenient. There are legacies to his brother Nicholas Feild, if he is living, to his son Christopher Feild, and to Percival Feild, to daughter Elizabeth, wife of Henry Watkinson, to daughter Katherine, wife of Richard Atkinson, to Anne Browne, daughter of said Katherine, to every one of the chil-

*Probably his place of business was at Wakefield, and his residence at Sandall, or Crofton.

dren of the said Elizabeth Watkinson, to Roger and Nicholas Jewett, his sister's children, to his son Matthew's wife and others. The residue is left to Matthew Feild, his son and heir, whom he appoints executor, together with testator's brother William and others. The Rev. J. L. Sisson, in his "Historical Sketch of Wakefield Church," published in 1824, speaks of the monuments formerly in this edifice, and gives the following inscription on that of Christopher Feild, which stood in the north aisle. "Here under this stone lyeth buried the bodies of Christopher Fylde mercer and Eliz. his wyfe which Christopher deceased the 30th day of November in the year of our Lord God* 1558. On whose soul Jesus have mercy."

106. i. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——; m. —— ——.
107. ii. PERCIVAL, b. ——.
108. iii. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Henry Watkinson.
109. iv. KATHERINE, b. ——; m. Richard Atkinson. Had a dau. Anne, who m. —— Browne.
110. v. MATTHEW, b. ——; m. Elizabeth Meredith.

63. JOHN FIELD (John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Ardsley, England, about 1568; m. —— ——. He was born in Ardsley, but evidently moved away before reaching his majority, for he was not mentioned in his father's will. Osgood Field is of the opinion that he died young, as he was not mentioned in the wills of his father or mother. Res. Ardsley, England.

111. i. JOHN, b. about 1590; m. —— ——.
112. ii. ZACHARIAH, b. about 1596; m. Mary ——.
112½. iii. OTHER children.

64. LORD MATTHEW FIELD (John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. East Ardsley, England, 1563; m. Margaret ——. She d. June 14, 1632.

Matthew Field was the second son and heir of Sir John, the astronomer. He married at Ardsley. In the Wakefield manor rolls there is an entry in 1596 of an indenture by which William Hall, of Settle, and Elizabeth, his wife, cousin and heir of Matthew Feilde, of London, deceased, surrender a house in Wakefield and lands in Wenthrope to Matthew Feilde, of Ardislowe, gentleman, and Matthew Watkinson, of same place. This document serves to show the relationship between the branch of the family seated at Ardsley, and that residing at Sandall or Crofton. In 1601 William Walkhead, of Woodhouse, bequeathes to Mr. Matthew Field, of Ardsley, an old angel to make a gold ring. This angel was a gold coin, so called, because it bore an image of St. Michael and the dragon. His name occurs in the wills of three inhabitants of Ardsley, dated respectively, 1607, 1608 and 1609. He bought the manor of Thurnscoe from the co-heirs of Sir John, constable, in, or prior to 1614, and about the same time—conjointly with his brother William—the fourth part of the manor of Idle of Sir John Savile. On July 6, 1617, together with James Field, gentleman, his son and heir apparent, he gave a bond to Richard Waterhouse, of Clayton, in Bradford, for the fulfillment of certain covenants. He was one of the collectors of the subsidy for the West Riding of Yorkshire, in 1623. The marriages and burials in the parish registers in East Ardsley do not commence till 1654, and the baptisms till 1662, but tolerably perfect copies exist of the earlier years in the Archbishop's registry at York.

On Sept. 9, 1631, an inquisition post mortem was held at Doncaster, relative to

*The author cannot explain the slight discrepancy in the dates of this monument and of the will. It may arise from an error in copying from the registry at York, the year when the will was proved, or be a mistake of the person who wrote the inscription.

his estate at Thurnscoe, from which it appears that he died possessed of the manor and of a mansion, called Thurnscoe Grange; also, that on April 5, 1631, Henry Shaw, Gervase Smith and William Forman, who had married the daughters of the aforesaid Matthew, relinquished all right they might have to the manor of Thurnscoe to James Feild, eldest son and heir of Matthew Feild, then aged forty years.

Matthew Feild, of East Ardsley, named in his mother's will. Letters of administration on his estate granted to his son, Matthew, Aug. 4, 1631; died June 2, 1631; inquisition post mortem held Sept. 9, 1631. He was Lord of the manor of Thurnscoe. He d. June 2, 1631. Res. East Ardsley, England.

113. i. JAMES, b. 1591; m. Margaret ——.
114. ii. MATTHEW, bap. April 3, 1602; d. Dec. 30, 1602.
115. iii. MATTHEW, bap. March 12, 1608; m. Margaret Feild.
116. iv. WILLIAM, b. ——; co-executor of his brother Matthew's will.
117. v. JOHN, bap. June 27, 1610; co-executor of his brother Matthew's will.
118. vi. JUDITH, bap. March 25, 1604; m. Henry Shaw.
119. vii. JANE, b. ——; m. Gervais Smith.
120. viii. ANNE, b. ——; m. Oct. 27, 1627, William Forman, of East Ardsley.

67. WILLIAM FEILD (John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably in Ardsley, England; m. Mrs. Jane (Sotwell) Burdett. William Feild, executor of his mother's will. He married Jane, dau. of Rev. John Sotwell, and widow of George Burdett, of Carhead, then described of Thurnscoe. Rev. John was vicar of Peniston. Mrs. Jane Feild was buried Oct. 21, 1623, in the parish of Silkstone. He d. in 1623. Res. Thurnscoe, England.

121. i. JOHN, b. ——; m. ————.
122. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Deborah ——.
123. iii. THOMAS, b. ——; m. ———.
124. iv. JAMES, b. ——; m.; res. St. Albans, Hertfordshire, England.

72. GEORGE FEILD (William, John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. probably in Great Horton, parish of Bradford, England, in 1543; m., in Bradford, Aug. 7, 1599, Isabel Mortimer. He was co-executor of his brother Robert's will in 1590, then aged forty-seven and his heir, held lands of the King in capite. Was buried in Bradford, March 12, 1627 his widow was named in the will of her brother-in-law, Robert Feild, buried Dec. 9, 1641, in Bradford church. He d. March, 1627. Res. Shipley, Bradford, England.

124½. i. GEORGE, bap. in Bradford, Nov. 28, 1602. Res. Shipley. Heir of his father, as per inquisition April 3, 1628; m. 1629, Mary Akead. He was buried at Bradford, Oct. 23, 1647.

73. JOHN FEILD (William, John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. prob. Great Horton, parish of Bradford, England, about 1551; m. Anne ——. He was named in his brother Robert's will, heir to his father as per inq. on latter, Sept. 2, 1601, then aged 50 yrs. and more, buried in Bradford church July 16, 1615. She was named in her brother-in-law Robert's will; buried at Bradford Dec. 12, 1613. He d. July, 1615; res. Horton, England.

125. i. He probably left issue.

75. EDWARD FEILD (William, John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. prob. in Great Horton, parish of Bradford, England; m. in Bradford, Aug. 7, 1599, Janet Thornton. Edward Feild held lands of the King in capite, of Horton in 1599, and of Shipley in 1615; co-executor of his brother

Robert's will, and executor of his brother William. Died April 6, 1641; buried at Bradford, April 15, 1641; inq. p. m. Aug. 23, 1641. She was buried in Bradford church May 9, 1643. This pedigree is recorded in the Herald's College to which the writer has occasionally added remarks. It commences with Edward Feild, of Horton, 1595 and 1601, after of Shipley, 1615. Died April 6th, seventeenth Charles I. (1641); buried at Bradford 15th of same month; inquisition post mortem Aug. 23d following. He d. April 6, 1641; res. Horton (in 1599) and Shipley (in 1615), England.

126. i. JOSEPH, bap. Aug. 23, 1601; m. Mary Rawson.

77. THOMAS FEILD (William, John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. prob. Great Horton, parish of Bradford, England; m. at Bradford, Oct. 25, 1596, Sybil Rode, named in the will of her brother-in-law, Robert Feild. She d., and he m., 2d, in B., Dec. 29, 1612, Mary Mortimer. She was buried in B., March 10, 1616-7; m., 3d, at B., Jan. 12, 1618, Susan Bairstowe. Thomas Feild, the youngest son, was of North Ouram, and afterward of Horton, named in the wills of his father and brother Robert; d. as per post mortem inquisition in 1623; buried in Bradford church, July 28, 1623. Among the baptisms at Bradford, are those of the following children of Thomas Feild, of Horton; but as there is no mention of them in the pedigree, the writer is not sure that Thomas and Sybil Feild were their parents. Frances, bap. 1613; William, 1615; Mary, 1616-17; Thomas, 1619; John, 1620-21; and Richard, 1623. Other brothers and sisters of Edward in the pedigree are William, Anne, Elizabeth, Susan, Mary, Alice, Robert, George and John. He d. July 16, 1623; res. North Ouram and Horton, England.

127. i. JOHN, bap. Halifax, Oct. 11, 1597.
128. ii. ALICE, bap. Halifax, Dec. 27, 1598.
129. iii. JONAS, bap. Halifax, Oct. 12, 1603.
130. iv. FRANCES, bap. Bradford, Dec. 5, 1613.
131. v. WILLIAM, bap. Bradford, Aug. 27, 1615; heir to his father as per post mortem inquisition held at Halifax, 1623, then aged eight yrs. and two mos.
132. vi. MARY, bap. Bradford, Nov. 2, 1616.
133. vii. THOMAS, bap. Bradford, Aug. 8, 1619.
134. viii. JOHN, bap. Bradford, Feb. 1, 1620.
135. ix. RICHARD, bap. Bradford, June 15, 1623.

86. EDWARD FELDE (Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Sowerby, England, 1560; m. about 1584 ——. Res. Sowerby and Wakefield, England.

136. i. WILLIAM, b. about 1585; m. Elizabeth ——.

87. MICHAEL FEILD (Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Sowerby, England; m. at Halifax, 1600, Susan Crabtree; she was buried at Halifax church, 1639. His father surrendered land to him in 1597 and called him Michael his son. Took up the waste in Blackwood more in 1617. She was dead in 1650; res. Sowerby, England.

137. i. JOHN, bap. Halifax, 1601; prob. d. young.
138. ii. MICHAEL, bap. Halifax, 1607. He paid heriot in 1650 and was then called son and heir of Michael Feild of Blackwood.

93. WILLIAM FIELD (William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Halifax Parish, Sowerby, England, Aug. 8, 1591; m. 1624, Susanna Longbothome. William Field married at Northowram. It would appear from an entry in the rolls in 1627 that he married Susanna

Longbothome. It reads as follows: "Thomas Longbothome de Northowram, yeoman, held lands in Earl of Leicester and Anna, wife of Laurence Whitacres. Susanna, wife of William Feild, and Sara, wife of George Fearnley, are his three daughters and co-heiresses. There is an entry in the Wakefield rolls in 1630 under Northowram that William Feild of Cawsey, surrenders lands, and another in 1632 that William Feild de Blackmires and Susanna his wife execute a quit claim to Robert Nicholls de Horton for a house in Northowram. The following, in 1636, under the head of Hipperholme graveship, no doubt, refers to him: "William Feild died since last court." In 1639 Susanna Feild, widow, of Northowram, surrenders Leyclose to use of Matthew Sowden, and she is again mentioned in 1640 as of Blackmyers, and in 1646 as of Northowram. He was dead in 1636; res. Northowram, England.

139. i. WILLIAM, bap. May 22, 1625; in 1651 he surrenders four acres in Blackmire, Northowram, to Jeremy Bairstowe.
140. ii. ALICE, bap. July 8, 1627.
141. iii. THOMAS, bap. Nov. 15, 1629.
142. iv. JOHN, bap. 1631.
143. v. SARAH, bap. Sept. 14, 1634.

98. JOSEPH FEILD (William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Halifax, England, June 19, 1603; m. Oct. 25, 1624, at Halifax, Elizabeth Nicholson of Northowram. He was named in both his father's and mother's wills. Res. Halifax, England.

99. ROBERT FIELD (William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), bap. Halifax Parish, in Sowerby, England; March 9, 1605; m. in Halifax, Nov. 23, 1624, Ruth Fairbank of Hipperholme. She d. and he m. 2d at Bradford, May 18, 1630, Elizabeth Taylor. She d. and he m. 3d, Charity ——, who was living as his widow in 1673. In the reign of Charles I., in consequence of civil war and the persecutions of Protestants, during the interval between A. D. 1629 and A. D. 1640, upward of twenty thousand liberty-loving Englishmen emigrated to, and found homes, in the then new world. Among them was Robert Field, whose name we find first recorded in America at Newport and Portsmouth A. D. 1638, then co-operating with Roger Williams (who was banished A. D. 1635, and who founded an asylum in Rhode Island), in forming society and establishing civil and religious liberty A. D. 1638-41. Then, during an interval of three years, his name in public affairs is not mentioned, and does not occur again until A. D. 1644. Robert Field is at that time reported as having arrived from England—he with his family probably came in the same ship with Roger Williams, who, returning the second time to America, landed at Boston in that year. He then settled at Flushing, Long Island, A. D. 1645, and became the ancestor of the Fields of that place. He had a son, Anthony, b. in England, A. D. 1638. He d. before 1673. Res. Halifax, England; Newport, R. I. and Bayside, Flushing, Long Island.

THE FIELDS OF FLUSHING, NEW YORK.

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The difficulty in the majority of American pedigrees, which attempt to trace back the family beyond the Atlantic, is to connect the emigrant with the mother country and his ancestors there. In a few cases, an entry in some colonial record, a reference in an English or American will, a remark of one of the early historians of the New World, a letter or diary of the time still preserved, or one of the "passenger lists" of vessels sailing from the ports of London, Southampton, etc., for New

England or Virginia (which often mentioned the old home of the emigrant), established this connection beyond question; but these instances are rare, and in most cases there is only circumstantial evidence, more or less convincing, to prove it.

It is well known to those who are familiar with the law, that when a number of facts all point to one result, without anything contradictory in them, the thing they indicate is often considered as well established, and many have suffered the penalty of death, on such evidence alone. The true genealogist, who reads this book, will probably ask, "What are the grounds for supposing that Robert Field, who was a patentee of Flushing, N. Y., in 1645, was the child who was baptized at Halifax, England, in 1605-6?" These reasons the writer will now give, and he doubts not that they will satisfy the most critical.

It is well known to all students of our colonial history, that emigration to New England languished for ten years after the arrival of the "Mayflower," and until the expedition was gotten up in 1630 by John Winthrop and Sir Richard Saltonstall, which embraced some 1,500 souls, who were transported to the other side of the Atlantic in seventeen ships, and arrived there in June or July of that year. All accounts agree that the friends and neighbors of the two leaders of the expedition contributed largely to swell its numbers. In the eighth of Elizabeth (1566) the Saltonstalls acquired by purchase a mansion called Rookes and lands at Hipperholme, which had descended to Sir Richard. He was living at this place, which adjoins Northowram, in 1630. Coley Chapel was built about 1500, by the united contributions of Hipperholme, Northowram and Shelf, and the inhabitants of these three places were under its ministry. It follows that Sir Richard Saltonstall and Robert Feild were neighbors, attending the same religious services, and probably friends.

The latter had no special ties in England. Both of his parents were dead; he was a younger son and single. He was twenty-four years old; an age when the spirit and love of adventure are strong in us, and nothing is more natural than that he should have accompanied Sir Richard to New England. They may have been connected; as Sir Richard's first wife was Grace, daughter of Robert Kay, Esq., of Woodsome, whom he married about 1609, and we have seen that William Field of Newsome, who died in 1617, had a daughter, Rosamond, wife of Godfrey Key, or Kay, the names being the same. The writer would mention, as a curious fact, that the first reference to a Field, who was beyond all question of the same family as this Robert, occurs in the Wakefield Manor rolls, in 1306, when Richard del Feld sued Robert de Salstonstall.

The early English settlements on Long Island were largely composed of emigrants from Yorkshire. In 1665, the year following the surrender of the colony by the Dutch to the English, a convention was held at Hempstead, when Long Island and Staten Island were erected into a shire, and called after that in England, Yorkshire. Like that, too, it was divided into a North Riding, East Riding and West Riding.

Mr. Charles B. Moore says, in an article in "The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record," when speaking of the sixty-seven proprietors of land at Hempstead in 1647, that the European ancestry of many of these cannot be ascertained; but that "at least ten of these men can be traced from Yorkshire, England. A much greater number doubtless came from that large county. So many came from Yorkshire that the settlement was characterised as a Yorkshire one."

At the time of the Winthrop and Saltonstall expedition the Rev. Richard Denton had been, since 1623, the officiating clergyman of Coley Chapel. In 1644 we find him among the first settlers of Hempstead, L. I. Thompson says of him, in his "History of Long Island:" "It is quite probable that many of those who accompanied him here had belonged to his church in the mother country, and were

determined to share his fortunes in a new region. Many of these emigrated with him to Watertown, Mass.," etc.

Nor was Denton the only one of his old friends and neighbors whom Robert Field found near him in his new home at Flushing; for Matthew Mitchell, who was one of the witnesses of the will of his mother Susan in 1623, was also among the earliest settlers of Hempstead in 1644. Thompson says, in speaking of the first white inhabitants of this place, that Ward, Coe and Mitchell were commissioners for Stamford. The Rev. Mr. Alvord wrote of them as follows: "They were among the earliest inhabitants of New England, coming, as we have seen, through Weathersfield from Watertown in Massachusetts, and from that noted company who arrived with John Winthrop and Sir Richard Saltonstall." The Fields and Mitchells were connected by marriage, as already stated, for Robert's aunt Jane was married at Halifax, June 10, 1622, to John "Michell,"of Thornton. This couple are mentioned in the will of his mother, Susan Field, where the name is correctly spelt "Mitchell."

Among other early settlers in New England, who were from the neighborhood of Northowram, and who were connected with the Fields by marriage, were the Bairstows—sometimes spelt Barstow, Barrsto or Beresto—and Jonathan Fairbanks. Thomas Feild and Susan Bairstow were married at Bradford on Jan. 12, 1618-19. Bond says, in his "History of Watertown," that four brothers of the name of Barstow, or Bairstow, came early to this country; viz., Michael John, George and William. In the passenger list of the "Freelove," sailing for New England, Sept. 29, 1635, are the names of William Beresto, aged twenty-three, and George Beresto, aged twenty-one years. Savage says that Michael was the eldest brother, and that he joined the Church Dec. 5, 1635. He adds: "He was from Shelf, near Halifax, Co. York, West Riding." Not improbably Michael and John embarked first for the New World—perhaps in the expedition of 1630—and George and William followed a few years later.

On Nov. 23, 1624, Robert Field and Ruth Fairbank, of Hipperholme, were married at Halifax. She was, without doubt, of the same family as Jonathan Fairbanks, of Dedham, who, Savage says, came to New England before 1641 with his wife Grace and probably all of his six children. Savage adds: "He probably was from the West Riding of Yorkshire, as the will of his uncle George calls him of Sowerby in that part of England."

The Robert Field who married Ruth Fairbank was baptized at Halifax, Aug. 29, 1602, when he is described as son of John Feelde, of Northowram. He is referred to in the Wakefield Manor rolls, the year of his marriage (1624), as holding lands at Hipperholme under Richard Sunderland. He had a son, John, baptized at Halifax, Dec. 25, 1625, who was buried there Jan. 16, 1625-26, being described on both occasions as "son of Robert Feild of Hipperholme." There was another person of the same name as the settler at Flushing, who was also a contemporary. His name occurs in the "Passenger list" of the "James," of London, which vessel sailed from Southampton for New England, "about the VI. of April, 1635."

He is entered on it as Robert Field, of Yealing (? Pealing, Berks). This Robert resided at Boston.

What became of the greater portion of those who went over with Winthrop and Saltonstall during the first few years of their stay in New England it is impossible to say, for so little documentary evidence exists ot that period. It is known that a large proportion of the company went to Watertown on, or shortly after, their arrival, and Robert Field was probably one of these. He must have married soon after landing in America, for he had two sons of age in February, 1653-54. His wife, who survived him, was named Charity, and very probably she was one of the

company that crossed the Atlantic with him, perhaps in the same ship. The author knows nothing of her family, and the only clue to it which he can offer, is that her second son had the rather unusual name of Anthony, and as this had not been borne by any of Robert's near relatives, it may have come from her side, and perhaps been that of her father.

The first notice of Robert Field in our colonial records occurs in the state of Rhode Island. It has been said of Roger Williams, who founded this colony, that he was "the first person in modern Christendom to assert in its plenitude the doctrine of liberty of conscience." In 1636 he fled from the religious tyranny and persecution of the New England Puritans, and founded the town to which he gave the name of Providence, in recognition of God's mercies. He was soon followed by others—residents of New England—who are supposed to have shared his opinions, and among these was Robert Field.

At a general meeting at Newport, R. I., held Aug. 23, 1638, it was agreed "that 13 lots, on the west side of the spring, shall be granted to Mr. Richard Dummer and his friends," "to build there at the spring at farthest, or else their lots be disposed of by the company." Among the friends of Mr. Dummer we find Robert Field.

A little later the following entry occurs in the records: "Inhabitants admitted at the town of Newport, since the 20th of (May), 1638." In this list are the names of Robert Field and John Hicks. On Dec. 19, 1639, Robert Field was made freeman of this town, and he is mentioned among the proprietors of land there in 1640. In the court roll of freemen, March 16, 1641, are the names of Robert Field and John Hicks. This is the last time that the former is referred to in the records of Newport, except in 1653, when he visited the place, probably as delegate for Long Island, and he is not mentioned in the list of freemen of the town in 1655.

About the time of the settlement of Hempstead and Flushing, there was an intimate connection between the colony of Rhode Island and the English towns of Long Island. The inhabitants of both were mainly composed of the same class, viz., those who had fled from English persecution, and those who had escaped, like Roger Williams, from the no less intolerant Puritans of New England. We find many of the same names in both places at this early period of their history; not only those of Field and Hicks, but also Townsend, Hazard, Coles, and a number of others. We have seen that Robert Field and John Hicks are mentioned together more than once in the Newport records; and when we learn that they are again associated a little later, and are among the sixteen persons to whom the Dutch governor granted a patent for the town of Flushing, in 1645, we feel no moral doubt that the two settlers in Long Island were identical with the colonists of Rhode Island.

A further proof of this identity occurred a few years later. Governor Stuyvesant and the Dutch authorities at New Amsterdam, looked with a jealous eye on the inhabitants of the English towns within their jurisdiction; and, as a result of this feeling, the latter suffered many tyrannical and unjust acts at the hands of the government. The express stipulations of their charters were violated; illegal fines and taxes were imposed, and some were imprisoned or banished for their religious opinions. In 1653 an idea became prevalent among the inhabitants of these towns that the Dutch were inciting the Indians to a general massacre of the English, and supplying the savages with arms for that purpose. Probably their fears were exaggerated, but there is no doubt that the Dutch had some secret negotiations with the red men; with what object is not now known. It was whispered about that there was to be "a second Amboyna* tragedy;" and so great was the alarm that many

*Amboyna, one of the Moluccas, or Spice Islands, belonging to Holland. In 1623 an English settlement there (Cambello) was destroyed by the Dutch, and frightful tortures inflicted on the inhabitants.

abandoned their homes and went to the colonies where they were under the protection of the English flag.

An application was made to Rhode Island for assistance, and probably Robert Field was one of those sent there to make the request, as he was specially qualified for this mission from having formerly resided in that colony, and being among old friends and neighbors there. As we learn by the records, the deputation was successful. At a general assembly held at Newport, May 18, 1653, it was ordered that a committee be chosen, "for referring matters that concern Long Island and in the case concerning the Dutch." Eight members of this committee were selected, who were to "act upon presentment," and among these was "Mr. Robert Field." It was resolved at the same time "that we judge it our duty to afford our countrymen on Long Island what help we can," etc. "That they shall have two great guns and what munitions are with us," etc., etc.

Captain John Underhill, who had resided for some years on Long Island, was appointed commander of the forces by land, and Captain William Dyre of those by sea.

Under this commission, Captain Underhill captured the fort of Good Hope, near Hartford, from the Dutch in the month of June following.

How matters were arranged between the Government of New Amsterdam and their English subjects, is not exactly known; probably steps were taken to convince the latter that their apprehensions of a general massacre were groundless, for those who had left Long Island returned to their homes shortly after, and matters resumed their old course.

The patent of the Governor-general of the New Netherlands, William Kieft, was dated Oct. 19, 1645, and granted to Robert Field and his associates, their heirs and assigns, "a certain quantity or parcell, of land, with all the Havens, Harbours, Rivers, Creekes, Woodlands, Marshes thereunto belonging and being upon the north side of Long Island," after which the boundaries are given.

Robert Field built his house at that part of Flushing called Bayside. No trace of it exists, but family tradition says that it stood so near the water, that wild ducks, while swimming on it, could be shot from the porch.

Unfortunately for the historian of the first settlers of Flushing, the town records were destroyed by fire in the latter half of the last century;* but a few documents of their time have come down to us, which have been carefully preserved at the old Bowne house built by John Bowne in 1661. This ancient mansion is still standing, and occupied by his descendants. From the time of its erection, it was used by friends of the family and neighbors as a depository for papers of value. Among these is the following:

"February 12th, 1653 (i. e., 1653-4).

"Flushing. Know all men by these presents that I Robert Field doe freely give and grant unto my two sons Robert Field and Anthony Field each of them a house lott with the proprietie and priviledge thereunto belonging. I give unto Robert the Lott wh was formerly John Lake's. Unto Anthony the Lott which was formerly given unto Thomas Applegate's sones, which two Lotts were purchased by mee and now freely are given by mee unto them my two sones their heirs or assigns forever to enjoy.

"ROBERT FIELD."

*These records were kept in the house of John Vanderbuilt, the town clerk. It was set fire to in October, 1789, and consumed with its contents. Two slaves, Nelly and Sarah, were tried, condemned and executed for this crime.

This document is important, as showing that Robert Field's two eldest sons were ot age at the time it was dated. The Thomas Applegate referred to in it was also one of the original patentees of Flushing.

Robert Field, Robert Field, Jr., and "Anthonie" Field signed the petition to "the Governor-Generall and Counsell of the New Netherlands," in favour of the "scoute," or sheriff of Flushing, William Hallett, who was arrested for having religious meetings at his house. There is no date to this petition, but it must have been 1656, for William Hallett was banished on Nov. 8th of that year, and allowed to remain by a decree of Dec. 26th of same, on payment of a fine of £50 Flanders, and at same time deprived of his office.

All three of the Fields signed that bold remonstrance* against the persecution of Quakers, addressed to the Governor-General, and dated Dec. 27, 1657.

In the examination of Edward Hart, in reply to the question "Who signed at the meeting and who at their houses?" he said, "Anthony Field, and both of ye Fields (i. e., Robert sen. and jun.), at ye housee of ye village blacksmith, Michael Milner," where the meeting was held.

This remonstrance bore the signatures of thirty of the principal inhabitants of the town, and the whole tenor of it shows that they were in advance of the age in their views in regard to religious freedom and liberty of conscience. Tobias Feake,† the sheriff, who presented the paper, was immediately arrested. Hart, who drew it up, and Farrington and Noble, two of the magistrates who signed it, were imprisoned.

A patent of confirmation of Flushing, dated Feb. 16, 1666, names but one Robert Field, who is styled neither "senior" nor "junior." It follows that either the emigrant was dead, or that his son Robert had left Flushing. The author inclines to the latter opinion, as we know that the younger Robert was at Newtown in or before 1670, where he resided for the rest of his life and died.

His father, however, was no longer living in 1673, as shown in the following document, preserved at the old Bowne house, which also establishes the name of his wife:

"February ye 6th 1672 (i. e., 1672-3).

"Know all men by these prents that I Charity Field, widow, Doe own and Confess that the home Lott that Lyeth betwixt the Lott that was formerly old Applegate's, and the Lott that was formerly . . . . Doughty's is my sone Anthony Field's Lott and proper land, and I never intended nor pretended any right to it. "Witness my hand,

"Testes: "CHARITY FIELD."

"Elias Doughty,
"Robert Field."

She is also referred to in a letter from John Bowne to his wife, written while he was abroad, and dated, "Amsterdam this 9th of the 4th mo. called June, 1663."

The passage reads as follows: "Remember my true love to Joan Chatterton and Charity Field."

We learn by the records of Queens County, Long Island, that Robert Field, Sr., of Newtown, on Oct. 9, 1690, gave to his son Nathaniel Field, lands and salt meadows at the head of the "ffly" at Flushing. If he died without "heires," to go to his brother Elnathan. Attested before Silas Doughty, Justice, May 26, 1691. On same day Robert gave to his son Benjamin his homestead at Newtown, and "in case he has no heirs to go to his brother Ambrose." In the Friends' record,

*This document will be found in Thompson's "History of Long Island," vol. ii., p. 289.
†Son of Robert Feake, of Watertown, Mass.

under the fourth month, 1699-1700, "Susannah Field of Newtown, daughter of Robert Field," and Isaac Marit (? Merritt), of Burlington, West Jersey, declared intention of marriage.

We learn also by the Flushing records of the Society of Friends that Robert Field, of Newtown, died the 13th day of the second month, 1701. The writer is inclined to put the date of his birth as 1631. This accords with what Mr. James Riker, the historian of Newtown, wrote to him: "Robert, Sr., at his death in 1701, could not have been less than 65 to 70 years of age." His wife, whose name was Susannah, survived him.

I have it from another source that Robert was in Boston in 1644, and went from there to Flushing. [I am of the opinion that the Robert in Boston was another Robert who married Mary Stanley and died there in 1677.]—F. C. P.

THE BOUNDARIES OF FLUSHING IN THE PATENT OF 1645.—"Upon the north side of Long Island to begin at ye westward part thereof at the mouth of a creake upon ye East River now commonly called and known by the name of Flushing Creeke and so to runne Eastward as far as Matthew Garretson's Bay, together with a neck of land commonly called Tew's neck being bounded on the Westward part thereof with the land granted to Mr. Francis Doughty and associates and on the Eastward part thereof with ye land granted to ye plantation and towne of Hempstede and so to runne in two direct lines unto ye south side of ye said Island."

144. i. JOHN, bap. Halifax, England, Dec. 25, 1625; m. ——.

145. ii. ROBERT, b. prob. in 1636, Rhode Island; m. Susannah ——.

146. iii. ANTHONY, b. prob. Rhode Island, 1638; m. Susannah ——.

147. iv. BENJAMIN, b. 1640; m. —— Sarah ——. Benjamin Field, of Flushing, named in patents of that town of 1665-6 and 1685, appointed ensign by Gov. Nichols, April 22, 1665.

148. v. HANNAH, b. (Savage); m. May 7, 1656, John Bowne. Thomas Bowne, of Mattock, Derbyshire, England, was b. May, 1595. John Bowne, his son, was b. at Mattock, March 9, 1627, and came to America in 1649. He m. Hannah Field, daughter of Robert, at Flushing, May 7, 1656. In the year 1661 he built the house at Flushing where for forty years were held the quarterly meeting for Friends in the Province of New York, and which has even until the present time been occupied by a descendant in the direct line. Their daughter Hannah m. Benjamin Field, son of Anthony. John Bowne, a hard shell Quaker—a very hard individual to handle; he had, however, a rough time of it, as the annals of Long Island show. Multitudes of Englishmen left their own loved islands because they could not there, in peace, worship God according to their own convictions of right; when they placed their feet on the soil of America they at once practiced the very thing they so much disliked at home. Roger Williams was a Baptist, and for calling in question the authority of magistrates in respect of the rights of the civil power to impose faith and worship, he insisting that the civil power only extended to the bodies, goods and outward estate of men, for these principles he could not be tolerated, and was banished. So also in the case of Mr. Bowne; he seemed to have a liking for George Fox, and that was enough to cost him all the persecution he suffered. Even Mr. Williams

himself put forth his best efforts to "dig George Fox out of his burrows."

149. vi. ELIZABETH, b. (Savage); m. the famous John Underhill. Elizabeth became the second wife of the noted military commander, John Underhill. This man occupies a large space in the history of Long Island.

105. CHRISTOPHER FEILD (William, Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. —— ——; m. —— ——. Christopher, the husbandman, made his will Dec. 1, 1570, describing himself in it as "Xhristopher Feild, of Crofton." There are legacies in it to his son, Robert Feild, and to his Robert's wife and children, Christopher, Frances, Elizabeth and Alice, also to Isabel and Frances, children of his son John, to whom he leaves the residue and appoints executor. He bequeaths to each of three of the children of his son Robert "one ewe lamb," which makes its pretty evident that his calling was that of "husbandman." His will was proved March 13, 1570-1. He d. March, 1570-1. Res. Crofton, England.

150. i. ROBERT, b. ——; m. Rosamond ——.

151. ii. JOHN, b. ——; m. —— ——.

152. iii. CHRISTOPHER, b. ——.

106. CHRISTOPHER FELD (Christopher, Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. ——; m. —— ——. Res. Wakefield, England.

153. i. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. William Hall, of Settle. An entry in the Kingshold manor rolls of Jan. 19, 1581-2, says, "A presentment is made that Matthew Feild is dead, and that Elizabeth Feild of Wakefield, Co. York, is dau. of Christopher Field, brother of the said Matthew."

We find some notices of Elizabeth Field, niece and heiress of Matthew, in the Wakefield manor rolls, viz.: 1580, Elizabeth Field, daughter of Christopher Field, brother of Matthew Field, deceased, paid v3iijd heriot for "3 shoppes in le mr ketstead de Wakefield, close of 2 acres in Alverthorpe, 4 closes (8 acres) in Wrenthorpe and Woodall in Stanley, post dec. of Matthew her uncle:" 1583, "Elizabeth Field, cousin (i. e., niece) and heir presumptive of Matthew Field, decd, redd, Woodside close in Wrenthorpe (6 acres), to Thomas Cave."

It would appear from the following that Elizabeth Field married, first, a Nowell, and secondly, William Hall: 1596. Indenture twenty-ninth Elizabeth, "William Hall of Settle, yeoman and Eliz. Nowell his wife, cosyn (niece), and heir of Matthew Field of the Citie of London decd of the one part and Matthew Watkinson of Ardeslowe, chapman, and Matthew Feilde of Ardislowe, gentleman, of the other part, surrender to the two latter, house, shopp, with chambre over, in Wakefield and 8 acres in Wrenthorpe at £5 per annum rent." This entry shows that there was a connection between this branch of the family, and that of East Ardsley. The last Matthew Feild referred to above was the second son and heir of John Feild, the astronomer, whose will contains a legacy "to my cosine Nowell and Christopher, his son." This "cosine Nowell" was perhaps the first husband of Elizabeth Field. Matthew Watkinson may have been a son of her aunt, Elizabeth and

Henry Watkinson, both of whom are named in the will of Elizabeth Field's grandfather, Christopher, in 1557.

110. MATTHEW FIELD (Christopher, Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. ——; m. Elizabeth Meredith. He d. January, 1580. Res., s. p., London, England.

Matthew, son and heir of Christopher Field, mercer, removed to London, and apparently carried on the same business there that his father had done at Wakefield. We learn from a pedigree of the Meredith family among the Harleian MSS. at the British Museum, that he married Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Meredith, of London, Mercer, and that this Elizabeth was co-heiress of her brother William, who died childless. Matthew Field resided at Hackney, in a mansion called "the Black and White House," supposed to have been built by him, and he was a member of the "Mercers' Company," one of the most ancient and wealthy of London guilds. We learn by the Wakefield manor rolls that he was elected, in 1569, "greave for Shay's land, deputy William Sykes." His father, Christopher, was elected to this same office in 1547, as already stated. The manor of Kingshold forms part of the present suburb of London, called Hackney, and in its rolls we find several references to Matthew Field. In 1568 William Alman and Elizabeth, his wife (formerly wife of William White, deceased), made a surrender to "Matthew Feylde, Citizen and Mercer of London." In 1570 Henry White, son of the above William, in 1575, Joshua White, one of the heirs of William White, and Elizabeth, his wife, and in 1576 Thomas White, one of the sons of the aforesaid William White, of Hackney, and Eliz., his wife, all made similar surrenders to Matthew Feild, of London, Mercer.

Matthew Field seems to have died childless, and left no will. We find an entry in the records of the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, in London, that administration was granted to Anthony Marler on the estate of Matthew Field, of St. Laurence, Old Jewry, Mercer, on April 1, 1581. His burial is recorded in the registers of that church on Jan. 19, 1580* (i. e., 1580-1).

MATTHEW FIELD, OF LONDON, MERCER: HIS FAMILY AND ARMS.

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The following article, I hope, may prove of interest to the readers of the Register, and more especially so, to the numerous descendants of Robert Field, the emigrant. With some trifling exceptions, the facts here stated have never appeared in print, and have been gathered in the course of my own investigations.

In the Hall of the Mercers' Company, of London, in an old oak carving, consisting of a large shield of the Mercers' arms, and underneath a smaller one with those of Field (a chevron between three garbs), impaling two coats, one a lion rampant, the other a chevron between three dolphins; the latter being the arms of Meredith.

This carving was formerly in an ancient mansion at Hackney, called "the Black and White House," which was pulled down some years since, and which is said to have been built by Matthew Field, a member of the Mercers' Company. The carving was presented to this guild some time ago, by William Tyssen, whose family, now represented by Lord Amherst, have been lords of the manor in which this old house stood since 1698. The impalement of the Meredith arms is explained by the fact that Matthew Field's wife was of that family, as may be seen in the following pedigree, taken from the Harleian MSS. in the British Museum, 1096, fol. 20.

Robert Meredith, of London, Mercer, his will proved 28th Janr'y, 1546. Jane, dau. of Sir Wm. Lake, Knt.

*One of the figures is indistinct in the author's copy, and it may be the 12th of January.

Rich'd Springham, of London, Mercer. Mary, sister and coh'r of Wm.

Wm Meredith, married but died s. p.

Matthew ffield of London, Mercer. Elizabeth, sister and coh'r of Wm. Jeffrey, Dutchett of London, Mercer. Ellyn sister and coh'r of Wm.

The court rolls of the manor of Kingshold, which forms part of Hackney County, Middx.,* contained the following references to Field:

1568 Wm Alman & Elizth his wife (formerly wife of Wm White decd) made a surrender to Matthew Feylde, Citizen and Mercer of London.

1570 Henry White (son of the above Wm White) made a surrender to Matthew Feild of London, Mercer.

1575 Joshua White one of the heirs of the above Wm White & Elizth his wife surrender to the said Matthew Field.

1576 Thos White one of the sons of the beforementioned Wm White of Hackney & Elizth his wife surrender to the sd Matthew Field.

1581 Henry Rowe is admitted to lands by the surrender of sd Matthew Field & Elizth his wife, which lands of late belonged to Henry, Joshua & Thomas White as the sons & heirs of Wm White, decd.

1581-2 Jan 19. A presentment is made that Matthew is dead and that Elizabeth Field of Wakefield, Co. York is dau. of Christopher Field brother of the sd Matthew.

1583 Elizabeth dau. of sd Christopher Field makes a surrender to Wm Thatcher of London, Draper.

1599 Matthew Springham† of London, Merchant Taylor, surrenders land late of Matthew Field of London, Mercer, to the use of Otho Nicholson of London, Esq. & Elizth his wife for their lives, remr to sd Springham.

It would appear, therefore, that Matthew Field died childless, and he does not seem to have left a will, as none can be found among those recorded in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, London; but there is an entry there that on April 1, 1581, administration was granted to Anthony Marler, on the estate of Matthew Field, of S. Laurence, Old Jewry, Mercer.

His burial is recorded in the Parish Registers of this church Jan. 12, 1580. We have seen that Elizabeth Field, of Wakefield, was heir to Matthew, her uncle, and this is confirmed by the following extracts from the rolls of this manor:

1580 Elizabeth ffield, dau of Christopher ffield, brother of Matthew ffield decd paid vsiijd heriot for 3 shoppes in le m'ketstead‡ de Wakefield, close of 2 acres in Alverthorpe, 4 closes (8 acres) in Wrenthorpe & Woodall in Stanley, post dec. of Matthew her uncle.

1583 Elizabeth ffield cousin (i. e. niece) and heir presumptive of Matthew ffield decd redd Woodside close in Wrenthorp (6 acres) to Thomas Cove.

It would seem from the following entry in the Wakefield rolls that this Elizabeth ffield married William Hall, of Settle:

1596 Indenture thirty-ninth Elizth Wm Hall of Settle, yeoman, & Elizth Nowell, his wife, cosyn (i. e. niece), of Matthew ffield of the Citie of London, decd, of the one part and Matthew Watkinson of Ardeslowe, shopman, and Matthew ffield of Ardislowe,§ gentleman, of the other part, surrender to the latter house shopp with chambre over in Wakefield and 8 acres in Wrenthorpe at £5 per annum rent.

The Matthew ffield, of Ardislow, of the last extract, was the son of John Field,

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*One of the earlier rolls is endorsed 1272 by mistake, as it relates to several years later.

†Son of Richard Springham of the preceding pedigree.

‡Marketplace.

§East Ardsley, about three miles from Wakefield.

of Ardsley, the astronomer, who has been styled "the Proto-Copernican of England," and to whom the arms of his family, sa, a chevron between 3 garbs argent, were confirmed, and a crest granted Sept. 4, 1558. This Matthew is called second son of John Field in the pedigree recorded at the Herald's visitation of Yorkshire, in 1584-5. He is also mentioned in the will of his mother, Jane Field, of Ardsley, dated July 17, 1609. He was probably heir to his father, as his eldest brother, Richard, was disinherited for misconduct in the astronomer's will, made in 1587.

To return to Matthew Field, of London, the parish registers of Wakefield do not commence till 1613, and therefore afforded no help in tracing his ancestry; but among the wills recorded at York, we find that of Christopher Feylde, of Wakefield, mercer, dated July 8, 1557. He names in it his son and heir, Matthew, to whom he bequeaths the residue of his estate, and to whose wife a legacy is left. The other children named are Elizabeth, "now wife" of Henry Watkinson*, Katharine, wife of Richard Atkinson, and Christopher. The testator also speaks of his brothers Nicholas and William. He desires to be buried in the church of Wakefield, near his wife, and directs his executors to cause "a troughe stone," with a remembrance of himself, wife and children in pictures of brass to be set upon and laid upon the grave.

The Rev. J. L. Sisson, in his "Historical Sketch of Wakefield Church," published in 1824, says that a monument formerly existed in the north aisle of the edifice with this inscription: "Here under this stone lyeth buried the bodies of Christopher Fylde, mercer, and Eliz. his wyfe, which Christopher deceased the 30 day of Nov. in the year of our Lord God 1558, on whose soul Jesus have mercy."

The Wakefield manor rolls supply another link tending to show the relationship between this Christopher and Matthew Field, of London, for we find in them under the date of 1547, and heading of Sandall, that Christopher ffield was elected propositus for lands formerly Thomas Shays, and again in 1569, also headed Sandall, that Matthew ffield, of London, was elected prepositus (greave) for Shay's land, deputy William Sykes.

In the subsidy roll of the fifteenth Henry VIII. (1524), under Westgate Wakefield, Christopher Feyld is assessed for £20 goods 20s. There are a few other references to him in the manor rolls. In 1541 he surrendered lands in Wakefield graveship and manor to Elizabeth, his wife. He is referred to in 1544 as Christopher ffeld, Sandall, merchant. In 1552 Robert Copley "redd lands to Christopher ffeld, Sandall." I presume that his residence was at or near Sandall, and his place of business in Wakefield.

There was another Christopher Field living at the same time in this neighborhood. Both Christophers witnessed the will of Christopher Rishworthe, gent, of Crofton, in 1538—one describing himself as "wardroper," and the other as "husbandman." The latter made his will in December, 1570, and died shortly after. He names in it his sons Robert and John, also Christopher, Frances, Elizabeth and Alice, children of Robert and Israel and Frances, those of John. He describes himself as of Crofton, and as he leaves to five of his grandchildren each "one ewe lamb" we may assume that his calling was that of "husbandman," and that he is the witness so described in Rishworthe's will.

Crofton and Sandall are about two miles from Wakefield, and adjoin. The latter was at this period by far the most important of the two, and those residing in its immediate neighborhood may have been described as of Sandall. Here stood the famous castle, whose ruins are still shown, which was originally the chief seat of Wakefield manor, and which was at different epochs the residence of Richard

*Probably father of Matthew Watkinson, named in indenture, 1596.

III., and many other royal and distinguished persons, till its capture in 1645, during the civil wars, and demolition shortly after. It is not clear, therefore, if Christo pher Field, the father of Matthew, of London, resided at Crofton, or Sandall. The Parish Registers do not help us in this matter; those of the former place not commencing till 1617, and of the latter till 1652.

On the south side of the village of Crofton is an old building, on which are the arms of this family of Field—chevron between three garbs. It was doubtless the residence of some members of it; but I cannot say if it was the home of either Christopher, or dates back to their time. There were members of the family at a much later period at Crofton. William Field, who made his will Dec. 4, 1623, describes himself as "of Crofton," and left sons, William, Richard, Henry and Thomas.

All the persons named were, without doubt, offshoots of the family, which had been seated at Sowerby* since the commencement of the existing manor rolls. These begin in 1284†, but are imperfect till 1306. How much earlier they were there is not clear; but it would appear from the Coucher book of Whalley Abbey, which has been published by the Cheltham Society, that there were Fields at Rochdale about the middle of the thirteenth century. Although this town is in another county—Lancashire—it is only about a dozen miles from Sowerby.

The earliest mention I have met with of any member of the family in the immediate neighborhood of the town of Wakefield is in 1413, when John Field, of Normanton, is referred to in the manor rolls, who may have been the progenitor of the branches whom we find later at Crofton, Sandall and Ardsley.

The diary of Richard Symonds, written in 1644 and 1645, which has been published by the Camden Society, contains a description of a monument, which he saw in Madley church, near Hereford, which has since disappeared. It was that of a knight in complete armor of the thirteenth century—his surcoat embroidered with his arms—sable, three garbs argent; underneath was the inscription "Walt us et Joh' es Felde." The name and similarity of the arms would indicate that the family of these knights was identical with that of Wakefield manor, but there exists so little documentary evidence of this early date that I am unable to trace the connection.

Burke, who is not always reliable, states in one edition of his "Landed Gentry," that Hubertus de la Feld held lands in Lancashire, the third year after the conquest (presumably granted for military services at the time of the Norman invasion), and that others of the name were proprietors in this county at various dates during the next two centuries. I would remark here that the name is always written "del ffeld" in the earlier part of the Wakefield rolls, and until after 1400, and that this is a more correct form than "de la ffeld." The simplicity of the family arms, aside from the early date of the monument in Madley church, show that they were among the most ancient in the united kingdom. In choosing this "canting" coat one would suppose that the Fields would have assumed the natural and proper color for the garbs; but there was a substantial reason for not having done so, as it would have been identical with one already adopted by another family.

In a roll of arms, attributed to the reign of Henry III., and which is considered the most ancient one in England, of which any copy exists, the coat of the de Segraves is given as sable, three garbs or. A little later the Earls of Chesterboro, Azure, three garbs or.

Although there may be in England, or America, and probably are, other des-

*Pronounced Sorby.

†One of the earlier rolls is endorsed 1272 by mistake, as it relates to several years later.

cendants of the family which was once numerous in the manor of Wakefield, and of which Matthew Feild, of London, mercer, was a member, only those who can trace their ancestry to Robert Field, one of the patentees of Flushing, Long Island, in 1645, have established a claim to represent it. His father, William,* is described as of Sowerby, in the parish registers of Halifax, when his two eldest children were baptized March 9, 1605, and remained here until his death, in 1619. His removal may be explained by the fact that his wife, Susan, was daughter of John Midgley, of North Ouram, and not improbably she inherited property there. North Ouram, as well as Sowerby, is in the extensive and once royal manor of Wakefield, which may be considered the cradle of this branch of the Feilds.

To conclude, the connection between the great city companies of London and the Wakefield manor family did not cease with the death of Matthew Field, for in the rolls referred to there is this entry, under the date of 1612: "Wm Feilde eives et Marchante† Tayler de London & Sara up eins, surrender vac. voc. Lawsfield (Wakefield) to John Lyon of Wakefield, gent., money to be paid at his house in the psh of St. Faith, London." This William Field's will, recorded in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, London, is dated Jan. 28, 1621-2, and was proved February 13th of the same year. He describes himself as Citizen and Merchant Taylor of London, speaks of his wife, Sara, and children not named. Besides other property he leaves lands in Bedfordshire and Lambeth, and bequeaths to twenty poor people of this parish of St. Faith each 20s. His widow, Sarah s will was dated July 30, 1653, but not proved till Nov. 10, 1657. She describes herself as "of St. Faith's under St. Paul's, widow, aged and weak." She names her eldest son Samuel, deceased, son James, grandchild William Field, and daughters Sarah, wife of Robert Thornton, Elizabeth, wife of Adam Howes, and Mary, wife of William Jeston; also granddaughter Mary, wife of Oliver Boteler, of Harrold, County Bedford, Esq. She speaks of her cases in St. Paul's churchyard, and Old Change. Her burial is thus recorded in the parish registers of St. Faith's, May 4, 1657: "Mrs. Feild, out of St. John's chancel." In the registers of St. Faith are recorded the baptisms of William, Elizabeth, Daniel and Nathaniel, between 1656 and 1661, inclusive, children of "William Field, woolen draper, and Elizabeth, of St. Paul's churchyard." The father was, doubtless, the grandchild named in Sarah Field's will.

111. JOHN FIELD (John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas Roger), b. in England about 1590; m. —— ——. Descendants of John, of Cockernhoe, claim that he is a grandson of John, the astronomer. The same coat of arms and same crest as were used by the latter have been used by the former's descendants. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

154. i. HENRY, b. about 1620; m. Elizabeth Rudd.

112. ZECHARIAH FIELD (John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. East Ardsley, Yorkshire, England, in 1596; m. about 1641, Mary ——. She d. about 1670. He d. June 30, 1666. Res. Dorchester, Mass., in 1629; Hartford, Conn., in 1636; Northampton, in 1659, and Hatfield, Mass., in 1663.

Zechariah Field, son of John, and grandson of John Field, the astronomer, born in East Ardsley, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, England, about 1600. He prob-

*Probably the William, son of Christopher Field, of Sowerby, and Grace Gradsheighe, who was baptized at Halifax in 1543.

†It does not follow that his calling was that of tailor, for many having other occupations joined this wealthy guild for the great privileges conferred by its membership.

ably came to New England through Wales, and sailed from Bristol, and arrived in Boston in 1629, and settled in Dorchester.

In 1636 a large number of English emigrants, among whom was Zechariah Field, removed from Cambridge, Dorchester and Watertown, to Hartford, Windsor and Wethersfield, Conn. He settled in Hartford; his residence was upon Sentinel Hill, near the present north end of Main street. At this time he was still in the vigor of manhood, and was one of the forty-two men furnished by Hartford to take part in the Pequod war.

In venturing thus far toward the frontier he exposed his family to great dangers from the savages that were lurking near the new settlements. A few years later King Philips war stirred up the Indians from one end of Massachusetts to the other. The massacre of Bloody Brook (a part of Deerfield), in which a whole company of soldiers were killed, put a thrill of horror through the new settlements, that were soon deserted, the people fleeing to Northampton for safety. But a few months later the whites turned the tide in the battle of Turner's Falls, which gave them rest for some years, till the Indians were stirred up again by the French, and attacking Deerfield at night, set fire to the town and massacred part of the inhabitants, and made prisoners of the rest. In all these terrible scenes few families suffered more than the Field family, of whom some were killed and others, including women, carried into captivity, to Canada. But in spite of all these dangers the brave settlers held the frontier and became the ancestors of families who have kept the name unsullied, honored and revered. Among their descendants are not only judges, senators, congressmen, clergymen, lawyers and physicians, but men of business, and one—Marshall Field, of Chicago—the leading dry goods merchant in the world.

In 1659 Zechariah removed to Northampton, where he was engaged in mercantile business, and had a large trade with the Indians. He was one of the twenty-five persons who engaged to settle in what is now Hatfield, and was one of the committee to lay out the lands. They were to have their houses built and occupy them before Michaelmas (Sept. 29, 1661), but he did not probably go there until the next year, where he died, June 30, 1666. After his removal to Hatfield he was in business. His home lot contained eight acres, and was the first lot north of the Northampton road, and is now (1879) owned by William Billings, Esq.

"Zechariah Field was the first of the names to come to America from England, in 1630, and he is the ancestor of a large proportion of the families of that name, not only in New England, but in the United States. He was in Boston and Dorchester and moved thence to Hartford, Conn., going through the wilderness to the Connecticut river, where he was one of the first settlers. He owned large tracts of land there, some of which are now in the heart of the city of Hartford, one of these is now crossed by Asylum street, and is adorned by some of its most beautiful residences in that city. In 1644 dissensions arose in the church, which could not be successfully reconciled. He, with others of the early settlers, bought nine miles square of land lying north of Mt. Holyoke. Mr. Field settled in the part now named Northampton. In 1661 a grant was given him in the part now Hatfield, to which place he moved, and there passed the remainder of his days."

"Zechariah was the first to make his home in New England, and has the most numerous descendants, being the ancestor not only of a large proportion of the families of the name of Field in New England, but in the United States. He emigrated and landed in Boston in 1629, and settled in Dorchester. In 1636 a number of English emigrants, among whom was Zechariah Field, removed from Cambridge, Dorchester and Watertown to Connecticut, and settled in the towns of Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor. Zechariah settled in Hartford, and his residence was

upon Sentinel Hill, near the north end of Main street. He also owned lands upon which is Asylum street. The early historians of Connecticut speak of these emigrants as among the earliest planters in the state, and were all well-to-do persons. In 1658, after the death of Rev. Thomas Hooker, the first minister of the church in Hartford, a serious controversy arose in that and the neighboring churches of Windsor and Wethersfield, in relation to the "qualification for baptism, church membership and the rights of the brotherhood," and all efforts at reconciliation proving unsuccessful, the minority in the churches of Hartford and vicinity, with the view of extricating themselves and their children from these ecclesiastical dissensions, and being attracted by the beautiful and productive meadows on the Connecticut river above Northampton, associated themselves together to the number of sixty, of whom Zechariah Field was one, purchased of the Nonotuck Indians on the east side of the river a tract of land nine miles square, extending from Mount Holyoke to Napasoneag brook, nearly twelve miles up and down the river, which included the town of Hadley, and parts of the towns of Amherst, Granby, Leverett and Sunderland. They also purchased the same year of the Northampton proprietors Capawonk, which included Hatfield meadow and Hockanum, on the east side of the river, opposite Northampton. In 1659 fifty-nine of these associates came up to Hadley, where forty-six remained, and thirteen came across the river, and mostly settled in Hatfield. Mr. Field settled in Northampton, where he was engaged in mercantile business and had a large trade with the Indians. He was one of the twenty-five persons who engaged to settle in what is now Hatfield. They were to have their houses built and occupy them before Michaelmas (Sept. 29, 1661). His home lot contained eight acres, and was the first lot south of the Northampton road, where the dwelling of William Billings now (1880) stands. Referring to the causes which led these people to leave their newly acquired homes in Connecticut, and go forth into the wilderness and make for themselves new homes, where dangers were ever present. True, they bought the lands from the Indians and the title deed signed by Umpanchala and his brother, Etowomq, granting the land from Mill river, or Capawonk, to the north side of the great meadows, and to extend back westerly from the Connecticut river nine miles. Yet this gave them no immunity from the continual alarms of Indian warfare which soon after sprung up, and was nearly continuous until the capture of the Canada's by the English and colonists which resulted in the peace of Paris in 1763."—Rodney Field.

The early portion of the history of Hatfield will be found in the history of Hadley, of which it originally formed a part. With Hadley, it was settled in 1659, and, although it was municipally and ecclesiastically a portion of Hadley, it began at an early day to transact certain kinds of business independently, in what were denominated "side meetings," the "side" having reference to the opposite side of the river from the center of jurisdiction. The inconveniences resulting from the necessity of crossing the river to attend meetings, were felt from the first, and when the population had been somewhat increased, in the passage of a few years, they gave rise to a controversy which at last resulted in the establishment of the town of Hatfield. Petitions and manifestoes, almost without number, were sent to the General Court from both sides.

The Hartford, Conn., land records have a large number of conveyances, grantor and grantee of Zechariah Field (1639 to 1662). Those old transfers were not much more than a memorandum.

The most prominent and controlling cause which led to the settling of Hadley and Hatfield was, without a doubt, the disagreement that arose in the churches, that had been planted at Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor, Conn.

Hubbard says that the disagreements ended in the removal of one part of the church to Hadley and Hatfield. The cause of disagreement was simply this: Quite a minority in these churches held to different views relating to qualifications for baptism, church membership and the rights of the brotherhood. As relating to baptism, the minority held that if parents were respectable and not open to reproach for bad conduct, on their consenting to the covenant, they should have their children baptized. A matter of vital importance, as it was supposed and believed that without this rite having been administered, the child dying would be forever lost, even before it came to a knowledge of good and evil. And then some believed that no one should be permitted to enjoy church membership, except those that gave some evidence of their faith; while the minority wanted all to be admitted to the Lord's table, who had competent knowledge, and who were not immoral, though not claiming to have been regenerated. And then the minority were in favor of congregational form of government rather than a government by the elders and clergy.

Thus we see the causes which led these people to leave their homes and go forth into the wilderness, and make for themselves new homes, where dangers were even present. True, they bought their lands of the Indians, and the title deed, signed by Umpanchala, and his brother, Etowomq, granting the land from Mill river, or Capawonk, to the north side of the Great or North Meadows, and to extend back westerly from the Connecticut river nine miles. Yet this gave them no immunity from the dangers resulting from the almost constant roar maintained by the various Indian tribes all along our frontier settlements. Among those who cared more for free religious thought and action then he did for sitting supinely by and allowing the minister to do the thinking for him, was the ancestor of our worthy host, Zechariah Field. Indeed he dared leave his house and lands, and although then three score years old, to leave all and go out into a new land, and built for himself a new home, where Indians roamed the fields, fished in our brooks, hunted in our woods, and planted corn in our meadows, sold brooms to our housewives, begged cold victuals, and strong water when they could get it, from our very religious ancestors in times of peace. But when ere long, strife was engendered and ruthless savage warfare was waged around our little frontier settlements; then, indeed, the faith and trust of these noble men, was equal to the occasion, and while they bravely defended their wives and little ones from the savage foe with such skill and power as they possessed they never forgot the great facts of their faith and calmly trusted in the Lord for that deliverance which He alone could give.

155. i. MARY, b. about 1643; m. Oct. 6, 1663, Joshua Carter, Jr., of Northampton. He was b. in 1638; was son of Joshua, of Dorchester, Windsor and Hartford. Was in Northampton in 1660, and was one of the first settlers in Deerfield; was constable in 1674, and was one of the ill-fated ones who fell with Captain Lathrope. He was killed by Indians with Captain Lathrope, at Bloody brook, Sept. 18, 1675. He was removing some of his effects to Northampton for safety where his family soon went. Ch.: 1. Child, b. Feb. 27, 1664; d. May 17, 1664. 2. Abigail, b. Feb. 11, 1666. 3. Joshua, b. June 6, 1668; m. Mary Skinner; removed to Hartford. 4. Jacob Benton, b. Sept. 21, 1698; m. July 6, 1724, Abigail Castee, dau. of Joshua, third. 5. Timothy Dodd, Sr., bap. Aug. 17, 1724; m. Abigail Benton, dau. of Jacob. 6. Dorus Barnard, b. Dec. 10, 1758; m. Oct. 12, 1780, Abigail Dodd, dau. of Timothy, Sr. 7. Lemuel Steele, Jr., b. Aug. 22, 1787; m. Nov. 29, 1810,

Tabitha Barnard, dau. of Dorus. 8. John F. Steele, b. March 12, 1822; m. Sept. 2, 1846, Frances Mary, dau. of Oliver Steele. 9. Frederick Morgan Steele, b. Nov. 27, 1851; m. Nov. 6, 1883, Ella A., dau. of William H. H. Pratt. Frederick M. Steele is president of the Chicago Forge and Bolt Co., with works and office at Fortieth street and Stewart avenue, Chicago, Ill. 4. Joseph, prob.

156. ii. ZECHARIAH, b. about 1645; m. Sarah Webb.
157. iii. JOHN, b. about 1648; m. Mary Edwards.
158. iv. SAMUEL, b. about 1651; m. Sarah Gilbert.
159. v. JOSEPH, b. about 1658; m. Joanna Wyatt and Mary Belding.

113. JAMES FIELD (Matthew, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. East Ardsley, England, in 1591; m. Margaret——, named in the parish register of Thurnscoe. James Feild, of Thurnscoe, described as son and heir in a bond dated July 6, 1617. Called "eldest brother" in Matthew's will, who bequeathed to his children £20. Succeeded to the manor of Thurnscoe on the death of his father in 1631, being then forty years of age. He resided at Thurnscoe. Some of the parish records in which church his children were baptized in 1630, are quite obliterated. He d. ——; res. Thurnscoe, England.

160. i. JAMES, bap. Aug. 17, 1628.
161. ii. WILLIAM, bap. May 4, 1630.
162. iii. ROBERT, bap. Jan. 27, 1632.
163. iv. JUDITH, b. ——; m. Nov. 7, 1646, John Sylvester, Gent., of Mansfield.
164. v. ANNE, bap. June 23, 1639; d. April 9, 1640.

115. MATTHEW FIELD (Matthew, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), bap. March 12, 1608, East Ardsley, England; m. Margaret Feild, daughter of Robert; buried at East Ardsley, June 14, 1632. Matthew Feild, of East Ardsley, baptized there March 12, 1608-9. Will dated Jan. 10, 1638-9, proved April 19, 1639. He values his estate at "noe less than 1440 pounds." He leaves £400 to his son Matthew, who appears to have been his only child, and gives him the disposal of £100 when he was sixteen years of age. There is a legacy of £20 to his brother James and to his daughter Judith Field, now with me, Fyve pounds. To my brother William Feild, £20; to my brother John Feild, £30; to my cozin (nephew) Gervis Smith, who is at Cambridge five pounds; to my sister Shawe, forty shillings; to my sister Anne Farmer, twenty pounds; to my brother Gervaise Smith's children, equally £10. He speaks of his brother James' children. There are other legacies to friends, servants and the poor of Ardsley. He appoints his father-in-law, Mr. Robert Field, his brother James Feild, and his brother-in-law Gervis Smith, supervisors. The entry in the parish register shows his wife died before he did. He d. April, 1639; res. East Ardsley, England.

165. i. MATTHEW, b. about 1631. Matthew Feild, only child named in his father's will in 1638-9; not then 16 years of age.

121. HON. JOHN FIELD (William, John, Richard, William, William*), b. prob. in Thurnscoe, England; m. ——; she d. in 1686. His estate was admr. upon Mar. 22, 1686.

Aug. 20, 1637—at this date or a little later, he and twelve others signed the following compact:

"We whose names are hereunder, desirous to inhabit in the town of Provi-

*For convenience we drop the names of the early ancestors. See former generation.

dence, do promise to subject ourselves in active or passive obedience, to all such orders or agreements as shall be made for public good of the body, in an orderly way, by the major assent of the present inhabitants, masters of families incorporated together into a town fellowship, and such others whom they shall admit unto them, only in civil things."

July 27, 1640, he and thirty-eight others signed an agreement for form of government; Jan. 27, 1645, he bought twenty-five acres and a share of meadow of Ezekiel Holiman; in 1655, he was a freeman; Oct. 8, 1659, was on the jury; Feb. 19, 1665, in a division of lots he drew number five; in 1676, he was a deputy; July 1, 1679, Zachary Field and his father were taxed together; Nov. 22, 1686, his will was exhibited by son Zachariah for probate, but the executrix not appearing, and no witnesses cited, and the legatees having already proceeded in division, etc., the town council refused to probate it. Inventory £34, 19s, 6d.

Here is a copy of a remarkable paper. Some years ago while collating and arranging the old papers of the town of Providence, it was necessary to detach a lot of old papers that had been pasted into scrap books. One of these papers which had a return of the property of Joseph Jenks (liable to be taxed) upon being "soaked off" of the page had upon the other side the writing which is here copied. It is in the handwriting of Thos. Olny, long the town clerk, and refers to the first John Field of Providence without doubt. It was evidently the beginning of some instrument which he had been commissioned to prepare, and was left unfinished, for what reason it would now be impossible to tell. It was written in 1686 or 1687.

Yours very truly, EDWARD FIELD.

Providence, January, 1900.

[COPY.]

"Whereas there was by James Field of St. Albans in Hertfordshire, who is some time since deceased a bequest made of one hundred pounds the which by his last will and testament he gave and bequeathed unto his brother John Field dwelling in Providence in New England; and if he were dead then ye said moneys to be divided amongst his children. And whereas ye sayd John Field is deceased and ye sayd legacye not yet payd. Be it known."—Providence Town Papers, 01103.

Early records of town of Providence, vol. 1, p. 112, is a deed signed by James Mathewson, badly torn, dated 20th day of ——, 16—; "the other two akres and halfe from Father in law John Field of Providence."

B. 1, p. 95, Early Records. 1661, 7 mo., 21 d. From William Field 60 acres of land on Waubosset Plain on S. E. side of Long Pond.

6, 47. Will of James Mathewson, date Aug. 24, 1682, presented Oct. 10, 1682. Hannah widow apptd. Administratrix. See copy of Will in 6-59. He speaks of son Zachariah and of a child unborn—also of daughters.

Early Records of Providence, vol. 6, p. 153. March 22, 1685-6. Whereas Zachary Field hath this day exhibitted to ye Council a writteing which he sayth is his Father (John Field deceased) his last will, proposing to the Councill concerning probation thereof, but the Executrix not appearing to propegate the same nor to give in bond, nor no wittnesses appear to give in testimony upon the same. And upon examination of the said writeing it appeareth dubious in itself. And finding that the legatees have before proceeded to action as to the Estate therein contained, the Council do not at present see their way clear to proceed to a probation thereof.

The Inventory of the Estate of the deceased John Field also brought this day before the Council and hath been by ye Council so far taken notice of as that it is attested by William Hopkins. It as appears amounts to £34—19—6.

John Field was probably living in May, 1684, as the Town Council were notified to meet at his house.

Early Records, vol. 8, p. 12. 1676, Aug. 14. John Field was one of twenty-seven who "staid and went not away." This is an error.

Gorton S. D. 1644, Jan. 30. One of twelve who testified of the cruelties of the Massachusetts men in relation to Gorton.

He d. in March, 1686; res. Providence, R. I.

166. i. HANNAH, b. ——; m. in Providence, James Mathewson; d. 1682; m. 2d, Henry Brown, b. 1625, d. Feb. 20, 1703, s. p.; he was deputy in 1680. Hannah d. in 1703; res. Providence, R. I. Children: 1. Ruth, m. Benjamin Whipple. 2. James, b. Aug. 11, 1666; m. April 5, 1696, Elizabeth Clemence. 3. John, m. Deliverance Malavery. 4. Isabel, m. John Brown. 5. Thomas, b. April 1, 1673; m. Martha Field, daughter of Thomas (see) 6. Lydia. 7. Zachariah, m. Sarah —— and Joanna Eddy. 8. Daniel, b. Jan. 28, 1682: m. Sarah Inman, Esther ——, Charity Truman and Lydia Montague. Children: Daniel, b. March 5, 1704; m. Oct. 7, 1731, Lydia Edmunds, daughter of Wm. and Alice; m. 2d, Meribah ——. Children: 1x. Noah. 2. Abraham. 3. Daniel. 4. Lydia. 5. Avis. 6. Keziah. 1x. Noah, b. in 1734; m. Judith—. He d. in 1824, "a patriot of the Revolution," aged 90 yrs. Children: 1. Charles. 2. Asa. 3. Lucretia. 4x. Dorcas. 5. Rhoda. 6. Joseph. 7. Benjamin. 8. Noah. 9. Judith. 10. Daniel. 4x. Dorcas, daughter of Noah and Judith Mathewson, b. Dec. 7, 1762; d. April 5, 1847; m. Willard Eddy, who had been a soldier in the Revolutionary war, in the year 1782, Dec. 11. They settled in Gloucester, R. I., whence they removed to Richfield, Otsego Co., N. Y. Children: 1. Mathewson. 2. Otis. 3. Rhoda. 4. Hannah. 5x. Elizabeth. 6. Nancy. 7. Lydia. 5x. Elizabeth Eddy, m. Joseph Beardsley, son of Obadiah and Eunice Beardsley, Jan. 4, 1819, at Richfield, Otsego Co., N. Y. Children: 1. Dorcas, m. Stephen H. Lathrop, a banker of Oswego, N. Y. 2. Joseph, a physician. 3. Frances, m. Erastus Clark, a lawyer of Utica, N. Y. 4x. Lydia, m. Floyd Cushman Shepard, a banker, of Ilion, N. Y. 5. Lewis, m. Charlotte Judah. 6. Mary, m. Maj. Edmund Underwood, U. S. A. 7. Anna, m. Alexander Seward, a lawyer of Utica, N. Y. 4x. Lydia Louise Bardsley, m. Floyd Cushman Shepard, Jan. 12, 1847, at Richfield, N. Y. He was b. Sept. 21, 1824; d. Nov. 2. 1894. Children: 1x. Mary Louise, b. April 24, 1848; m. Oct. 8, 1873. 2. Alfred, b. Feb. 6, 1851; m. Oct., 1875. 3. Fanny, b. 1853; unmarried. 4. Harry, b. 1855; d. 1874. 5. Elizabeth, b. 1857; m. F. Armstrong, Oct. 5, 1877; d. Sept., 1892. 6. Robert, b. 1859, unmarried. 7. Kate, b. 1862; d. 1875. 8. Floyd, b. 1864; d. 1864. 9. Grace, b. 1865; unmarried. 10. Alice, b. 1867; m. A. Richardson. 11. Floy, b. 1870; m. F C. Brooks. 1x. Mary Louise m. Gilbert W. Warren, b. Sept. 5, 1843; res. Ilion, N. Y. He is a manufacturer. Children: 1. Fanny Louise, b. Dec. 17, 1877, at Saginaw, Mich.; d. at Ilion, N. Y., June 21, 1878. 2. Gilbert Watson, b. Aug. 15, 1883, at Indianapolis, Ind.; now lives at Ilion, N. Y. 3. Anna Raymond Beardsley, b. March 22, 1887, at Ilion, N. Y.; d. Dec. 19, 1894.

167. ii. JOHN, b. about 1645; m. Elizabeth Everden.

168. iii. DANIEL, b. ——; d. unm. Aug , 1676. May, 1671, he gave allegiance to King Charles II. Aug., 1679, he was buried. He and —another buried at about same time—were called "in the flower of their youth."

169. iv. ZACHARIAH, b. about 1650; m. Sarah Thornton.

170. v. RUTH, b. ——; m. Jan. 7, 1669, John Angell, b. 1646. He d. July 27, 1720; she d. 1727. He was son of Thomas of Salem, who came over in the ship Lyon for Boston. Went to Salem, returned to Boston, and with four others went to Providence with Roger Williams. John remained in Providence during King Philip's war, and had a share of the captive Indians. In 1686 he was deputy. He gave his son John his mansion house and land on both sides of Woonasquatucket river. His wife Ruth, Sept. 30, 1720, was administratrix with son Hope. Children: 1. Thomas, b. March 25, 1672. 2. Mercy, b. 1675. 3. John, b. ——. 4. Daniel, b. May 2, 1680. 5. James, b. 1684. 6. Hope, b. Dec. 12, 1685.

122. WILLIAM FIELD (William, John, Richard, William, William*), b. in Thurnscoe, England, prob. m. in England, Deborah ——; she d. s. p. in 1679. On account of religious persecution he fled to Wales and as soon as possible thereafter came to America. From Providence R. I. Records B. 2, p. 140. To Richard Burden of Portsmouth, May 17, 1658-59.

B. 2, p. 142. Of William Burrows, Nov. 30, 1660.

B. 2, p. 353. Of Edward Harte, March 5, 1641; joins with R. Williams.

B. 1, p. 66. To Thomas Olney, Sen., Apr. 14, 1645, for good consideration.

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Complains against Gorton in 1643.

Assistant 1650, 1658, 1660.

Mentioned in Charter of 1663.

Early Records, Prov., B. 2, p. 37. Feb. 2, 1659, John Warner apprenticed to Wm. Field for 7 years.

B. 8, p. 24. Jan. 28, 1677, Thomas Field, heir of William Field, deceased, granted privilege of recording his deeds.

B. 8, p. 48. April 28, 1679, Arthur Fenner granted permission to record deeds of land purchased of William Field in 1657.

Mrs. Brownell. "William was son of William who was born in 1571.

William was son of Sir John who died 1587.

John was son of Richard who died 1542.

Richard was grandson of William who died 1480."

Staples Annals, p. 168. William Field's house was fortified and made a garrison house during Philip's war. The house was on South Main street, near Providence Bank Building.

Will of William Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 1. No. A16. Early Records, Vol. 7, p. 225. Lett all men know before whome these presentes shall come; That I William ffield of providence in Rhoade Jland and providence Collonie, or plantations in in New-England; being weake in Bodye, but perfect in my Memorie; and not knoweing how the wise God may disposse of me Either to life or death And willing to Sett all my Earthly, & worldly Estate in order that there may be no distraction therein when I am departed this world; I doe ordaine this as my last will & Testament; Jtem, I doe give unto my deare & loving Cousen Thomas ffield now at providence with me all that Cargo that is now upon Sending to the Barbados,

* For convenience names of early ancestors are dropped. See preceding generation.

as also all my horse kind that I have, Saving those which I Shall hereafter Expresse; Also I doe Give & bequeath unto my Said Cousen Thomas ffield foure Heiffers which at preseant are at Neotaconitt at Henry ffowlars; Also I doe Give unto my forsaid Cousen that Right of my Land which I have at Aquidnessitt, as also my Right in that land which belongeth to me above pauchassett River, which is now in Controvercy with Some men of warwick, I meane that above pauchassett, as I chalenge in the Right of pautuxett; Also I give unto my said Cousen those my ffurres which I have in my howse at this presant. Jtem I give & bequeath unto my Servant John Warner, one young Maare, being that mare which goeth at warwick, or that lately there went. Jtem I doe bequeath unto my deare & loveing wife Two mares and one Coalt, the one mare is the old mare which I bought of Robert Martin, with that Colt of the Said mare, which is the Coalt Expressed. The other mare, is that mare which I bought of Abiah Carpenter; Also I doe give unto my Said wife all the rest of my Cattell which I have not before Expressed, of what kind soever they be both Small and great, to be her owne proper Goodes; As also I doe give unto her all the rest of my Goodes: and moveables: as well that which is as Yett coming to me from the Barbados, which is from thence due to me, as the rest which belongeth to me; As also all my tackling about Cartagge, as Cartes yoakes &cr: and all tooles whatso Ever to me belonging; Also I doe bequeath unto my Saide wife duering her life, all my home stall, or dwelling place that I am at presant possessed with. As howses, and Barne and Barnes, or out howsen goeing under what name so Ever, & the land with the Said howses: As also I doe give unto my Said wife duering her said Liffe all my upland in Saxaffrax neck, as also all my meaddow at pomeconssett or that goeth under that name, as also I doe give unto my Saide wife all my Land which lieth in the Neck to make use of duering her life, and all my other Landes whereso Ever not before Expressed. And after her desease my will is that all the howses, & Landes before Expressed Shall goe or belong unto the forsaid Thomas ffield, or to his Heirs, or Assignes; or so many of the Said howses or Barnnes, as shall be then Standing, Also I leave my wiffe my full & Lawfull Exsecutrix, both to pay my Debtes, as also to receive my debtes due to me from any, as also to se my Bodye decently Buried; Jn wittnesse of this my will I have Sett to my hand & Seale this one & Thirtieth day of May, and in the Yeare of Christ one Thousand, six hundred, Sixty ffive.

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered
in the presence of vs
Thomas Olney Senior
The marke X of Thomas
Angell

The
marke X of William
ffeild

Thomas Olney Junior:
Memorandum before these presentes were Sealed, his will is, that his Servant John Warner Shall Serve his Tyme out with his now Dame.

A True Copie Copied June the third, 1665 p me Tho:
Olney Junior Clarke of the Towne of providence;
This is aproved of by me
William Carpenter Asistant.

He d. in May or June, 1665; res., s. p., Providence, R. I.

123. THOMAS FIELD (William, John, Richard, William, William*), b. prob. in Thurnscoe, England; m. —— ——. Res., Thurnscoe, England.

171. i. THOMAS, b. about 1648; m. Martha Harris.

* Names of early ancestors are dropped. See former generations.

126. LORD JOSEPH FEILD (Edward, William, John, John, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), bap. in Bradford, England, Aug. 2, 1601; settlement Oct. 10, 1625; m. Mary Rawson. Joseph Feild, of Shipley, eldest son and heir of his father, was Lord of the manor of Heaton Oct. 30, 1635, heir to his father as per inquisition on the latter Aug. 23, 1641, will dated Aug. 25, 1660, proved Jan. 9, 1661. Mary, his wife, was daughter and co-heir of William Rawson, of Braken Bank, in the parish of Keighley, an executrix of her husband's will, and was buried at Bradford May 5, 1663.

Joseph Feild, eldest son and heir of Edward, was baptized at Bradford, Aug. 22d or 23d, 1601. He remained at Shipley, and was lord of the manor of Heaton, Oct. 30, 1635. His wife was Mary, daughter and co-heiress of William Rawson, of Braken Bank, parish of Keighley. Joseph Feild's will is dated Aug. 25, 1660, and was proved Jan. 9, 1661. He names in it his wife, Mary, sons John and Jeremy, and daughters Mary and Anne; the latter, wife of William Parkinson. Also his grandchildren, Joseph and Mary, children of his son Jeremy. Mary, widow of Joseph Feild, was buried at Bradford, May 5, 1663. The following children of Joseph and Mary are named in the pedigree: Anne, baptized at Bradford, Jan. 18, 1626-7, married to William Parkinson, both living Aug. 25, 1660; John, eldest son and heir, baptized March 30, 1628, of Heaton. Will made about Oct. 13, 1712. Buried at Bradford, October 18th the same year. Administration granted at York, June 16, 1713. Joshua baptized at Bradford March 27, 1631, buried there Nov. 14, 1632. Jeremiah, second son, baptized at Bradford July 27, 1634, living at Hipperholme from 1660 to 1672, after of Chellow in Heaton, where he died; buried May 7, 1705. He married at Bradford, Nov. 2, 1658, Judith, daughter of William Walker, of Scoles, in the parish of Birstall. It would appear from the pedigree that John, eldest son of Joseph and Mary Feild, was never married. He d. January, 1661. Res. Shipley, England.

172. i. ANNE, bap. Bradford Jan. 18, 1626; m. William Parkinson, Esq., named in her father's will; had several children.

173. ii. JOHN, bap. Bradford, March 25, 1628. John Feild, of Heaton, eldest son and heir, baptized at Bradford, March 25, 1628; will made 1712; buried October 18 that year s. p. Administration granted at York June 16, 1713; named in his father's will. Estate devolved upon his nephew.

174. iii. JOSHUA, bap. Bradford March 26, 1631. He married in Bradford, July 10, 1662, Abigail Feild, daughter of George, of Shipley, and had a daughter Abigail.

175. iv. JEREMIAH, bap. Bradford, July 27, 1634; m. Judith Walker.

176. v. MARY, bap. March 31, 1640. Named in her father's will as executrix.

136. WILLIAM FEILD (Edward, Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. about 1585; m. Elizabeth ——. "William Feild de Wakefield" is named in the rolls in 1611, and in the same year "Roger Feilde de Wakefield, chapman" took of waste in Alverthorpe. This Roger is more fully referred to under Alverthorpe. In 1633, and again in 1634, "William Feild de Wakefield" grants lands to his wife, Elizabeth, and in the latter year, under Wakefield, Elizabeth Field surrenders Baseynge to Thomas Bedford, and Mary, his wife, a daughter of William Field; remainder to Edward, son of said William, who was probably dead at the time. He d. prob. 1634. Res., Wakefield, England.

177. i. MARY, b. ——; m. Thomas Bedford.

178. ii. EDWARD, b. ——.

179. iii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Sarah ——.

145. ROBERT FIELD (Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. about 1636, in Rhode Island; m. Susannah ——. He was probably the eldest son. Land was deeded to him by his father in 1653–54. He signed public documents in 1656 and 1657. Was at Newtown on or before 1670. Was named in patent for that town in 1686. He was constable April 30, 1685. Was a Quaker in religion.

Mrs. Field was named in the entry of the marriage of her son, Nathaniel.

Robert Field, junior, was probably the eldest son, as he is the first named in the deed of 1653-54. As already stated he removed to the adjoining town of Newtown in or before 1670. He appears in the records of that place as selling land there in 1671. He was one of the two overseers of Newtown in 1672, 1674, 1675, 1678 and 1680.

In the valuation of estates there in 1675, Robert Field had "30 acres of land, 1 horse, 2 oxen, 5 cows, 3 three-year-olds, 2 two-year-olds, 1 one year old, twenty sheep and 2 swine, one male person." The author infers from the last sentence that all his sons were then under age. In 1683 Robert Field and Robert Field, Jr., were rate-payers at Newtown, and in 1685 the names of both are in a list of residents, and probably freeholders there. On Nov. 25, 1686, Governor Dongan granted a new patent to the inhabitants of Newtown, confirming their rights, which mentions both Roberts.

Robert Field, of Newtown, L. I., to whom his father granted lands by deed Feb. 12, 1653. He signed public documents in 1656 and 1657, and is named in patent of Flushing of 1665-6. He removed to Newtown in or before 1671, and is named in patent of that town of Nov. 25, 1686; died there April 13, 1701. His wife, Susannah, was named in the record of the marriage of her son, Nathaniel; survived her husband.

A patent of confirmation for the lands in Flushing, dated Feb. 16, 1666, was obtained from Governor Nicolls by Robert (his father), Robert and his brother Benjamin. He d. April 13, 1701. Res., Newtown, L. I.

180. i. ROBERT, b. ——; m. Mrs. Phebe (Titus) Scudder.
181. ii. NATHANIEL, b. ——; m. Patience Bull.
182. iii. ELNATHAN, b. ——; m. Elizabeth ——.
183. iv. BENJAMIN, b. ——; m. Experience Allen.
183½ v. AMBROSE, b. ——; m. —— ——.
184. vi. SUSANNAH, b. ——; m. Peter Thorne. Susannah declared her intention of marrying with Isaac Merritt, of Burlington, N. J., in June, 1699. She married Peter Thorn, for he is mentioned in Robert Field's will. Dec. 10, 1734.

146. ANTHONY FIELD (Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. prob. in Rhode Island, in 1638; m. Susannah ——.

Anthony Field, son of the emigrant, and probably the second child, remained at Flushing. We have seen that his father deeded a house lot to him in 1653-54, and that he signed public documents of some importance in 1656-57. He is named in the patent of confirmation of Flushing, in 1666, and also among those who took the oath of allegiance in 1673.

A valuation of estates at Flushing was made in 1675, which has the following entry: "Anthony Feild, 27 acres, 2 horses, 2 oxen, and 5 cows." His name occurs in a similar document in 1683, as follows: "Anthony Feild, 50 acres, 2 oxen, 4 cows, 4 swine, 10 sheep." From 1675 to 1683 he was among the ratepayers of Flushing, and he is one of those to whom a patent of confirmation of that town

was granted March 23, 1685. This is the last occasion on which the author finds him mentioned, and he died before his son Benjamin married in 1691, as he is spoken of in the entry of it as "deceased." We know from this record that his wife, who survived him, was named Susannah, but that of her family has not come down to us. We also learn from it that Benjamin was not his only son. His wife, Susannah, was named in a letter to her daughter-in-law, Hannah Bowne, living Nov. 30, 1691. Res. Flushing, L. I.

185. i. BENJAMIN, b. 1663; m. Hannah Bowne and Elizabeth Feaks.

186. ii. JOHN, b. 1659. He was of Flushing, where his estate was valued in 1683, named in patent of Flushing, March 23, 1685 (?), made oath of allegiance in 1673 or 1674. (Received from Governor Andros, between 1674 and 1681, a patent for land on Delaware Bay, New Jersey, to which state he probably removed.) He m. Margaret ——.

PROOF THAT JOHN FIELD, THE ASTRONOMER, WAS THE ANCESTOR OF THE FIELDS IN AMERICA.

[By Rev. Henry Martyn Field.]

Of those who have made researches into the genealogy of the Fields in this country, few have been able to carry back the line beyond the first of the name who came to America. Even Mr. Osgood Field, who has spent a greater part of his life in England, and been ardent in the search, is not able to trace his immediate ancestors further than to Great Horton, in Yorkshire. This is about seven miles from Ardsley, where lived John Field, the astronomer, of whom he says: "We are related to, but not descended from, that distinguished man, and entitled to the arms confirmed to him, but strictly speaking, not to the crest." He seems to be lost in attempting to trace the family of John Field, and in a brief account which he furnished to the "Gentleman's Magazine," supplementary to an article published in 1834, he says, "I am unable to say if any of his descendants, in the male line, are now living." We regret to differ from so high an authority, but in our judgment, the proofs which follow, are decisive that there are male descendants now living, and that he himself is one of them, and further, that this same eminent man is the ancestor of the principal families of Fields in America.

Twenty years ago I prepared a little memorial of my father's family (that of the late Rev. David D. Field, D.D., of Stockbridge, Mass.), which had the good fortune to bring me into acquaintance with others of the name, and thus teach me much more about my own family than I knew before. Among others, it fell under the notice of Mr. Richard Field, a venerable Quaker of Brooklyn, who had long taken great interest in genealogical researches. He "was highly gratified in its perusal," but regretted to find that I had not been able to procure the necessary data to trace my ancestors at least two generations beyond Zachariah Field, as he "had for a long time been in possession of information which perfectly satisfied him that Zachariah was beyond question the grandson of John Field, the astronomer." Fully assured that he had in his hands the missing link in our ancestral line, he called on Mr. Cyrus W. Field, and laid before him the facts in his possession, and at his suggestion wrote as follows to his father, the Rev. Dr. Field:

"Brooklyn, Jan. 20, 1862.

"My much respected, though unknown friend:

"I was recently called on by a gentleman, who introduced himself by informing me that he was a member of the Field family, from the state of New Jersey, whose ancestors he had been endeavoring to trace to as early a period as he could; and

that he had succeeded no farther than to a John Field, who came to New Jersey from Flushing, L. I., more than 150 years ago; that for the purpose of prosecuting his researches, he had recently visited Flushing, but could obtain no satisfactory information in relation to the object of his inquiry. He learned that the old records of the town, in which he hoped to find accounts of the early settlement of that place, had been destroyed by fire many years since. He finally met with some one who advised him to call on me, as I could probably furnish him with the desired information. He accordingly did call, and I had the satisfaction to furnish him with the information, that the John Field, who removed from Flushing, was the son of Anthony Field, of Flushing; that Anthony Field, his brother Benjamin, and father Robert, with a number of others, were named in a patent of confirmation obtained from Governor Nicoll, for the town of Flushing, dated Feb. 16, 1666; that Robert Field only was named in the original patent obtained from Governor Kieft (that is, Robert only of the Fields). He, with a number of others, obtained the original patents from the Governor, or rather Director-General, of New Netherlands, as New York was then called. Robert Field's sons, Anthony and Benjamin, were then children at that date (Oct. 19, 1645). He was further informed, that Robert Field, father of Anthony, was the son of James Field, the grandson of Matthew Field, of Ardsley, York county, England, and that Matthew Field was the son of John Field, of Ardsley, formerly of London, the celebrated astronomer."

[The letter then details a plan of a genealogical Family Tree, of which John Field, the astronomer, should form the trunk, and his descendants the branches, to render which complete it was desirable to obtain information in regard to "the names of those who can trace their ancestors back to either Zechariah Field, who came out to Boston about the year 1632—to William or John Field, who came to Rhode Island shortly afterwards—or to Robert Field, who arrived in Boston in 1644, and settled in Flushing in 1645."]

The writer of this letter afterwards did me the kindness to call upon me, and to show me the proofs which made the ancestry of the Fields of this country so clear and plain to him. Within the two years following I saw him many times, and was equally surprised and gratified by the extent of his information. As I am chiefly indebted to him for the facts which follow, it is right to let the reader know the character and standing of my informant. Mr. Richard Field was an old merchant of New York, to which he came more than half a century before I knew him. He was for twenty-two years—from 1823 to 1845—in partnership with Charles C. Thompson. The firm was Field, Thompson & Co. He was in business in Pearl street, where Platt street is now cut through. From 1829 to 1845 he was in Cedar street. He was then retired from business, being nearly seventy-two years old, though the house was continued in the firm of Field, Morris & Co., his two sons being partners. For twenty-five years he had lived in Brooklyn, where he still resided, at No. 109 Willow street. He was connected with many of the public institutions of that city, and for some years discharged the responsible duties of president of the Brooklyn City Hospital.

At these interviews Mr. Field showed me many ancient and curious documents containing autograph signatures of his ancestors—one of them, with the date of 1692, bore the signatures of his grandfather's great-grandfather, and of his grandmother's great-grandfather, Benjamin Field, and of several of his lineal descendants, as well as collateral branches of the family. Among these was one [copied on another page] which came from his grandmother, giving the date of the birth of Benjamin Field, in 1663, and extending back in a direct line to his ancestors—Anthony, Robert, James, and Matthew—to John Field, the astronomer, giving the date of the birth of each. There was also a document executed by his great-grand-

father, Robert Field, son of Benjamin, born in 1707, being the manumission of a slave, in which he says, "Upon considering the case of negroes now in slavery, believing they should be free, I do hereby declare," etc., discharging his slave from all claims of himself or his heirs.

These old papers were kept by Mr. Field with religious care, as they enabled him to trace back his ancestors, in an unbroken line, for more than three hundred years, and to find a great and honored name as that of the founder of the family.

The following are the testimonies referred to in the letter of Mr. Field, which, in his view, established the fact that the Fields in this country—at least those descended from Zechariah, William, John, or Robert Field—were all descended from John Field, the astronomer:

Copy of an old Record belonging to Mr. Richard Field, which came from his grandmother, and which had probably been in the family more than 100 years. The water mark, G. R., with the crown, showed that the paper was made when the United States were Colonies of Great Britain.

Benjamin Field was born in Flushing, in the year 1663, was the son of Anthony and Susanna Field. He had a brother John, a few years older than himself, who removed to the Jerseys and settled there. His father, Anthony Field, was born in England, in 1638, and came out with his father, Robert Field, to Boston, in 1644, and came to Flushing in 1645, together with his brother, Robert, who was born in 1636, and Benjamin, born in 1640.

Robert, father of Anthony, was born at Ardsley, in England, in 1610. He had a brother James, and two sisters, Anne and Judith. James Field, father of Robert, was born at Ardsley, in 1587. He was the son of Matthew Field, and had a brother Robert, younger than himself. Matthew Field father of James, was born at Ardsley, in 1563. He had seven brothers, whose names were—Richard, older than himself, and Christopher, John, William, Thomas, James and Martin, and a sister Anne, who were younger. John Field, father of Matthew, was born about 1525. He lived in London, where it is believed he was born, until about 1560, when he married Jane Amyas, daughter of John Amyas, and removed to Ardsley, where he resided till his death, in 1587. While he resided in London, he was engaged in publishing astronomical tables, by which he gained a very high reputation as an astronomer.

STATEMENT OF JOSIAH FIELD.

Josiah Field was an uncle of Richard Field, and of course, like him, was a descendant of the Flushing Fields. He was born in 1774, in the town of Greenwich, Conn., just over the line of the State of New York, and was the son of Uriah Field. He came to New York City about the year 1815, and here continued to reside until his death, in 1858 or 1859. He was a dealer in hides, and was well known to the leather merchants in the "Swamp," as Ferry street, with its vicinity, was then called. His place of business was in Elizabeth street.

Josiah Field's statement of a conversation with an old gentleman of the Massachusetts branch of the Field family, about the year 1830.

Josiah Field stated that he was one day standing at the door of his place of business when he was accosted by an old gentleman who was passing, with the inquiry whether his name was Field, and who, on receiving an affirmative reply, remarked that he supposed so from seeing the name on the sign-board. He said his object in making the inquiry was to learn whether he was a descendant of the Flushing branch of the Field family, and whether he could trace them back beyond Robert Field, one of the first proprietors of the town of Flushing?

Josiah Field replied he was from the Flushing branch of the family, and that he could trace them back three generations beyond Robert Field with entire certainty; that Robert Field, of Flushing was the son of James Field; that James Field was the son of Matthew Field, of Ardsley; and that Matthew Field was the son of John Field, the astronomer.

The old gentleman then inquired whether he could inform him whether James Field, son of Matthew, had any brothers? Josiah Field informed him that James had but one brother, whose name was Robert.

Inquiry was then made as to the brothers of Matthew Field. In reply it was stated that Matthew had a large number of brothers, some six or seven, a list of whose names could be obtained from a relative of his. Josiah Field stated that he could recollect the names of several. There was one named Richard, one John, another William, and another Martin.

The old gentleman then inquired whether Josiah Field had any certain information as to the family relationship between Robert Field, of Flushing, and Zechariah Field who emigrated to Boston some years earlier than Robert Field's settlement at Flushing? Josiah Field replied that he had not, but that there was a tradition that had come down through the families of the Flushing Fields, that Zechariah Field was related to Robert, but not so near as first cousin; that they were descendants from the same stock within a few generations, he had no doubt.

The old gentleman then informed Josiah Field that he was of the Massachusetts branch of the Field family, and that the information now obtained (if reliable) settled a very important question, which had rested in his mind for a great length of time—that is, whether Zechariah Field was a descendant of John Field, the astronomer; that if it were fully established that Robert Field was the grandson of Matthew, and that Matthew had a brother John, he was perfectly satisfied that both Zechariah and Robert were the descendants of John Field, the astronomer, the former his grandson, the latter his great-grandson: for he well remembered, when he was a boy, hearing a conversation between his grandfather and two still older members of the Field family, in which they all agreed as a settled matter of fact, that the father of Zechariah Field and the grandfather of Robert Field, of Flushing, were brothers, and that the name of the father of Zachariah was John.

Josiah Field remaked that the information respecting the ancestors of Robert Field, of Flushing, might be relied on as beyond question; that an original account of the transactions of Robert Field in the settlement of Flushing, including a notice of his ancestors, was deposited with the records of the town of Flushing, where they remained more than a hundred years, when unfortunately, in the year 1780, the building in which they were deposited, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire. Much valuable information was thus irretrievably lost. But the descendants of Robert Field, or at least some of them, had, for their own satisfaction, obtained from these records a list of their ancestors, back to John Field, the astronomer. These lists were very defective on some accounts, containing little more than the names of the parties, with the years of their birth, not furnishing any account of their occupations, and in many instances no date as to the time of their death. These omissions continued to about the year 1700.

The old gentleman, on leaving, said he would call again in a few days, when he would like to obtain a memorandum of the ancestors of Robert Field, and that, in return, he could furnish some interesting accounts of the Massachusetts branch of the Field family. He left his card, and stated that he was residing temporarily with a friend of his in Harlem, whose place he described with an intimation that he would be gratified with a call from Josiah Field, if he should at any time be in that vicinity.

Josiah Field was anticipating a call from his old friend but new acquaintance for some weeks, but he did not make his appearance. Josiah Field finally called on a relative of his, to go with him to Harlem, and look after him. On reaching the place, they learned that the old gentleman had a day or two previously gone to Troy, to spend a few days, with the intention of returning very soon. He, however, never did return. He died suddenly either at Troy or on his way back.

Josiah Field mislaid his card, but was pretty certain the old gentleman's name was Henry Field.

Josiah Field died some years since at about the age of eighty-four years.

STATEMENT OF GEORGE CORLIES.

George Corlies was born in 1754. A large part of his life he spent in New York. Mr. Richard Field says that he came to New York in 1811, and knew Corlies almost from that time. Thirty-five years ago he was still living, and was well known. He was a mason, but a man of more than ordinary intelligence, and of most respectable character.

Statement of George Corlies, in relation to information obtained from an old lady of the Field family, a resident of Newtown, L. I., in the year 1842, at which time she was over ninety years old. Her name was Margaret Smith, formerly Field. She was the widow of Isaac Smith, and grand-daughter of Elnathan Field, who was son of Robert Field, Jr., of Newtown, L. I., and grandson of Robert Field, of Flushing. The information obtained was from her replies to certain written queries furnished Mr. Corlies by Richard Field, principally in relation to his lineal ancestors, with but little regard to their collateral branches. The information elicited was taken down at the time by Mr. Corlies, in writing.

She said she was born in Flushing, and that her grandfather was a grandson of Robert Field, one of the first proprietors of that town. That in early life she spent much of her time at her grandfather's, who was excessively fond of talking about his ancestors; and she heard him so frequently repeat accounts of their early history, that she could remember, with great distinctness, many items of information which, he said, he obtained directly from his grandfather, Robert Field. Among these were the following: That his (R. F.'s) father's name was James Field, and that his grandfather's name was Matthew Field, and thatMatthew had no less than seven brothers; that these brothers and their children had become widely scattered, many of them having left Ardsley previously to Robert Field's coming to America; that Matthew and all his brothers were born in Ardsley, to which place their father, John Field, had removed about the times of his marriage, having previously been a resident of London, where he was born about the year 1525, and where he resided between thirty and forty years; and it is was there that he published his astronomical works. She further said that she remembered distinctly that Matthew Field had a brother John, whose son, Zaccheus,* emigrated to this country, according to the statement of Robert Field, about a dozen years before he did, and that he came out to the Bay State, where he remained but a short time. At the time of the arrival of Robert Field he was residing somewhere in the colony of Connecticut. She also stated that Matthew's brother William had two sons, who came to this

* Zaccheus—doubtless Zachariah. On this Mr. Richard Field observes: "There can be no reasonable doubt that Corlies misunderstood the name given by the old lady, or that she inadvertently miscalled it, as she fixes the time and place of emigration precisely corresponding with that of Zachariah; and it would be a perfect absurdity to suppose that there could have been two persons of so nearly the same name, arriving in Boston about the same time, and that nobody to this day should ever have heard of it. The account of the emigration of the two sons of Matthew Field's brother William I also consider perfectly reliable, confirmed, as it is, by the fact that two brothers of corresponding names are known to have arrived in Rhode Island just about the time designated in this account."

country very soon after their cousin Zaccheus; that they came to Rhode Island and Providence Plantations; that one of these sons was named after his father, and the other after his grandfather. She related many anecdotes in relation to family matters, which are of little interest at this time.

George Corlies died about the year 1847, at about the age of ninety-three years.

These testimonies create a probability, amounting to moral certainty. In establishing the fact of one's ancestry, we can have but two sources of knowledge —record and tradition—the possession of authentic documents, duly recorded at the time, and preserved from generation to generation, and a continuous family tradition, unbroken by any missing links, and uncontradicted by evidence of an opposite character. Here we have both. So far as tradition is concerned, the evidence seems to be complete, and it is confirmed by family records, which, if not as formidable as title-deeds in an office of registry, are yet most valuable sources of information. These combined proofs can hardly leave a doubt in the minds of the several branches of the Field Family in America, that they are descended from John Field, the astronomer.*

147. ENSIGN BENJAMIN FIELD, (Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. about 1640, Flushing, L. I.; m. —— ——; m. 2d, Sarah ——; d. in 1734 in Flushing. Benjamin Field, presumably the third son of the emigrant, was appointed ensign for Flushing by Nicoll, the Governor of New York, on April 22, 1665. He is named in the Flushing patents of Feb. 16, 1666, and of 1685, and was a juror at the Court of Assizes in 1669. On March 22, 1671, he conveyed by deed to John Bowne his "two shares of fresh meadows, being Nos. 34 and 42." His death is recorded as follows in the register of the Society of Friends of Flushing: "Benjamin Field of Flushing, and ancient friend, dyed the 1st of the 10th mo. 1732." His age must have been at least between 87 and 90. He left a widow, Sarah, whose will was dated the 26th of ninth month, 1732, only a few days before her husband died, but it appears from the register referred to that she survived him. The entry of her death is as follows: "Sarah Field, widow of Benjamin Field of Flushing, dyed 1734." The day and month are not given; but it must have been early in 1734, as her will was proved March 20th of that year. She styles herself in it, "wife of Benjamin Field of Flushing," and appoints him one of her executors, another being her grandson William Doughty. Two other grandsons are mentioned—William March and Henry March. Apparently Benjamin and Sarah Field left no male descendants. It was probably after the death of the emigrant, and during the lifetime of his sons, that the family became members of the Society of Friends. It is pretty evident that they had not joined it when Benjamin was appointed ensign in 1665, considering that the society does not allow its members to undertake military duties. George Fox, who is looked upon by many as the real founder of this sect, visited Flushing in 1672, and, while there, was the guest of John Bowne at the old mansion already referred to. Meetings of the members were held—first at this

* Slight facts sometimes lend strong confirmation to what has been established by presumptive evidence. Such is the following:—Conversing some years since with the late Hon. Richard Field, of Princeton, N. J., at one time United States Senator from that State, and afterwards Judge of the United States District Court, on being shown the arms printed elsewhere he was at once struck with the resemblance to a seal which had been in his family for generations. Both the arms and the crest were exactly the same in every particular. On one side of the seal were the initials R. F., which were undoubtedly those of Robert Field, of Flushing, from whom the New Jersey Fields are descended. How came Robert Field in possession of this very peculiar crest, which had been given to but one man in England? Plainly, because he was a direct descendant. This strongly confirms the fact, which we believe to be fully proved from other sources, that the Flushing and New Jersey Fields—and hence, according to the testimonies here given, the other families in this country also—are descended from the same ancestor, and can claim kindred by right of inheritance of the same illustrious name.

house, and afterwards in the open air, sometimes in the woods, and secretly, on account of the persecutions to which they were exposed. Fox is represented to have been a man possessing great natural eloquence, and under his preaching the leading inhabitants of Flushing and neighborhood became Friends, and among these, probably, the Fields, most of whom continued to be members of the Society for nearly a century and a half, while some are at the present day. He d. Oct. 1, 1732; res., Flushing, N. Y.

187. i. THOMAS, b. about 1674; m. Hannah ——.
188. ii. DAUGHTER, m. —— Doughty; children, William.
189. iii. DAUGHTER, m. —— March; children, William and Henry.

150. ROBERT FIELD (Christopher, William, Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. ——; m. Rosamond ——. Robert Field of Wakefield made his will Aug. 29, 1599, and mentions in it his wife Rosamond and daughters Elizabeth, Alice and Margaret. It will be noticed that two of the grandchildren ot Christopher Field, whose will was made in 1570, were named Elizabeth and Alice, which leads the author to suppose that their father Robert—also mentioned in that will—was the same individual as the one who made his in 1599. He d. about 1599; res., Sandal, England.

190. i. ELIZABETH, b. ——.
191. ii. ALICE, b. ——.
192. iii. MARGARET, b. ——.

151. JOHN FIELD (Christopher, William, Robert, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. ——; m. —— ——. Res., Sandal, England.

193. i. ISABEL, b. ——.
194. ii. FRANCES, b. ——.

154. HENRY FIELD (John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, about 1620; m. there Elizabeth Rudd. Res., Cockernhoe, England.

195. i. THOMAS, b. about 1650; m. Sibella Hobbs.
196. ii. PROBABLY other children.

156. ZECHARIAH FIELD (Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. prob. Hartford, Conn., about 1645; m. Dec. 17, 1668, Sarah Webb. She m. 2d, 1677, Robert Price, and both were killed by the Indians at Deerfield July 29, 1704. Zechariah Field, son of Zechariah and Mary, b. in Hartford, Conn., about 1645. He came with his father in 1659 to Northampton. In 1672 he removed to Deerfield, where he died in 1674. His widow presented an inventory of his estate, Sept. 29, 1674 of £185 17s. 6d. After the massacre of Capt. Lothrop and his men at Bloody Brook, the family returned to Northampton for safety from Indian depredations. He m. Sarah, daughter of John Webb of Northampton. She m., 2d, about 1677, Robert Price of Northampton, and about 1690 returned to Deerfield, where she and her children were slain by the French and Indians under Hertel de Rouville at the destruction of Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704. Robert Price was a soldier under Capt. Turner at the Falls fight, and his son Samuel drew his share in the Falls fight township in 1737. He had five children by Mrs. Field, viz., 1. Sarah, b. Sept. 12, 1678. 2. Mary, b. March 21, 1681; m. March 17, 1699, Samuel Smead, killed 1704. 3. Elizabeth, b. Aug. 12, 1683; m. Dec. 6, 1703, Andrew Stephens, an Indian—the only case I have seen in Massachusetts of the intermarriage between the two races, at least at as early a day—Sheldon. He was killed, and she cap-

tured in 1704, and she m. in Canada, Feb. 3, 1706, Jean Fourneau. 4. Samuel, b. 1685, captured 1704, returned and m. April 7, 1714, Dorothy Fox of Glastonbury, Conn., and resided there. 5. John, b. May 14, 1689.

The history of Deerfield extends back to 1663, when Eliot, the apostle to the Indians, obtained a grant from the General Court of 2,000 acres of land, now within the bounds of Natick, as a permanent settlement for his Indian converts. This tract was then within the boundaries of Dedham, and, as a compensation to the proprietors of that town, the General Court gave them 8,000 acres of unlocated land, anywhere they might choose, within the colony. The Dedham proprietors having entered into this agreement, sent out a committee to explore the country, and make a selection for the location of the grant. Their exploration extended over the western part of the county of Middlesex, and the eastern part of the county of Worcester, but they were not satisfied with the land they found, and thus reported. Soon after this the selectmen of Dedham were informed that there was some very good land, about 12 miles north of Hadley, where the 8,000 acres might be located; whereupon they dispatched John Fairbanks and Lieut. Daniel Fisher, "to discover the land, and examine it." They reported favorably, and urged that it should be taken possession of under the grant, as early as possible. The town then chose a committee to repair to Pocomtuck, the Indian name of the locality, and to cause the 8,000 acres to be located there. In 1665, this committee employed Major Pynchon of Springfield to draw the boundary line of the tract, which he did, as follows: Commencing near Deerfield river, a little west of the present Cheapside bridge, he continued southerly nearly on a line now defined by the Connecticut River Railroad to the Hatfield line, thence westerly on the Hatfield line, which was about a mile and three-quarters south of the present south line of Deerfield, to the foot of the western hills; thence, northerly, in a course parallel to those hills to Deerfield river, near "Old Fort"; thence on the river, to the point of departure. The tract was purchased of the Indians by Major Pynchon, and conveyed in four deeds, the consideration for the sale being £94 18s., paid by the people of Dedham.

Zechariah d. in 1674; res., Northampton and Deerfield, Mass.

197. i. ZECHARIAH, b. Sept. 12, 1669; d. young.
198. ii. EBENEZER, b. Oct. 31, 1671; m. Mary Dudley.
199. iii. JOHN, b. Dec. 8, 1673; m. Mary Bennett.

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157. JOHN FIELD (Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. about 1648; m. Dec. 17, 1670, Mary Edwards, b. Jan. 20, 1650, daughter of Alexander and Sarah (Searl) of Northampton. John Field, son of Zechariah and Mary —— b. in Hartford, Conn., about 1645. He came with his father in 1659 to Northampton. In 1663 removed to Hatfield, where he d. June 26, 1717. He was a soldier with Capt. Turner in the Turner's Falls fight with Indians, May 19, 1676.

Alexander Edwards came from Wales, Great Britain, in 1640; settled in Springfield, Mass., and removed to Northampton in 1655, and d. Sept. 4, 1690. He m. April 28, 1642, Mrs. Sarah, widow of John Searle, from England to Springfield, whose wife was Sarah Baldwin, daughter of Sylvester Baldwin, who came from England in the ship "Martin" in 1636 and d. on the passage. The widow Sarah m. in 1640, Capt. John Atwood, in Milford, Conn., and d. in Nov., 1669.

He d. June 26, 1717; res., Hatfield, Mass.

200. i. JOHN, b. May 11, 1672; m. Sarah Coleman.
201. ii. MARY, b. Feb. 2, 1674; d. young.
202. iii. ZECHARIAH, b. Aug., 1676; m. Sarah Clark.

203. iv. BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 14, 1679; was in the "Meadow fight" in 1704 (res., Deerfield, ?); n. f. k.

204. v. MARY, b. Feb. 20, 1681; m. March 6, 1701, Dr. Thomas Hastings of Hatfield. He was son of Dr. Thomas, Jr., b. Sept. 24, 1679. He d. April 14, 1728. A very quaint, unpoetical, but flattering elegy of 110 lines, and an acrostic, to his memory, were written at the time by "Josephus Nash." Was a practicing physician in Hatfield. For a very interesting surgical case, treated by Dr. Hastings, see App. 3 of Rev. John Williams' History of his Captivity and Deliverance. Children: 1. Mary, b. Dec. 24, 1701; d. Jan. 10, 1702. 2. Thomas, b. Nov. 6, 1702; d. Nov. 4, 1703. 3. Mary, b. 1704; m. Benjamin Billings. 4. Hannah, b. Oct. 13, 1706; m. —— White. 5. Dorothy, b. July 27, 1709; d. July 29, 1711. 6. Thomas, b. 1713; d. same year. 7. Waitstill, b. Jan. 3, 1714; physician, m. Abigail Marsh. 8. Tabitha, b. Oct. 6, 1715; m. Jan, 4, 1738, John Strickland. 9. Hopestill, b. April 13, 1718; m. Lydia Frary; res., Hatfield. 10. Dorothy, b. March 20, 1720; d. April 6, 1720. 11. Thomas, b. Jan. 28, 1721 (lieut.); m. Mary Bilder; res., Hatfield and Amherst. 12. Lucy, b. Feb. 1, 1722; m. Jonathan Taylor. Thomas Taylor m. Cynthia Corse; their daughter Lucy Taylor m. Anson Higby; their daughter Sarah A. Higby m. William T. Wheeler; their son Charles Volney Wheeler m. Helen E. Nellis. Res., Little Falls, N. Y. Children: Sarah E. Wheeler, b. May 10, 1878; William Hardin Wheeler, b. Sept. 29, 1879; Helen W. Wheeler, b. Dec. 27, 1887.

205. vi. BETHIAH, b. 1684; m. in 1707, John Allis, Jr., son of John, b. May 10, 1682; his first wife was Mary Laurence; he d. Jan., 1691.

206. vii. SARAH, b. Feb. 2, 1687; m. Oct. 25, 1709, Nathaniel Pack of Swanzea.

207. viii. ABILENE, b. ——, 1689; d. May 6, 1689.

208. ix. EBENEZER, b. July 2, 1690; was killed near Bloody Brook by Indians on a scout in Deerfield, Oct. 26, 1708.

209. x. ABILENE, b. July 2, 1690; m. Dec. 29, 1715, John Nash, b. Oct. 28, 1686. Res., Hatfield. He d. April 7, 1764; she d. July, 1764. Children 1. Hannah, b. Sept. 16, 1716; m. Sept. 30, 1736, Ebenezer Belding of Ashfield. 2. Noah, b. March 26, 1719; m. Hepzibah Bodman and Abigail Belding. 3. Mary, b. about 1721; d. Nov. 11, 1725. 4. Martha, b. ——; m. Feb. 11, 1752, Phinhas Warner of New Braintree. 5. Abigail, b. ——; m. Dea. Hezekiah Belding of Amherst. 6. Daughter, b. ——; m. —— Carpenter.

158. SERGEANT SAMUEL FIELD (Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. about 1651, Hartford, Conn.; m., Aug. 9, 1676, Sarah Gilbert daughter of Thomas and Catherine (Chapin), of Springfield. She m., 2d, Oct. 17, 1702, Ebenezer Chapin, of Springfield. Sarah, daughter of Thomas and Catharine (Bliss) Gilbert, of Springfield, b. Dec. 19, 1655; d. Feb. 4, 1712. Samuel Field, son of Zechariah and Mary, b. in Hartford, Conn., about 1651. He came with his father to Northampton in 1663. He removed to Hatfield where he was slain by Indians in ambush while hoeing corn in Hatfield meadows, June 24, 1697. He was a sergeant in the Turners Falls fight, May 19, 1676. He was a prominent and influential man in Hatfield, holding many town offices. The following settlement of his estate was copied from the original probate records of Hampshire county by Hon.

George Sheldon, of Deerfield. "We whose names are underwritten appointed to distribute the estate of Sergt. Samuel Field to ye widow and children according to settlemen w'ch as followeth July 24 1701. To ye widow out of the movables at £7 —To Sarah, her portion out of the movables £12 10s. To Mary Field of movables, £5 13s. To be paid out of the lands in good pay or money £6 17s, £12 10s. which Saml Field is to pay. To Samuel Field the eldest son and heir, ye whole of the house lot and Lands at ye farm or elsewhere at he agreeing with his mother for her 3rd for her life yrly at such rent as they can agree, as also for all the Lands in her disposal till ye young children come to be of age he paying in money or setting out part of the land to his brothers according to its appraisal in the inventory at £97 (viz.) to Thomas Field at present £8 6s. 8d. and after his mothers death £4 3s. 4d.—£12 10s. To Zechr Field at present or wh of age £8 6s. 8d. and after his mothers death £4 3s. 4d.—£12 10s. To Ebenezer Field at present or wh of age £8 6s. 8d., and after his mothers death £4 3s. 4d.—£12 10s. To Josias Field at present or wh of age £8 6s. 8d. and after his mothers death £4 3s. 4d.—£12 10s. To Joshua Field at present or wh of age £8 6s. 8d. and after his mothers death £4 3s. 4d.—£12 10s. The allowed distribution is something varying from the settlent yet ye land lying in several parcells any other division there being 5 sons will wholle incapacitate ye improvement of it to any advantage and therefore that this division may be accepted by the Judge of Probate and confirmed to wch we subscribe this 24 July 1701. John Coleman Samuel Belding John White Joseph Field Samuel Gunn." "Sept ye 2, 1701 the above distribution being presented before me John Pynchon esq. Judge of Probate of Wills in Hampshire to be a more full settlemt of ye estate of Sergt. Samuel Field deceased, to his widow and children which is appraised and allowed by me John Pynchon. End. settlemt of Sergt. Samuel Fields estate S'ept. 20 1701. Book 2, p. 80." He was killed by Indians, June 24, 1697. Res. Hatfield, Mass.

210. i. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 27, 1678; m. Mrs. Hannah E. Hoyt.

211. ii. THOMAS, b. June 30, 1680, m. Abigail Dickinson.

212. iii. SARAH, b. June 30, 1683; m., Nov. 18, 1702, Samuel Warner, of Springfield, b. March 14, 1681, and moved to Stafford, Conn.

213. iv. ZECHARIAH, b. Aug. 29, 1685; m. Sarah Mattoon.

214. v. EBENEZER, b. March 17, 1688; m. Elizabeth Arms.

215. vi. MARY, b. July 23, 1690; m., June 26, 1712, Jonathan Hoyt, son of David. Res. Deerfield, Mass., b. April 6, 1688. With his father, David, mother, brother Ebenezer and two sisters, Abigail and Sarah, he was taken captive by the Indians in the battle of Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704, taken to Canada, and returned later. The father died of hunger near the lower Cohoes; Abigail was killed on the way to Canada; Ebenezer remained among the Indians. Mary d. June 26, 1780; he d. May 23, 1779. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. Oct. 5, 1714; m. Oct. 24, 1740, Ebenezer Sheldon. 2. Abigail, b. Sept. 10, 1716; m. Matthew Clesson and John Nims. 3. Sarah, b. July 9, 1719; m. John Burke. 4. David, b. Oct. 26, 1722; m. Mercy Sheldon and Silence King. 5. Hannah, b. April 8, 1726; d. Dec. 22, 1728. 6. Jonathan, b. Feb. 20, 1728; m. Experience Childs.

216. vii. JOSIAH, b. Nov. 5, 1692; m. Elizabeth ——.

217. viii. JOSHUA, b. April 9, 1695; m. Elizabeth Cooley.

159. CAPTAIN JOSEPH FIELD (Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hartford, Conn., about 1658; m., June 28, 1683, Joanna Wyatt, b. 1663, daughter of John and Mary (Bronson), of Sunderland, Mass.; d. March 23, 1722;

m., 2d, Jan. 2, 1723, Mary (Wells) Belding, dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Foote). She d. March 15, 1751.

Joseph Field, son of Zechariah and Mary, b. in Hartford, Conn., in 1658; came with his father in 1663 to Hatfield. He was one of the forty engagers who signed the agreement, April 13, 1714, to settle the town of Swampfield (now Sunderland), and in the division of lots he had No. 12, on the east side of the street. In 1720 he removed to Northfield, and in the spring of 1726 he sold and removed to Northampton, but returned the same year to Sunderland, where he died Feb. 15, 1736. He is mentioned in the town records as Sargeant Joseph Field. He married, 1st, June 28, 1683, Joanna, daughter of John Wyatt, of Hartford, Conn., b. 1663; d. March 25, 1722; 2d, Jan. 2, 1723, Mary, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Beardsley) Wells, and widow of Stephen Belding, of Hatfield, b. Sept. 8, 1664, and died in Northfield March 15, 1751, aged eighty-seven.

Sunderland was originally a plantation bearing the name of Swampfield. It was granted to inhabitants of Hadley, in May, 1673, and included within its limits the town of Leverett, the principal part of Montague, and a part of Wendell—set off from Montague after its incorporation. The original limits extended north from the mouth of Mohawk Brook, being the northwest corner of Hadley, to the mouth of Little Brook, opposite the mouth of Deerfield river, and easterly "out into the woods six miles from the Great river." Subsequently a grant, two miles in width, was added at the east, called "the two-mile addition." A settlement was made upon the territory soon after the grant, but King Philip's war broke it up, the Indians burnt their buildings, and the clearings grew up with brush. It is said that when the second settlement was made, a bass-wood tree, about one foot in diameter, had grown in the fire-place of one of the houses, that an appletree, set out by the first settler, on the present home lot of Rufus Russell, was found large and thrifty, and that the same tree has lived until within a few years. Very little information can be obtained in regard to this settlement of 1674. When the settlers of just forty years afterward (1714) took possession, they found buildings in ruins, and trees growing amongst them. There was originally a continuous settlement of "weekwams" on what is called "the island," running north and south, and crossing the east home lots, about half the distance from the present street to the hill at the east end of those lots. He d. Feb. 15, 1736. Res. Sunderland, Mass.

218. i. MARY, b. July 18, 1684; m., April 25, 1706, Ebenezer Bardwell, son of Sergt. Robert and Mary (Gull), b. 1679; res. Whatley; had a grant of 500 acres of land in the northwest part of Montague. Ebenezer Bardwell and Ebenezer Bardwell, Jr., were also in this county. A muster roll of a company of Foot, in His Majesty's service, under command of Capt. Salah Barnard, in a regiment raised by the province of Massachusetts Bay, for the reduction of Canada, William Williams, Esq., colonel, 1758, Perez Bardwell enlisted April 13th to November 5th, seven months and eleven days, £13 6s. 2d, p. 466. From "a return of men enlisted for His Majesty's service within the province of Massachusetts Bay, under Col. Israel Williams, to be put under the command of His Excellency, Jeffrey Amherst, Esq. For the invasion of Canada." Perez Bardwell enlisted April 6, 1759, aged twenty-two years; was in the former expedition of 1755-57; was provided with the king's arms. His brother, Samuel, was also in this company, and provided his own arms. Ensign John Wyatt; see Sheldon's Deerfield, p. 182. Samuel Gillet killed in "Falls Fight" May 19, 1676. Ebenezer, Sr., died July 13, 1732. Ch.: 1. Lieutenant Ebenezer,

b. Sept. 10, 1707; m. Elizabeth Gillet. Their son, Lieutenant Perez Bardwell, married Tabitha Hastings. Lieutenant Perez Bardwell, of Hatfield, Mass., pay roll of the company of His Majesty's service, under command of William Shepard, captain, 1761; enlisted June 24th; served till Dec. 4, 1761, twenty-three weeks and three days; due him £7 5s. 7d.; vol. 99, p. 134. Muster roll of the company in His Majesty's service under command of Capt. Salah Barnard, enlisted March 5, 1760, and served as private till October 5th, and promoted as corporal October 6th, and served till Nov. 30, 1760; balance due him £13 14s. 11d.; vol. 99, p. 263. A billetting roll of Capt. Salah Barnard's company, in Col. William Williams' regiment, Perez Bardwell enlisted April 13th; no date; number of days, fifty-two; vol. 96, p. 110. A pay roll of a company under command of Capt. John Burke, Perez Bardwell £1 7s. 7d.; dated, May 11, 1757; vol. 96, p. 40. Their son, Silas Bardwell, m. Lorena Abbott. Their son, Daniel Abbott Bardwell, m. Susie Jones. Their son, Daniel Jones Bardwell, m. Frances Jenkins, and their son is Harry Jenkins Bardwell; res. in Chicago.

Lieutenant Ebenezer Bardwell, Jr. of Hatfield, Mass. (grandson of Robert B.). His name is found in the muster roll of the company in His Majesty's service, under command of Eph. Williams, Jr., dated Dec. 19, 1747, Fort Massachusetts; actual service. Corporal Ebenezer Bardwell, three weeks, £1 10s. 8d. In a company of which Johna Ball was captain, John Church lieutenant, Ebenezer Bardwell, Jr., appears as ensign, with his signature appended, Fort William Henry, Oct. 11, 1756. In a billetting roll, of Capt. Salah Barnard's company, of Colonel Williams' regiment, Ebenezer Bardwell, of Hatfield, April 13, 1757 or 1758, received the king's allowance, June 3, 1757 or 1758; amount due him £1 14s. 8d., days, fifty-two; vol. 96, p. 40. His name appears with the rank of second lieutenant in a muster roll of the company in His Majesty's service under command of Capt. John Burke; enlisted March 21, 1759, to Nov. 30, 1759, thirty-five weeks, at £5 per month, £43 15s. He received from the commissary £2 2s. 4d; balance due him, £41 12s. 8d. He was lieutenant in Capt. Moses Porter's company in the expedition to Crown Point, in 1756, and in Capt. Salah Barnard's company in the expedition to Canada, in 1757-58.—French and Indian War Records, Massachusetts. 2. Hannah, b. June 24, 1709. 3. Joseph, b. 1711. 4. Lieutenant Remembrance, b. 1713; m. Harriet Dickinson. 5. Esther, b. 1715; d. soon. 6. Jonathan, b. Jan. 5, 1718; d. young. 7. Abigail, b. Oct. 14, 1721; m. Noah Wells. 8. Esther, b. Dec. 15, 1722; m. Daniel Morton, a son of Abraham and Sarah (Kellogg) Morton, of Whately, Mass., their son, Consider Morton, b. Oct. 12, 1762, in Whately, died April 1, 1834; married Nov. 5, 1786, Mercy Clark, a daughter of Elisha and Hannah (Hopkins) Clark, who was born April 24, 1762, and died Jan. 16, 1850. Their daughter, Hannah Morton, b. Sept. 10, 1797, d. Aug. 30, 1875; m. Dec. 9, 1819, William Avery Howland, son of John and Grace (Avery) Howland, who was b. May 17, 1794, d. June 24, 1878. Their children born in Conway, Mass., were: 1. Edward Howland, b. June 28, 1821; d. Aug. 24, 1863. ii. William

Howland, b. Dec. 12, 1822; d. Dec. 23, 1880. iii. George Howland, b. July 30, 1824; principal of the Chicago Central High School, 1860-1880; superintendent of Chicago Public Schools, 1880-1890. iv. Henry Howland, b. March 29, 1827; d. May, 1883. v. Allen Howland, b. Jan. 20, 1832; d. Jan. 13, 1857. vi. Eliza S. Howland, b. Nov. 13, 1833; d. Aug. 30, 1836. vii. Francis Howland, b. June 11, 1836; d. April 1, 1838. viii. Francis Howland, b. Sept. 3, 1838. ix. Walter Morton Howland, b. July 22, 1840; m., 1st, July 2, 1873, Florence C. Reynolds; m., 2d, July 12, 1881, Mida D. Warne; m., 3d, Anna Prettyman, April 11, 1893. Child by second marriage: Florence Elizabeth Howland, b. May 28, 1883, in Chicago. Mr. Howland is governor of the Society of Mayflower descendants in Illinois, also a trustee of Amherst College.

William Howland was born Dec. 12, 1822, and died Dec. 23, 1880. He was graduated at Amherst College in 1846; was a professor of Greek and Latin at Williston Seminary; instructor of Greek, Latin and chemistry in Amherst College; studied law, and in 1852 moved to Lynn, Mass., where he was a leading citizen and a prominent member of the bar until his death. George Howland was born July 30, 1824; died Oct. 23, 1892. He was graduated at Amherst College in 1850; was a tutor and instructor there from 1852 to 1857; principal of the Chicago High School from 1860 to 1880, and superintendent of the Public Schools of Chicago from 1880 until 1891. He served two terms as master of Amherst College; elected by the alumni. He was elected president of the Illinois State Board of Education in 1883. He was one of the best superintendents of the public schools that Chicago ever had. The principals of the public schools of Chicago soon after his decease formed the George Howland Club, in honor of his memory, and meet every month during the school year. Henry Howland was born March 29, 1827, and died at Rochester, N. Y., in May, 1883. He was a business man, a lumber dealer and lived at Chicago. He was a quartermaster with the rank of colonel in the civil war. Francis Howland was born Sept. 3, 1838. He is a farmer, and owns and occupies the old Howland homestead at Conway, Mass. Walter Morton Howland was born July 22, 1840. He fitted for college in the Conway public schools, and at Williston Seminary, Easthampton, Mass. He was graduated at Amherst College in 1863; studied law and is a well known and successful lawyer in Chicago. Five years since he was elected by the alumni trustee of Amherst College, which office he still holds.

219. ii. JOANNA, b. Dec. 9, 1686; d. Aug. 30, 1689.

220. iii. JOSEPH, b. June 9, 1689; m. Mary Smith.

221. iv. DAUGHTER, b. March 15, 1691; d. April 19, 1691.

222. v. JOANNAH, b. Jan. 9, 1693; m., June 11, 1713, Capt. Thomas French, of Deerfield. He was son of Thomas, b. 1689; was captured in 1704, and returned before 1707; he was probably brought back by Ensign John Sheldon on his second trip; d. July 26, 1759. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. March 26, 1719; m. James Rider. 2. Freedom, b. March 2, 1721; d. Oct. 26, 1727. 3. Abigail, b. April 29, 1724; d. Oct. 31, 1727. 4. Thomas, b. July 20, 1726; d. Oct. 25, 1727.

5. Freedom, b. April 22, 1730; m. Aaron Rice. 6. Thomas, b. April 22, 1732; m. Miriam Billings. 7. Abigail, b. Oct. 22, 1735; m. Joseph Catlin. 8. Joanna, b. May 1, 1740; m. Moses Severence.

223. vi. LYDIA, b. June 26, 1695; m. 1724, John Bliss, of Springfield. She d. Feb. 29, 1760. He was son of Samuel and Sarah (Stebbins) Bliss, and grandson of Nathaniel and Catherine (Chapin); was b. Longmeadow, Nov. 4, 1690; d. Oct. 8, 1784. Res. Springfield. Children: 1. John, b. Feb. 1, 1727; d. Nov. 3, 1809. 2. Aaron, b. May 3, 1730; d. Feb. 1, 1810.

224. vii. JONATHAN, b. Oct. 13, 1697; m. Mary Billings and Esther Smith.

225. viii. MARTHA, b. Oct. 19, 1699.

226. ix. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 4, 1702; d. Jan. 10, 1721.

227. x. ISRAEL, b. June 29, 1705; d. July 16, 1705.

228. xi. THANKFUL, b. Sept. 19, 1707; d. Oct. 11, 1707.

167. JOHN FIELD (John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1645; m. there, Elizabeth Everden, dau. of Hon. Anthony; also d. in Providence in 1687. She d. before 1698. He d. in 1698. Anthony Everden was a freeman in 1670; was a member of the town council 1667-72; deputy to General Court, 1667-68-71-72-73.

In 1677 John moved to Bridgewater, Mass., from Providence, R. I., July 5, 1687; he sold Samuel Comstock, of Providence, two acres of meadow there for £4 10s, and his wife, Elizabeth, conveyed her third also. May 3, 1695, he deeded (for natural love and affection for his deceased brother, Zachariah) to four of his brothers' children, viz., John, James, Daniel and Joseph, all lands in Providence, "which did formerly belong to my honored father, John Field, of Providence, deceased" —with certain exceptions of lots previously sold, etc. The land, however, was to be for the use of Sarah Field, widow of Zachariah, during her widowhood, or till the boys were twenty-one, at which time they were to have it equally, and they were to provide their mother with a maintenance if she remained a widow after they were of age. Dec. 28, 1696, he deeded John Guernsey, of Providence, for £20, a tract of land, a mile east of Mashwenscut, containing sixty acres, and five acres of meadow, bounded partly by land "formerly belonging to my father-in-law, Anthony Everden, now deceased." He also sold a half purchase of commonage—all in Providence, March 8, 1698; administration to eldest son, John; inventory £167 19s. 8d.; 4 oxen £12; 9 cows, £18; 3 calves, 3 swine, arms, ammunition, spinning-wheel, land £93 9s. 10d.

Prov. Early records—B. 3, 102, swore allegiance to Charles II., in May, 1667. B. 2, 371. "Nephews, May 3, 1695. "For natural love and affection which I did bear to my loving brother Zachary Field (deceased) and for divers causes and respects to his wife and children To John, James, Daniel and Joseph Field and to widow Sarah (during her widowhood) when they shall reach 21, &c. &c. land which belonged to Father John Field of Providence. Not recorded until 1713-14 Feby. i. e. "all the lands which belonged to his father John of Providence excepting those parcels hereafter mentioned; which I the above John Field do reserve to me. All the land I sold to Gideon Crawford, a piece of meadow bordering upon Oyster Point &c. and ½ right of commonage within the four mile line, and whole purchase right between the four and seven mile line, and a half purchase right beyond the seven mile line, all which lands are in Providence. And for all the lands which did belong to my honored father John Field, I freely bequeath to my sister, Sarah Field during her

widowhood, or until my Kinsmen, John, James, Daniel and Joseph shall come to the age of 21, then to be equally divided between them."

Austin says administration was granted March 8, 1698, to eldest son, John. Inventory, £167 19s. 8d.

7656. John Field, of Bridgewater. His eldest son, John Field, was appointed administrator March 8, 1697-98. No will and no other heirs mentioned.

7659. On the 17th day of April, 1699, John Hayward, Sr., and Nathaniel Brett, of Bridgewater, were appointed guardians of Ruth Field and Hannah Field, orphan children of John Field, late of Bridgewater. On the same date, John Field is chosen guardian to his brother, Daniel Field. (This information was taken from two bonds written on the same paper. The parents of Daniel not given, but he is supposed to be brother to Ruth and Hannah.—Plymouth county probate.)

I find in the land records of Providence, in book No. 2, a deed of gift from John Field, of Bridgewater, Mass., to his four nephews, the children of his brother, Zackrey, of certain lands formerly belonging to his honored father, John Field, of Providence, dated 1695. It appears by the town records of Bridgewater that this John Field settled in Bridgewater from Providence in 1677, and died in 1698. His father resided in Providence in 1640. He d. in. 1698, res. Providence, R. I., and Bridgewater, Mass.

229. i. JOHN, b. Feb. 20, 1671; m. Elizabeth Ames.

230. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 17, 1673; m., Nov. 3, 1697, Clement Briggs, of Easton.

231. iii. RICHARD, b. May 17, 1677; m. Susanna Waldo.

232. iv. LYDIA, b. Oct. 9, 1679; m., Oct. 2, 1701, Thomas Manley. See history of Easton, Mass., published in 1886, by Rev. William L. Chaffin. Ch.: 1. Priscilla Field Manley, m. 1732, Benjamin Kinsley, of Swanzey, and Easton. 2. Martha Manley Kinsley, b. March 21, 1737; m., May 30, 1762, Seth Lothrop. 3. Alden Lothrop, m. Mary Stevenson. 4. Sylvanus Lothrop, m. Eliza Alden Stockton. Their daughter is Mary Lothrop Painter. Res. 212 Western avenue, Alleghany, Pa. Ruth Manly, daughter of Thomas and Lydia (Field), married Josiah Keith, of Bridgewater. Their son, Isaac Keith, m. Mary Randall. Their son, Isaac Keith, Jr., m. Joanna Pratt Besse. Their daughter, Parmelia Keith, m. Col. Abraham Washburn, of Bridgewater. Their daughter, Lucia Conant Washburn, m. William Jonathan Cutler, of Boston. Their son, Edward Hutchins Cutler, of St. Paul, m. Lucy Carter Dunbar. Mr. Cutler is junior member of the firm of Noyes Bros. & Cutler, importers and wholesale druggists, 396-408 Sibley street, St. Paul.

233. v. DANIEL, b. July 17, 1681; m. Sarah Ames.

234. vi. RUTH, b. Jan. 25, 1683; d. Nov. 22, 1723.

235. vii. HANNAH, b. ——; m. Samuel Steere, son of John, of Providence, b. ——; d. Oct. 18, 1745. Ch.: (from Steere chart); see will of John, elsewhere. 1. Anthony, b. Dec. 14, 1716; d. Dec. 7, 1802. 2. Jonah, b. January, 1720; d. April 14, 1798. 3. Jeremiah, b. Feb. 22, 1722; d. 1803. 4. Samuel, b. Nov. 12, 1731; d. Aug. 2, 1814. 5. Susannah, b. ——. 6. Urania, b. ——; d. April 5, 1785. 7. John, b. about 1729. Providence, B, 5, 23. Sept. 3, 1720, to Joseph Mowry, land known as Ridghill Meadow; no wife. B. 5, 113. Dec. 8, 1721, to Brother John, fifteen acres, which John Steere, Sr., had given to him. This deed was voided by a mortgage in book 6, p. 423. B. 6, 423. 1721, mortgage to John Steere, same as B. 5, 113. B.

6, 425. Dec. 6, 1725, to Joseph Mowry, eighty-five acres of land; wife Hannah. Steere chart, at Rhode Island Historical Society: Urania m. William Coman. Anthony m. Rachel Comstock. Jonah m. Lydia Whipple. Jeremiah m., 1st, ——Burlingame; 2d, Mary Thornton; 3d, Mary Wade; 4th, Jemima Lee. Memo. I think the Steere chart is mistaken that Susannah married Coman; see will.

169. ZACHARIAH FIELD (John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1650; m. there Sarah Thornton. She d. April 14, 1716, dau. of John and Sarah. She m., 2d, John Gurney. In 1673 he was made a freeman; Aug. 14, 1676, he was of those "who staid and went not away" in King Philip's war and so had his share in the disposition of the Indian captives whose services were sold for a number of years; Sept. 1, 1687, taxed 6s; 1687 ratable estate of himself and mother: horse, 2 oxen, 2 cows, 4 heifers, 30 sheep, hog, 8 acres of fence (of which 3 acres are planting land), 8 acres where the house is (of which 1 acre is orchard, 2 acres worn out and 2 acres planting), 4 acres of meadow, a house lot in town, a little orchard and meadow. Oct. 31, 1688, he and wife Sarah deeded land to John Mathewson. Sept. 12, 1693, his widow appeared before the town council and desired settlement of her husband's estate. She presented inventory and administration was given her and John Thornton. Aug. 13, 1695, complaint was made by John Thornton and his father, John Thornton, Sr., desiring council to take care of children of Zachery Field, that they may be bound out to good places and educated. The council thereupon ordered the mother to look up good places for three eldest boys. Sept. 17, 1695, the widow informed the council that she had bound out her sons Zachariah and John to Nathaniel Waterman, and James to Solomon Thornton. Feb. 4, 1696, her administration was taken away from her and given solely to John Thornton, because she wasted the estate and did not improve it as it ought to be, and had not appeared before council and was "refractory in her actings." On the same date the council ordered that Daniel Field be put out to Nicholas Sheldon till of age. March 31, 1714, will proved. April 30, 1714, of his widow, then wife of John Gurney, and the latter appeared and stated he was present when his deceased wife made her will, and that he consented thereto. Executor was her son, Joseph Field. To her son, Zachariah, she gave 5s, and to sons John, James and Daniel also 5s each. To her daughter Sarah, all my brass, pewter, and iron vessels, bedding and other utensils for housekeeping. To son Joseph, cattle, sheep, swine and working tools, "they being the product of his care and dilligence" Inventory, £61 15s, viz., 2 cows, 4 heifers, 2 steers, 27 sheep, swine, auger and other tools and wearing, etc., apparel.

Early records, B. 2, 200. Swears allegiance to King Charles II., May 28, 1671.

Early Providence records, B. 5, 236. Jan. 17, 1678-79. From George Shepard land between 4 and 7 miles lines.

B. 5, 237. Oct. 30, 1688. Zachary Field, by consent of wife Sarah, conveys same property to John Mathewson.

Early records, vol. 8, p. 12. Aug. 6, 1676. List of 27 "who staid and went not away," includes Zachary Field.

B. 8, 100. Dec. 7, 1681. Town of Providence grant to Zachary Field a lot of 40 feet square above highwater mark to build a wharf against his father's lot in the town.

B. 10, 10. Sept. 12, 1693. Sarah Field, widow of Zachariah Field, who deceased Aug. 12, 1693, presented inventory of her husband's estate. He d. Aug. 12, 1693. Res. Providence, R. I.

236. i. ZACHARIAH, b. Jan. 30, 1685; m. Abigail ——.

237. ii. JOHN, b. 1687; m. Hannah ——.

238. iii. JAMES, b. 1689; d. unm. about 1718, Providence; was probably lost at sea and unmarried. B. 3, 17. Of William Crawford, March 26, 1715, the homestead estate of his father, Zachariah, and his grandfather, John. B. 4, 145. To William Crawford, March 26, 1715, all outlying lands.

239. iv. DANIEL, b. Aug. 7, 1690; removed to White Plains, N. Y. Daniel Field removed to White Plains, N. Y., before June 18, 1719. Removed to Dutchess county, New York, before Oct. 30, 1745. Was a blacksmith at all places. B. 2, 458. From cousin, John Field, of Bridgewater, Nov. 2, 1714 (B. 5, p. 9). 459. To William Edmands, Oct. 17, 1715. B. 3, 17. To William Crawford, March 26, 1715; see James above (14). B. 4, 73. To William Crawford, March 25, 1713. B. 7, 134. To brother Joseph Field (16), June 18, 1719, interest in brother James; no wife named. B. 11, 314. To brother Joseph Field (16), Oct. 30, 1745, interest in brother James' estate; no wife. Early record, X, 35. Feb. 4, 1695-96, apprenticed by town council to Nicholas Sheldon.

240. v. JOSEPH, b. 1693; m. Zerviah Carey.

241. vi. SARAH, b. ——; d. unm.

171. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. in England about 1648; m. in Providence, R. I., Martha Harris. She d. about 1717; dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Austin).

Early records, B 3, 101; Thomas swore allegiance to King Charles II., June 1, 1667. B. 3, 323; chosen treasurer of town of Providence June 3, 1672. B. 2, 11. To Col. Nathaniel Thomas, 1705. 143. To Eliza Smith, Oct. 10, 1709. 150. To John Yates, Jr., Dec. 29, 1709, his son-in-law. 307. To John Yates, Jr., Aug. 2, 1712. 338. To Benjamin Smith, June 7, 1714. 343. To Daniel Mathewson, May 5, 5, 1712. 353. From William Crawford, Aug. 12, 1714. 406. From William Crawford, Aug. 12, 1714. 390. To Elizer Arnold, Jan. 27, 1714-15. 406. To award of land, Nov. 21, 1685. 492. To Thomas, Jr. May 19, 1715. 519. To John Angell, April 27, 1716. 543. To John Yeates, 1714. B. 9, 403. To son William, Sept 11, 1708. Important. Probate 2, 19, inventory, £54 2s. 4d. Providence, 9, 403; Sept. 11, 1708. To son William (4), his house and lot, bounded by land of Daniel Abbott and Gideon Crawford, reserving room at his decease for his now wife Martha, during her married life, also lands at Wanskuck and What Cheer, half a right of land and meadow, west side of seven mile line, near Wanskuck, also his right in thatch beds, all his right up the river Woonasquatucket, also his part of the Thatch Cove, between Timothy Carpenter and Ponagansett for twelve years, after that one-half part of all my cattle and swine, in case my now wife Martha outlives me, mother of my said William, said William shall pay her forty shillings annually. This deed was not entered until 1738. Wills 2. 1717. Thomas inventory presented by son Thomas. Son Thomas appointed administrator. See early records, XII. p. 59. Early records, B. 4, p. 34. April 12, 1675. Thomas with others protests in town meeting against vote denying right of Joshua Verin to sell land in Providence. B. 4, 213. July 23, 1706. Thomas and Martha given by Elizabeth Hoag, of Boston, her daughter (born April 4, 1703) to bring up. I presumed she was the Elizabeth (5) who married John Yeats, but this cannot be as she (5) married 1708-9. B. 8, pp. 11, 12, 1676. Aug. 14, 1676, at Thomas Field's by the water side under a tree was held a town meeting. In list of twenty-seven "who staid and

went not away" appears name of Thomas Field. He was chosen one of five to dispose of the Indians captured.

It is noticeable that he had grandsons, Anthony and Jeremiah Field, as did also John Field, Jr. June 3, 1665, he gave receipt to his aunt, Deborah Field, for legacies which she, as executrix of his uncle, William Field's will, had paid him. The will referred to (dated May 31, 1665) gave to loving cousin (i. e. nephew), Thomas Field, now at Providence with me, all that cargo that is now upon sending to the Barbadoes, as also, all my horsekind (with certain exceptions), and four heifers, rights of land at Aquidnesett and Pauchassett, and furs which I have in my house. It was further provided that at death of testator's wife, his nephew, Thomas, should have the house and all the etc. (including Saxafrax Neck), thus making him his heir, 1667-70-83-92-95-1706. Deputy, Feb. 20, 1671. He had twelve acres laid out. 1673-74 assistant; 1674 town treasurer. Aug. 14, 1676, town meeting was held, "before Thomas Field's house, under a tree, by the water side, "to make disposition of Indian captives, whose services were sold for a term of years. He had his share in the sale, as he was one of those "who said and went not away" in King Philip's war. July 1, 1679, taxed 1s 9d. 1681-82-83-87-88-1702-3-4, town council. Nov. 27, 1682, in an agreement about the boundary lines between certain parties, allusion is made to Thomas Field, as being nephew and heir to William Field. Nov. 21, 1685, he had lands laid out to him, 10¾ acres. Sept. 1, 1687, taxed 13s. 7d. 1688, ratable estate, a bull, 11 cows, 2 oxen, 3 heifers, 3 two-year, 8 yearling, a horse, 6 swine, 6 acres Indian corn and English corn, 2 acres mowing pasture in swamp, 10 acres pasture, 2 shares meadow, 80 acres wild pasture, 300 acres in woods and rights. July 23, 1706, he and his wife, Martha, had given to them Margaret Hoggs, the little daughter of Elizabeth Hoggs, for them to bring up, instruct and dispose of as their own. (The mother of the child gave her to them.) Sept. 11, 1708, he deeded son William land, situated lying and being in Providence, bounded north by land of Daniel Abbott, south by heirs of Gideon Crawford, east with highway and west with town street, including dwelling house, etc., half at the signing of deed and half at decease of grantor, reserving a fire-room for use of wife, if she live after me. He further deeded to son William two parcels of land, one of thirty acres, in place called Waller's Island, in place of Great Swamp, and the other at place called What Cheer, also of thirty acres, with reservation to grantor of privilege of timber, firewood and pasturing at What Cheer for life. He further deeded him one-half right in lands and meadow, west side of seven mile line, about 100 acres east of seven mile line, with other rights, etc. But in case my now wife Martha, mother of said William, should outlive me, then William is to pay her 40s annually for life. Dec. 29, 1709, he deeded son-in-law, John Yates, Jr., for well being and settlement, a lot on west side of town street, near my dwelling, and three years later deeded him another lot. May 29, 1715, he deeded son, Thomas, Jr., for love and affection, etc., all lands and meadows in place called Pumgausett, adjoining land where he now dwelleth, half at signing of deed and other half at decease of grantor (excepting what had before been disposed of to son William), also two other lots of seventy-one acres and eighty acres, and certain rights. Nov. 29, 1717, administration to son and heir Thomas on his estate. Inventory, £54 2s. 4d., viz., a cow that "he brought with him," and 3 cows raised by son Thomas, for his father's use, 2 steers, 2 heifers and 2 calves raised by son Thomas, and 8 sheep and 3 lambs, raised by son Thomas, and an old Bible, warming pan, and old pewter, brass, wearing apparel, etc. Perhaps his daughter, Mary, married John Dexter (Stephen, Gregory). He. d. Aug. 10, 1717, res. Providence, R. I.

242. i. THOMAS, b. Jan. 3, 1670; m. Abigail Hopkins and Abigail Chaffee.

243. ii. MARY, b. June 1, 1673; m. John Dexter. He was b. 1673; d. April 22, 1734; son of Stephen and Abigail (Whipple). She d. June, 1727, and he m. 2d, Mary Mason, who d. s. p. Ch.: 1. Naomi, b. 1698. 2. Mary, b. 1699. 3. John, b. 1701 4. Stephen, b. 1703. 5. Jeremiah, b. 1705. 6. Sarah, b. 1707. 7. Lydia, b. 1709. 8. William, b. 1711. 9. Jonathan, b. 1713. 10. Abigail, b. 1715.

244. iii. AMOS, b. in 1677; d. young.

245. iv. WILLIAM, b. June 8, 1682; m. Martha —— and Mary Mathewson.

246. v. MARTHA, b. ——; m. Thomas Mathewson. He d. Oct. 23, 1735. Res. Providence and Scituate, R. I. Ch.: 1. Thomas. 2. Amos. Dec. 2, 1707, he had a deed of four acres of land from William Field, whom he calls brother-in-law, and who conveys the land for good will and respect. Thomas Field, father of said William, confirms the deed. His widow was administratrix of the estate. Inventory, £718 1s. 4d.

Austin is my authority for this name (Martha). He says she married Thomas Mathewson, but he subsequently corrects this and says that Mathewson married Martha Sheldon. I do not know of any such Martha.

247. vi. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 27, 167—; m., Jan, 24, 1709, John Yeats, Jr. He was son of John Yates, and died Nov. 28, 1724. Ch.: 1. John. 2. James, b. July 18, 1710; m., Jan. 6, 1733, —— bapt. at Uxbridge, Mass. 3. Mary (see below); married at Providence, June 9, 1721, John Bird, of Newport.

B. 2, 150. From Thomas Field, Dec. 29, 1709. 543. From Thomas Field, 1714, and Marcy Borden.

Council records: James Yeats chooses his uncle, Thomas Field (3), to be his guardian.

Council records: June 4, 1733, voted that William Turpin shall deliver what things is now remaining in his hands that was the estate of John Yeats, deceased, unto Mary Boed, dau. of ye said John Yates. (I think this name is Boyd.)

175. JEREMIAH FIELD (Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William), b. bap. Bradford, England, July 27, 1634; m. there Nov. 2, 1658, Judith Walker, daughter of William, of Scoles, in the parish of Birstoll. Jeremiah Feild, named in his father's will, bap. at Bradford July 27, 1634, of Hipperholme, 1660 to 1672, afterwards of Chellow, buried at Bradford May 7, 1705.

The children of Jeremiah and Judith Feild are recorded as follows: Joseph Feild, eldest son and heir, baptized at Halifax, March 10, 1660; sometime of Chellow, after of Shipley and Heaton. Will dated March 1, 1728; codicil April 11, 1729; proved July 6, 1733. Died without issue. Mary, baptized at Halifax, Jan. 11, 1662; married at Bradford, May 1, 1685, to Paul Greenwood. John Feild, of Chellow, in Heaton, second son, married Grace, daughter of Timothy Rhodes, of Heaton, and relict of Thomas Hodgson, of Little Heaton, in the parish of Bradford. Buried at Bradford, Jan. 18, 1731, and his wife, Grace, Dec. 5, 1702. Sarah Feild, of Bradford died unmarried, May 11, 1758, at a great age. Anne, baptized at Halifax, May 8, 1671. Abigail, baptized at Halifax, March 16, 1672, married to George Longbotham, of that town; living; a widow, March 1, 1728. He d. 1705. Res. Chellow, England.

248. i. JOSEPH; sometime of Chellow, after of Shipton and Heaton, eldest son and heir, baptized at Halifax, March 10, 1660; will dated March 1, 1728; codicil April 11, 1729; proved July 6, 1733; d. s. p., and the estate passed to his nephew John.

249. ii. MARY, bap. at Halifax, Jan. 11, 1662; m. at Bradford, May 1, 1685, Paul Greenwood, esq.

250. iii. JOHN, b. ——; m. Grace (Rhodes) Hodgson and Susan Binns.

251. iv. ANNE, bap. Halifax, May 8, 1671.

252. v. ABIGAIL, bap. Halifax, March 16, 1672; m. George Longbotham, esq., of Halifax, England. She was living a widow May 1, 1728.

253. vi. SARAH, b. ——. Res. Bradford; d. unm. at a great age, May 11, 1758, and was buried there.

179. WILLIAM FEILDE (William, Edward, Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas , Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Wakefield, England, ——; m. Sarah ——; d. May 4, 1657. The following is entered in the Wakefield Manor rolls in 1612: "William Feilde, civic and Merchante tayler de London & Sara ux. eius surrender vac, voc. Lowefeild (Wakefield) to John Lyon of Wakefeild, gent, money to be paid at his house in the psh of St. Faith, London." It does not follow that the calling of this William was that of tailor, for many who had no such occupation, joined this wealthy guild for the valuable privileges conferred on its members. His will is recorded in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury at London. It is dated Jan. 28, 1621-22, and was proved Feb. 13th following. He styles himself "Citizen and Merchant Taylor." He leaves to four friends in trust "All my lands and tents in Hawmess and Chapwell, Co. Beds." The personality to be divided between his wife, Sarah, and his children. There are legacies as follows: To my wife Sarah 200 out of my lands at Lambeth. To twenty poor people of this parish of St. Faith, each 20s. To my brother John Chapman 20s. for a ring. To my brother Warner and my sister each 20s. To my mother 20s. He appoints his wife, Sarah, sole executrix. His widow survived him for more than thirty years. Her will is dated July 30, 1653, and was proved Nov. 10, 1657. She describes herself as "Sarah Field of St. Faith's under St. Paul's widow, aged and weak," and directs her debts to be paid out of her leases in St. Paul's church yard and Old Change. There are bequests to my granddaughter Mary, wife of Oliver Boteler of Harrold, Co. Bedford; to my son-in-law, William Jetson and his wife Mary; to my son-in-law, Robert Thornton; to Adam Howes, and to her, the testator's daughters, Sarah Thornton and Elizabeth Howes. She speaks of her eldest son Samuel, deceased; of her son James, and of her grandchild William Feild. Her burial is thus recorded in the parish registers of St. Faith's: "1657 May 4, Mrs. Feild out of St. John's, chancel." Meaning that she was buried in this part of the church. The writer supposes that the words " out of St. John's" mean that she was residing in that parish at the time of her death, but that her husband was buried in the church of St. Faith's, and, as she wished to lie beside him, was interred there. He d. Feb. 1621-22; res., London, England.

254. i. SARAH, b. ——; m. Robert Thornton.

255. ii. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Adam Howes.

256. iii. SAMUEL, b. ——; m.——.

257. iv. JAMES, b. ——.

258. v. MARY, b. ——; m. William Jetson.

180. ROBERT FIELD (Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Newtown, L. I.,——; m. Dec. 24, 1689, Mrs. Phœbe (Titus) Scudder. Robert Feild, of Newtown, grandson

of the emigrant, married Phœbe, daughter of Edmond Titus, and widow of —— Scudder. The register of the Society of Friends says, in an entry referring to her father's death, that "his daughter Pheby Field, standing by him, he —— departed this life in a quiet frame of spirit sensible to the last, the 7th 2nd mo. 1715—aged 85."

Her marriage is entered as follows in the Friends' register: "Robert Field, son of Robert Field of Newtown and Phebe Scudder of Westbury, 24th day of 12th mo. 1689, at the house of Edmond Titus of Westbury."

This Robert Field's will was dated the 10th day of the 10th month, 1734, and proved April 16, 1735. He names in it his brother Elnathan's children, Robert, Benjamin, Susannah, Phœbe and Mary; the daughters of his brother Nathaniel, who are not named, and a daughter of his brother Ambrose, also not named. There are bequests to his sister Susannah, wife of Peter Thorne, to Robert Field, and wife Elizabeth, and "my cousin (i. e., nephew) Robert Field" is one of the executors. His widow, Phœbe, made her will the 12th day of the 11th month, 1742. There are numerous legacies in it to relatives and friends, and among others to the wife of Robert Field and her two daughters and two sons, Elnathan and Robert. It is evident from their wills that Robert and Phœbe Field died childless. He d. in 1735; res., s. p., Newtown, L. I.

181. NATHANIEL FIELD (Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher. John John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Newtown, L. I.; m. July 9, 1701, Patience Bull of the Barbadoes or Bermudas. Nathaniel Field, named in a deed of his father, dated Oct, 8, 1690, and in his brother Robert's will. Nathaniel Field, brother of Robert, third of the name, and of Elnathan, m. the 9th day of the 5th month, 1701, Patience Bull, "formerly of Bermudas." The author can give no further account of him, nor of his brother Ambrose, who was one of the witnesses of his marriage. As shown in their brother Robert's will, Nathaniel had daughters and Ambrose a daughter in 1734. There may be descendants living of these two, and their brother Elnathan. Res., Newtown, L. I.

259. i. HE HAD several daughters mentioned in the will of their uncle Robert.

182. ELNATHAN FIELD (Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher. John, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Newtown, L. I., ——; m. —— Elizabeth ——. Elnathan Field, named in his father's deed of Oct. 8, 1690, and in his brother Robert's will. His own dated July 12, 1735, proved Feb. 7, 1754. Elizabeth, named in the record of the birth of her three eldest children, and in her husband's will. Elnathan Field, of Newtown, brother of the last Robert, made his will July 12, 1735. He mentions in it his wife Elizabeth, his eldest son Robert, son Benjamin, and his daughters Susannah, Sackett, and Phœbe and Mary Coe. The author supposes that he survived some time after the date of it, as it was not proved until Feb. 7, 1754. An earlier entry in the Friends' register records the birth of some of his children, the date of it being uncertain. In all probability Elizabeth and Elnathan died before the wills of their father and uncle Robert were made, and their brother Benjamin and sisters were not born at the date of this entry in the register. Elnathan was elected assessor Jan. 6, 1703; April 1, 1712; April 2, 1723; April 6, 1724, and April 5, 1748. He was surveyor of highways in 1730. Was a Quaker in religion. He d. Jan. 3, 1754; res., Newtown, Long Island.

260. i. ROBERT, b. May 12, 1698; m. Elizabeth Hicks.

261. ii. BENJAMIN, b. ——; named in the wills of his father and uncle Robert.

262. iii. ELIZABETH, b. June 24, 1696; m. John Sackett.
263. iv. ELNATHAN, b. Nov. 19, 1700; prob. d. young.
264. v. SUSANNAH, b. ——; m. John Sackett, late husband of her sister Elizabeth; she was named in her father's and uncle's wills.
265. vi. PHŒBE, b. ——; m. John Coe, Jr., mentioned in the wills.
266. vii. MARY, b. ——; m. Robert Coe, mentioned in the wills. Children: Phœbe m. 1727, John Hendrick, of Fairfield, Conn.; their son John, Jr., m. Eunice Bradley; their daughter Phœbe m. Jeremiah Wakeman; their daughter Martha m. Hezekiah Wellman; their daughter Phœbe Jane m. Napoleon Bonaparte Turner; their daughter Mary Malvina m. 1860 Jesse Sands, b. Birmingham, England, 1838; he d. March, 1865; their daughter Clara Louise, b. Feb. 17, 1862, res. unm. 66 Lincoln st., Meriden, Conn.

183. BENJAMIN FIELD (Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Newtown, L. I.; m. May 29, 1692, Experience Allen. Benjamin Field was born in Newtown, L. I., and went to Shrewsbury, and later, about 1690, to Chesterfield, N. J. Tradition has it that he was accompanied by Peter Harvey and Lawrence Miller, and all journeyed through the province with their families carrying their effects in a wheelbarrow. This may have been true of the others, but not of Mr. Field, for he was not married until 1692. They all settled close together near the site of the present city of Bordentown. Field was possessed of some means, was a good business man and was much respected and esteemed by the Friends. In 1697-98 he was appointed with Francis Davenport to contract with the builders for the building of a stable at the Crosswick's Meeting House. He was frequently appointed on other business committees. Res., Flushing, L. I., and Shrewsbury and Chesterfield, N. J.

267. i. ROBERT, b. June 6, 1694; m. Mary Taylor.
268. ii. AMBROSE, b. ——; m., 1705, Susannah Decow.
269. iii. SUSANNA, b. ——; m. in 1712, Benjamin Firman of Philadelphia, Pa.

THE FIELDS OF NEW JERSEY.

[Osgood Field, Esq., of London.]

Although it has been supposed that the Fields of New Jersey, or rather that some branches of them, are descended from the Flushing family, as far as the writer is aware no positive proof of this has hitherto been forthcoming. Several circumstances have been known tending to show an early connection between the Long Island Fields and that State, but they do not afford the evidence of this relationship which the genealogist should require. Savage says in his Dictionary that Robert Field, of Newtown, a patentee of Flushing in 1645, had a son, John, who removed to Boundbrook, N. J. I do not know on what authority this statement is made. In it the writer confuses the emigrant with his son Robert of Newtown, while the John referred to was probably the son of Anthony and grandson of the first settler. Accuracy cannot always be expected in a work of so extensive a character; however, that portion of the notice which is more intimately connected with the subject of this article, is partly confirmed by the record at Albany of a grant by Gov. Andros to John Field of a patent for land on Delaware Bay, called "Field's Hope." The date does not appear, but it must have been between 1674 and 1681, the extent of Andros' term. I may add that the latest notices I find of John Field at Flushing are in the valuation of estates there in 1683, and the patent of

1685. His name does not appear among the witnesses to marriages there in the family commencing in 1689; nor is he mentioned in the list of the inhabitants of the town in 1698. It is not improbable that he removed to New Jersey before these dates, and he may be the same individual as the one named in the family record of an old Bible, noticed in the Register for April, 1868, who had a son born in 1698.

Among the papers preserved at the old Bowne house in Flushing, are three letters from B. Field to Samuel Bowne of that town, dated at Chesterfield, N. J., respectively 1700, 1701 and 1702, relating to purchases of land at Salem and elsewhere in that neighborhood, in which they both were interested. The writer's Christian name was doubtless Benjamin, as I know of no other members of the family, then living, with the same initials. One of them commences, dear friend," and before the signatures of all are the words "thy friend," from which I infer that they were not written by Benjamin Field, the son of Anthony, who married Samuel Bowne's sister Hannah, as other expressions would probably have been used in addressing one so nearly connected with the writer. We may suppose that Bowne's correspondent was residing at Chesterfield from the fact of all these being written there at considerable intervals of time, and also because it appears from one that the writer's wife was with him, and we know that the Benjamin spoken of remained at Flushing and died there in 1732. There were two other members of the Long Island Fields of the same name, who attained their majority before 1700—one the son of the emigrant who is named in the Flushing patent of 1665-66, and the other a grandson of Robert of Newtown.

The first of these Benjamins must have been nearly 60 years of age at the date of these letters, and they are apparently written by a younger man. In the one dated 26th, 5th month, 1701, the writer says, "remember duty to my mother." The emigrant left a widow, Charity,* who was living in 1672-3, but who probably died long before 1701; while we know that his son Robert's widow was then living, as it is stated in the marriage record of his son Nathaniel that it took place "9th day, 5th month, 1701," "at the house of his mother Susannah ffield, widdow."

For these reasons I am disposed to ascribe the authorship of these letters to Benjamin, son of Robert Field of Newtown, to whom his father deeded land there in 1690, and who probably removed to New Jersey between that date and 1700. It is pleasant to turn from the uncertain inferences derived from the foregoing statements to a piece of undoubted evidence.

The New Jersey family, of which the late Hon. Richard Stockton Field was a distinguished member, have had in their possession for generations an old triangular seal of steel, or iron, believed by them to have belonged originally to Robert Field, the emigrant. It has on one side the initials R. F., on another a shield with a chevron between three garbs, which are the arms of the Fields of Yorkshire and Flushing, and on the third the crest granted to a member of the family in 1558; an arm, issuing from clouds, supporting a sphere. The possession of this relic by the family induced me to apply to Judge Field's daughter for any information she might have of their ancestry, and I am indebted to this lady for the following copy of entries in their old family Bible, which in connection with what is stated below, conclusively prove their descent from the Flushing Fields:

"Robert, Field, son to Benjamin and Experience Allen, was b. Jan., 6, 1694.

"Mary Field, daughter to Samuel and Susanna Taylor, was b. March 31, 1700.

"Robert Field, son to the above Robert and Mary Field, was b. May 9, 1723.

Susannah Field, daughter to Robert and Mary Field, was b. Oct. 25, 1725.

* She describes herself as "widow" in a document she signed Feb. 12, 1672-3, disclaiming any right to "my sone Anthony ffield's Lott."

"Mary Field, daughter to Robert and Mary, was b. Feb. 21, 1730.

"Samuel Field, son to the above Robert and Mary, was b. Feb., 1736.

"(Two other children, names torn off.)

"Robert Field, son to Robert and Mary, m. Mary, daughter of Oswald and Lydia Pease. Children of the above: Lydia, b. Oct. 10, 1766; Mary, b. Oct. 10, 1767; Robert, b. July 10, 1769; Grace, b. Oct. 10, 1770; Susan, b. April 20, 1772; Samuel, b. July 14, 1773; Robert, b. April 5, 1775."

All the children of Robert and Mary Pease died in infancy, except the last named, Robert, who married in 1797, Abby, daughter of Richard Stockton, and died in 1810, leaving five children, the fourth of whom was the Hon. R. S. Field. Among my extracts from the old records of the Society of Friends at Flushing, I find the following: "Benjamin Field and Experience Allen declared intentions of marriage, 29th, 6th month, 1692." Probably the marriage took place elsewhere, as I found no record of it in the Flushing registers. This Benjamin, who is now shown to be the ancestor of a New Jersey family, could not have been Anthony's son, whose wife Hannah Bowne was married to him in 1691, and survived till 1707.

There were two other members of the family of the name on Long Island at an early date, as already stated, I do not think that this one was the emigrant's son, who was at least 48 years of age in 1692, and probably several years older, as his brothers Robert* and Anthony had attained their majority in 1653, when their father conveyed land to them. Apparently, he was dead, or had left the neighborhood some little time before this marriage, for according to the Flushing records, two and only two of the name witnessed the marriage of Robert Field., Jr., of Newtown, in 1689, and of Samuel Titus,† a near connection, in 1691, and the signature of but one is appended to the entry of that of Benjamin Field and Hannah Bowne in the last named year.

As neither styles himself senior or junior, I infer that they were about the same age, and therefore, the two cousins who were grandsons of the emigrant, both of whom are known to have been residing on Long Island about this time. For a generation after these dates only one Benjamin signs these records. The conclusions I derived from all these facts are that Benjamin Field,‡ son of Robert of Newtown, was the husband of Experience Allen, and the writer of these letters, and that he removed to New Jersey shortly after his marriage, where he left descendants, as the old Bible clearly shows.

183½. AMBROSE FIELD (Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. Newtown, L. I.; m. ——, ——. He was named in his father's deed in 1690; had a daughter who was referred to in her uncle Robert's will, but name not given. Res., Newtown, L. I.

185. BENJAMIN FIELD (Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I.; m. Nov. 30, 1691, Hannah Bowne of Flush-

* At the old Bowne house in Flushing is an official copy by John Clements, the town clerk, of a deed of land there by Robert Field to his sons Robert and Anthony, dated Feb. 12, 1653. The Register for July, 1864, contained a notice of a pamphlet by the Rev. Henry M. Field, giving an account of the family, which, in the number for April, 1868, was shown to be erroneous. It is stated in this pamphlet that the brothers Robert and Anthony were born respectively in 1636 and 1638. This deed, whose existence has been known to me only recently, proves that the dates of births signed therein to the emigrant's sons are at least six years too late.

† Samuel Titus, born in 1658, was a son of Edmund and brother of Phebe, the wife of Robert Field, Jr., of Newtown.

‡ His sister Susannah and "Isaac Merrit of Burlington in West Jersey," declared intentions of marriage in 1699.

ing, b. April 2, 1665; d. Dec. 30, 1707; m., 2d, Feb. 23, 1709, Elizabeth Feaks of Matinecock; d. 1724. Benjamin Field of Flushing, youngest son in 1690, d. in Flushing, Dec. 1, 1732, described in record as "an ancient friend." His third wife, whom he m. at Flushing, April 13, 1727, was Sarah Taylor, widow. Her will, dated Nov. 26, 1732, proved March 20, 1734, leaves her property to her grandsons Doughty and March.

Among other papers preserved at the old Bowne house is the draft of the following letter from Hannah Bowne to her parents. It bears no date, but was no doubt written in 1690, for in that year her father lost his second wife, Hannah Bickerstaffe, and did not marry his third, Mary Cock, till 1693: "And dear father and mother, I may also acquaint you that one Benjamin Field, the youngest son of my friend Susannah Field, has tenderd his love to me—the question he has indeed proposed as concerning marriage the which as yet I have not at present rejected nor given much way to, nor do I intend to proceed nor let out my affection too much towards him till I have well considered the thing and have yours and friends' advice and consent concerning it."

The writer of this letter was Hannah, daughter of John Bowne, and his first wife Hannah, daughter of Robert Feaks, or Feeks, as it was sometimes spelt. This Feaks married Elizabeth Fones, granddaughter of Adam Winthrop of Groton, and widow of her cousin Henry, son of John Winthrop, first governor of Massachusetts. Hannah Bowne was born in 1665, according to the Friends' register, and her marriage entry in it occurs the year after the supposed date of her letter. It reads: "Benj. Field, son of Anthony Field of Long Island, deceased, and Hannah Bowne, daughter of John Bowne of Long Island, aforesaid married 30th, 9th, 1691, at John Bowne's in Flushing."

At the old Bowne house is a deed of land by Benjamin Field to Samuel Bowne, dated 9th, 12th month, 1696-97. In a list of the inhabitants of Flushing in 1698 is the following: "Benj. Feild and Hannah his wife, children Benj., John, Anthony, and Sam'l, negroes Jo and Betty."

At the same mansion two or three letters are preserved, dated at Chesterfield in 1700 and 1701, signed B. Field, and addressed to Samuel Bowne. They relate to purchases of land in that neighborhood, in which they were both interested. One of them speaks of "another purchase of land to the quantity of 1,000 to 1,500 acres," which "lyes above the falls of Delaware, about 10 or 11 miles from Salem."

This Samuel Bowne was son of John and Hannah, and born in 1667. It has been stated that there were three Benjamin Fields living at the date of these letters; but they were doubtless written by the son of Anthony, who was the brother-in-law of the person to whom they were addressed. One of them commences, "Dear and loving friend and kinsman Samuel Bowne."

The following is in the register of the Flushing Friends: "Children of Benjamin and Hannah Field: Benjamin, born 5th day, 12th month, 1692; John, born 13th day, 11th month, 1694; Samuel, born 10th day, 8th month, 1696; Anthony, born 28th day, 5th month, 1698; Hannah, born 20th day, 5th month, 1700; Joseph, born 12th day, 4th month, 1702; Sarah, born 17th day, 6th month, 1704; Robert, born 7th day, 7th month, 1707."

Hannah Field died shortly after the birth of the last child, as shown by this entry: "Hannah Field, wife of Benjamin Field, of Flushing, died 30th day, 10th mo., 1707." Her husband married again a lady who must have been a near relative of his first wife and her mother. This marriage is thus entered in the register: "Benjamin Field and Elizabeth Feaks, daughter of John Feaks, of Matinecock, married the 3rd day of 12th mo., 1709-10, at Jericho." Her death is recorded as follows: "Elizabeth Field, wife of Benjamin Field of Flushing, died 1724." As far as

the writer can learn, she left no children, nor does he know the date of her husband's death.

Robert Feake was at Watertown, Mass., as early as 1630 and represented that town in the Massachusetts Court of Deputies many years. He came to Flushing in 1650, and died in 1668 at an advanced age. He m. Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Fones, of London, and Anne, his wife, who was daughter of Adam Winthrop, of Groton, Suffolk, and sister of John Winthrop, governor of the Massachusetts colony.

Elizabeth Fones was first married to her cousin Henry Winthrop, son of the governor, who was drowned at Salem about a year after. A little later she became the wife of Robert Feake, by whom she had a daughter, Hannah, who married John Bowne, of Flushing, and another, Elizabeth, the second wife of Captain John Underhill. Robert Feake survived his wife Elizabeth, and married again; for administration on his estate was granted to his widow, Sarah, the 19th June, 1669. Mount Feake, at Waltham, was named after this Robert.

He res. in Flushing, L. I.

270. i. BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 5, 1692-93, in Friends' Records, of Flushing; m. Feb. 13, 1727, at Flushing, Sarah Tayler.

271. ii. JOHN, b. Jan. 13, 1694; m. Elizabeth Woolsey.

272. iii. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 10, 1696; m. Mary Palmer.

273. iv. ANTHONY, b. July 28, 1698; m. Hannah Burling.

274. v. JOSEPH, b. June 12, 1702; m. Molly Denton.

275. vi. ROBERT, b. Sept. 7, 1707; m. Rebecca Burling and Abigail Sutton.

276. vii. HANNAH, b. July 20, 1700; m. March 9, 1721, Thomas Haviland; she d. Nov. 21, 1721; res., Flushing.

"This is to certify ye truth to all people that Thos. Haviland, son of Benjamin Haviland, of Rye, in the county of Westchester, and Hannah Field, daughter of Benjamin Field" (Flushing), "Queens County, on Long Island, both in the province of New York. Haveing intentions of marrage eatch with other did propose the same, at the men and women's meeting of the people. Comonly cald Quakers, in Flushing afores'd. The said meeting appoynted persons to enquire whether they were clear from all others on account of Marrage, and bring report accordingly to the next monthly meeting wher the persons above mentioned were desired to come for their answer. And at their second coming before said meetings, enquiry being made, and nothing appearing to ninder their proceeding, they having consent of parents, the meeting left them to their liberty to accomplish their marrage, according to the good order used amongst the friends of truth.

"And accordingly on this ninth day of the 1st m. 1721, At a meeting at the meeting-house in Flushing aforesaid the said Thomas Haviland and Hannah Field tooke eatch other by ye hand standing up in ye said Asembly did solemnly declare ye they took eatch other for husband and wife promising by the *lord's* assistance to be true and loving husband and wife to eatch other till death shall separate them.

"And for farther confirmation, they have hereunto sett both their hands ye day and year above written.

"She assuming ye name of her husband according to the custom of marrage. "Thomas Haviland.

"Hannah Haviland.

"And we whose names are underwritten are witnesses:

"J. Rodman, John Ryder, Wm. Burling, Hugh Cowperthwaite, Obediah Laurence, Eliakim Hedges, Cornelius Van Wyck, James Clement, Jr., Wm. Philips, Wm. Haigat, Henry Rodman, John Field, Elizabeth Field, Anthony Field, Joseph Thorn, Thomas Thorn, Samuel Thorn, Mary Rodman, Jane Clement, Benjamin Field, Samuel Bowne, Sarah Feild, Martha Thorne, Susanna Hedger, Hannah Field, Grace Cowperthwaite, Phebe Van Wick.

"Thomas and Hannah Haviland's Marriage Certificate, 1721."

277. viii. SARAH, b. Aug. 17, 1704; m. James Clements; she d. 1724.

186. JOHN FIELD (Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., May 15, 1659; m. Margaret ——; she d. before 1729.

John Field was at Flushing at an early period. There is a person of this name among those who took the oath of allegiance in a list without date, and with no place named. As the province of New York was definitely ceded by the Dutch to the English in 1674, I do not think that it could have been later. There is also among the Albany records an entry referring to a tract of land granted by Governor Andros to John Field. No date is mentioned, but it must have been between 1674 and 1681, which years embrace Andros' tenure of this office. The record commences: "Whereas there is a certain parcel of land, which by my order hath been laid out for John Field, called by the name of Field's Hope, situated in a creek called Maspillan Creek, and on the east side of said creek, and on the west side of Delaware Bay, etc., etc., etc." In the valuation of estates at Flushing in 1683, John Field had "5 acres, 2 cowes, and 4 swine." He is named in the patent confirmation of this town in 1685. The records of the Society of Friends at Flushing are pretty complete from about this date, and there are the names of a number of witnesses to every later marriage of a member of the family, but his does not appear among them. The author infers from this that he either died, or left the neighborhood, in or shortly after 1685. In the latter case he may have been the grantee of "Field's Hope," and removed there.

The American Bible Society possesses an old Bible presented to it by the Hon. Peter D. Vroom, of Trenton, N. J., which has the following:

"Jeremiah Feild, the son of John Field and Margaret his wife, was born May 17th, 1689."

On Dec. 14, 1695, John Field, of Flushing, purchased ten hundred and fifty-five acres of land fronting the Raritan river below Bound Brook, N. J. He purchased his Raritan lands from Benjamin Clarke. The deed is recorded in Book G. of Deeds, folios 188-189-190-191, Trenton, N. J. This land is still in possession of some of his descendants. He was commissioned a justice of the peace, Feb. 14, 1710, for the counties of Middlesex and Somerset, N. J.

In The Name of God Amen.

I John Field of the Township of Piscataway in the County of Middlesex and Province of East New Jersey Gent, Being Sick and weak in Body but of Perfect mind and memory, thanks be therefore given to Almighty God, do make and ordain this my Last will and testament in manner and form following . . .

Imprs. I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, Trusting to be saved only by and through the alone merits of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ; and my body I commit to the earth whence it was taken to be Decently Interred at the Discretion of my executor hereafter named; and as for those worldly goods which God in his mercy has been pleased to bestow upon me I

give, devise, bestow and bequeath the same in manner and form following, viz.—

ITEM. I give devise and bequeath unto my youngest Daughter Charity Field the sum of one hundred pounds current money of this Province to be paid unto her my said daughter by my Executor within five years next after my decease.

ITEM. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hannah Breece the sum of sixty pounds current money of this Province to be paid unto my said daughter Hannah within four years next after my decease by my Executor.

ITEM. All the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate both real and personal I devise and bequeath unto my son Jeremiah Field whom I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint full and sole executor of this my last will and Testament; utterly Revoking, Disannulling, Annihilating and Disalowing all former and other Wills, Testaments, Executors, Legacies and Bequests whatsoever by me heretofore made ordained or given by writing or any other way; howsoever. Ratifying, confirming and allowing this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this eleventh day of March in the Eleventh Year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George, by the grace of God, of Great Brittain, France and Ireland, King, defender of the faith, &c. Anno. Dom. one thousand seven hundred and twenty-four or five.

JOHN FIELD. [L. S.]

Then follows names of witnesses, etc., with usual acknowledgments as to signature.

On July 22, 1729, this will was admitted to probate by M. Kearney, surrogate.

This will is recorded in Liber B, folio 126, office of Secretary of State, Trenton, N. J. He d. in 1729; res., Bound Brook, N. J.

278. i. JEREMIAH, b. May 17, 1689; m. Mary Van Vieghten.
279. ii. HANNAH, b. ——; m. Hendrick Brees.
280. iii. CHARITY, b. ——; mentioned in his will.

187. THOMAS FIELD (Benjamin, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. about 1674; m. Hannah ——, b. 1680; d. Feb. 2, 1761. Thomas Field, who was named among the inhabitants of Flushing in 1698, and was then single, had issue according to the Friends' register. The marriages of some of these children are entered in the Flushing registers, viz: On the 10th of the 12th month, 1725-6, Nathan Field, "son of Thomas and Hannah Field of Flushing," and Elizabeth Jackson, daughter of James and Rebecca Jackson, were married. "John Clarke and Sarah Field, daughter of Thomas of Flushing were married 3d day of 2d mo. 1735." "Joseph Field, son of Thomas and Hannah and Mary Rodman, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth, married the 16th of 6th mo. 1750." The last couple had a son, Rodman Field, born on the 2d day of 8th mo. 1751. The mother, Mary Field, died 23d of same month, "aged about 22." The death of the father of these children is entered in the registers as follows: 'Thomas Field deceased the 3rd day of 1st mo. 1761, aged about 87." This would make the date of his birth about 1674. His wife's death is recorded immediately after, this: "Hannah Field, his widow, died the 2d day of 2d mo. 1761, aged about 81. They had been married and lived together near sixty years."

The author has already stated that he is unable to say who was the father of this Thomas. The most plausible suggestion he can offer is, that he was son of Benjamin Field, the son of the emigrant who was appointed ensign for Flushing in 1665, and by a first wife. It is pretty evident from the will of his widow Sarah, that she left no child; but she may have been the second wife, and perhaps her husband had issue by a previous one.

He d. Jan. 3, 1761; res., Flushing, L. I.

281. i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 22, 1701; d. March 4, 1759.
282. ii. NATHAN, b. Sept. 30, 1703; m. Elizabeth Jackson.
283. iii. CALEB, b. Nov. 5, 1705; m. Anne Rodman.
284. iv. JACOB, b. May 23, 1708.
285. v. MARY, b. Oct. 30, 1710.
286. vi. SARAH, b. July 6, 1712; m. Feb. 3, 1735, John Clarke of Flushing.
287. vii. HANNAH, b. May 27, 1715.
288. viii. THOMAS b. Sept. 28, 1719; d. Oct. 9, 1748.
289. ix. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 29, 1722; m. Mary Rodman.

195. THOMAS FIELD (Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, about 1650; m. Sibella Hobbs. He d. about 1695; res., Cockernhoe, England.

290. i. THOMAS, b. about 1691; m. M. Rudd.
291. ii. JOHN, b. Nov. 15, 1683; m. E. Waters.
292. iii. NATHANIEL, b. Nov. 9, 1685; m. E. Southgate.
293. iv. ISAAC, b. July 29, 1687; m. M. Gartick.
294. v. WILLIAM, b. April 22, 1691; m. E. Stackhouse.

197. SERGT. EBENEZER FIELD (Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northampton, Mass., Oct. 31, 1671; m. Jan. 14, 1697, Mary Dudley, b. May 16, 1678. She m., 2d, Timothy Alcott, of Bolton, Conn.; d. April 20, 1740. Ebenezer Field, son of Zechariah and Sarah (Webb), b. in Northampton, Mass., Oct. 31, 1671. He came to Deerfield with his father; in 1696 he removed to East Guilford, Conn., now Madison, where he d. May 17, 1713. He was a sergeant, and had charge and command of a few men on the Sound for the protection of the settlements. He m. Jan. 14, 1697, by Andrew Leet, a member of the Governor's Council, Mary Deadly, or Dudley, as the name is now spelled, b. May 16, 1678. She m., 2d, 1722, Timothy Alcott, of Bolton, Conn., where she d. April 20, 1740. Ebenezer, whose good old Scriptural name signifies, "Thus far hath the Lord helped us," resided in Madison, Conn. Here he and those that came after him abode for more than one hundred years. In the old burying ground where

The rude forefathers of the hamlet sleep,

may be seen side by side three low head-stones which mark the heads of three generations. He d. May 17, 1713; res. East Guilford, Conn.

295. iii. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 12, 1704; m. Bethiah Johnson.
296. i. DAVID, b. Dec. 2, 1697; m. Anna Bishop, Catherine Bishop and Mrs. Abigail Tyler Strong.
297. ii. MARY, b. Nov. 16, 1699.
298. iv. EBENEZER, b. 1706; m. Hannah Evarts, Margaret Evarts, Deborah Hall and Hannah Mills.
299. v. ZECHARIAH, b. 1708; m. Prudence Graves and Anna Seward.
300. vi. JOAREB, b. March 2, 1711; m. Abigail Bradley.
301. vii. ANN, b. March 22, 1713; m. Aug. 31, 1752, Elisha White of Hatfield and Bolton, Conn.
301½. viii. GREGORY, b. ——; found drowned in Shoatacket river, Conn., April 29, 1710.

199. JOHN FIELD (Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Dec. 8, 1673; m. Nov. 9, 1696, Mary Bennett, daughter of James of Northampton. John Field, son of Zechariah and Sarah (Webb), b. in Deerfield, Mass. His was one of the unfortunate families that was broken up at the destruc-

tion and massacre of the inhabitants of Deerfield by the French and Indians under Hertel De Rouville, Feb. 29, 1704, where many of the inhabitants were slain and others carried into captivity to Canada. He was one of that heroic band who attacked the retreating enemy without success in the meadow. He m. Mary, daughter of James and Mary (Broughton) Bennett, of Northampton and Northfield. She was one of the captives taken to Canada, but was ransomed and returned the next year with her son John. He removed about 1710 to East Guilford, Conn., from there to Coventry or Stafford, Conn., where he d. in 1718.

John Field of Northampton and wife Mary and Elizabeth Hurd of Boston, surviving heirs of Francis Bennet, convey lands in Boston, Sept. 15, 1697, to John Clarke.

In the wills and distribution of estates in the Hartford probate office is the will of John Field, of Coventry, Conn.; wife Mary, son John, other children mentioned, but no names given; deceased before March 6, 1717-18; was proven at that date. Witness, Joseph Meacham, Samuel Barker.

He d. Coventry, Conn., Feb., 1718; res. Deerfield, Mass., East Guilford, and Stafford, Conn.

302. i. MARY, b. 1697. She was captured with her mother and taken captive to Canada and adopted into an Indian family, who gave her the name of "Walahowey." She m. an Indian chief and came with him to visit her relations in Connecticut, and sent to Northfield for her brother Pedajah. Her friends made every effort to have them both remain, and Pedajah urged them to come to Northfield and live with him. Her husband was willing, but Mary was not, as she had become so firmly attached to her Indian mode of life that she could not be persuaded to stay among her friends. She told her brother Pedajah that he should be captured and taken to Canada, and he firmly believed the attempt was made one day while he was mowing in a little meadow; which was only frustrated by his taking the alarm and crossing the river to Pachang, where other men were at work. He used every precaution to prevent a surprise, but was not molested afterwards. It seems strange that persons can be so infatuated with such a mode of life. It is not know whether she had any children. Nothing more is known of Mary or her husband.

303. ii. JOHN, b. Oct. 4, 1700, was captured by the Indians; returned and m. Anna ——.

304. iii. SARAH, b. April 14, 1703; killed by Indians Feb. 29, 1704.

305. iv. PEDAJAH, b. Jan. 28, 1707; m. Hannah —— and Abigail Pettee.

306. v. BENNETT, b. Dec. 13, 1709; m. Elizabeth Spafford.

307. vi. SARAH, b. July 20, 1712.

200. JOHN FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., May 11, 1672; m. 1698, Sarah Coleman, b. Feb. 15, 1673, daughter of John and Hannah (Porter); d. Jan. 8, 1759. John Field, son of John and Mary (Edwards), born in Northampton, Mass. He settled in Hatfield, where he died. He was one of the two constables appointed by the governor and council in 1708. A soldier in the Indian wars. He married Sarah, daughter of John and Hannah (Porter) Coleman, of Hatfield. Mrs. Field was one of the captives of Ashpelon's raid, Sept. 19, 1677. She was redeemed by Wait and Jennings in 1678. A shoe, worn by her on the homeward march from Canada, in 1678, is among the treasures in the Deerfield Memorial Hall. He d. May 28, 1747. Res. Hatfield, Mass.

308. i. JOHN, b. Sept. 14, 1700; m. Editha Dickinson and Ann Bagg.

309. ii. SARAH, b. May 14, 1702; m. Dec. 1, 1725, Joshua Belding; m., 2d, 1741, Thomas Noble, of Westfield. She d. Aug. 17, 1763.

310. iii. HANNAH, b. July 8, 1704; m., Dec. 24, 1729, Samuel Dickinson, of Deerfield. He was son of Nathaniel, b. 1687; captured by the Indians at Hatfield, in 1698, and recovered in the Pomeroy pursuit; taken again at Northfield, Oct. 11, 1723, and returned and settled in Deerfield in 1730, on lot No. 23; in 1739 the general court granted him 200 acres of land at Roadtown, "in consideration of his sufferings while in captivity." He died June 23, 1761. Their daughter, Elizabeth, was drowned in the Deerfield river with her mother while they were fording the stream on horseback, at Old Fort. There is a horizontal sandstone slab over her grave in the old burying yard. The marble tablet bearing the inscription is broken to fragments. Ch.: 1. Hannah, b. Sept. 21, 1730; m., Jan. 30, 1765, Col. William Williams, of Hatfield, Deerfield and Pittsfield. He was born in 1713; was graduated at Harvard College in 1729; went into business in Boston, but soon failed; was ensign under General Oglethorpe, 1745, in the attempt on St. Augustine, and with Admiral Vernon, in 1741; went to Deerfield about 1743; was lieutenant-colonel in the Northern Hampshire army. In 1745 raised a company about Deerfield and sailed for Cape Breton with a lieutenant-colonel's commission; arrived there after the reduction of Louisburg, but was of the garrison which held it until spring; was in charge of the detachment which rebuilt Fort Massachusetts, in 1747; refused Governor Shiley's request to remain as commander, but was made commissary of supplies of the line of forts; resigned Nov. 15, 1748, on account of difficulty in obtaining provisions, but remained at Deerfield; kept a store on lot No. 29; was selectman in 1751. He moved to Pittsfield about 1754, where he built a house which became Fort Anson; was the savior of the noted Pittsfield Elm. From 1755 to 1758 he served as captain in the regiment of his uncle, Sir William Pepperell, and in 1758 as colonel under General Abercrombie. At the end of the campaign of that year he retired on half-pay; was justice of the peace in 1748; judge of the court of common pleas, 1761, and later judge of probate, and almost continually in town office in Pittsfield until the Revolution; was a Tory, and died April 5, 1784. Hannah was his third wife, and she m. 2d, ——Shearer, and was a widow again before 1789. 2. Hepzibah, b. Oct. 8, 1732; drowned 1740. 3. Nathaniel, b. Oct. 7, 1734; m. Mrs. Hannah Woolsey. 4. Samuel, b. Oct. 13, 1736. He was a soldier in the last French war; died unmarried, Nov. 30, 1780. Hannah, the mother, was drowned in Deerfield river Sept. 3, 1740.

311. iv AMOS, b. June 24, 1708; m. Mehitable Day.

312. v. ELIAKIM, b. Nov. 27, 1711; m. Esther Graves.

313. vi. MARY, b. June 18, 1715; m., May 18, 1738, Moses Warner.

202. ZECHARIAH FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., August, 1676; m., May 25, 1705, Sarah Clark, b. April 20, 1677, daughter of Deacon John and Rebecca (Cooper), of Northampton. Zechariah Field, son of John and Mary (Edwards), was born in Hatfield, Mass. He

removed, in 1734, to the district of Amherst, where he died, in 1738. The first town meeting to organize in the town of Amherst was held at his house, Dec. 31, 1734, but was not organized until 1739. His name is the first that appears on the town records.

Amherst was originally a part of Hadley. At a legal town meeting, in Hadley, March 4, 1700, it was "voted by the town that three miles and one quarter eastward from the meeting house, and so from the north side of Mount Holyoke unto the Mill river, shall lye as common land forever, supposing that the line will take in the new swamp. Voted that the rest of the commons eastward shall be laid out in three divisions, that is to say, between the road leading to Brookfield and the Mill river, notwithstanding there is liberty for the cutting of wood and timber so long as it lieth unfenced; there is likewise to be left between every division forty rods for highways, and what will be necessary to be left for highways, eastward and west through every division is to be left to the discretion of the measurers, and every one to have a proportion in the first and second division, and every one to have a proportion in the third division, and every householder to have a 50-lbb. allotment, and all others who are now the proper inhabitants of Hadley, sixteen years old and upwards, to hav a 25-lbb. allotment in said commons." In accordance with this order the most of this land was laid out in April, 1703, by Capt. Aaron Cook, Capt. Nehemiah Dickinson and Mr. Samuel Porter, town measurers. The precise date of the settlement of these lands is not known. A Mr. Foote, probably from Hatfield, is said to have built a shanty in the east part of the town prior to 1703. The location was a little north of the east Parish meeting house. He chose the spot, thinking that he could subsist there by hunting and fishing, but failing to do so, he left, and, in commemoration of his folly, the east part of the town was for many years called "Foote-folly Swamp." On the 5th of January, 1730, the town of Hadley appointed men to lay out a burial place for the "East inhabitants." Zechariah d. January, 1738. Res. Amherst, Mass.

314. i. EBENEZER, b. Aug. 8, 1709; invalid. Res. Conway.

315. ii. REBECCA, b. about 1711; m., Jan. 13, 1737, Joseph Hawley, of Amherst. He d. about 1756. She d. and he m. 2d, 1753, Thankful Alexander. Res. Amherst. Ch.: 1. Araneth, bap. December, 1739; m., 1758, Jonathan Scott, of Sunderland. 2. Joseph, b. July 1, 1744; d. young. 3. Joseph, bap. Oct. 10, 1748. 4. Abigail, d. 1758. 5. Rebecca, b. ——.

316. iii. SARAH, b. March 18, 1714; m., January, 1736, Samuel Hawley, of Amherst. She d. 1796. He d. in the army, Dec. 15, 1750. Ch.: 1. Anne. 2. Elijah; d. in the army, Nov. 30, 1756. 3. Sarah, m. Benjamin Backman and —— Hodden. 4. Zachariah, bap. April 10, 1743; d. young. 5. John, bap. Dec. 28, 1746. 6. Miriam, bap. Jan. 1, 1749. 7. Mehitable, m. David Hawley, of Amherst. 8. Zechariah, bap. May 13, 1753; m. Rebecca Edwards; was a deacon in Amherst, and died there June 1, 1824.

317. iv. MARY, b. Jan. 21, 1716.

318. v. JOHN, b. Jan. 12, 1718; m. Hannah Boltwood.

210. DEACON SAMUEL FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Sept. 27, 1678; m., Jan. 10, 1706, Mrs. Hannah (Edwards) Hoyt, b. Sept. 10, 1675; d. July 23, 1747. She was daughter of Joseph Edwards; her husband, David Hoyt, was killed by the Indians in the Meadow fight.

Samuel Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Gilbert), was born in Hatfield, Mass.,

Sept. 27, 1678. He removed to Deerfield in 1706, where he died Aug. 25, 1762, aged eighty-three. He was one of the twenty-two men who came from Hatfield, that were engaged in the Meadow fight in the unsuccessful attempt to rescue the prisoners taken at the destruction of Deerfield by the French and Indians, Feb. 29, 1704. He was wounded in a fight with Indians, Aug. 25, 1725, near where the present depot in Greenfield now stands. A deacon and prominent man in town. He was granted by the general court, in 1736, 200 acres of land on the east line of Northfield, probably for military services. He married Mary, daughter of Joseph Edwards, of Northampton, and widow of David Hoyt, Jr., who was one of the nine men killed in the Meadow fight in trying to rescue the prisoners.

On August 25, Deacon Samuel Field, Deacon Samuel Childs, Sergt. Joseph Severance, Joshua and John Wells and Thomas Bardwell left town to look after some cattle at Green river farms, with but a single musket in the party. Crossing North Meadows, and the river, north of Pine Hill, up through Cheapside until the present town line was crossed, when a cow they were driving ran out of the path. She was followed by Deacon Childs, who soon discovered Indians in ambush, and gave the alarm, when they arose. The following is from an manuscript account of the affair by Rev. Stephen Williams, about 1730:

Aug. 25, 1725, Deacon Samu Field, Deacon Samu Child, Sergt. Joseph Severance, John Wells, Joshua Wells and Thomas Bardwell, went over Deerfd river to go to Green river farms, and they took a cow with them, designing to put her in a pasture; the Indians ambushed them, but Deacon Child, driving the cow, discovered them,and cried out, "Indians!" John Wells discharged his gun at an Indian, who fell upon his fireing. Dea Field, being at some distance from the company, rode towards them, but the company being before separated from one another, retreated towards the mill, and at a considerable distance from the hill they haltd, jt John Wells might load his gun, and then the Indians fird upon them, and wound Dea Samu Field, the ball passing through the right Hypocondria, cutting off three plails of the mysenteice; a gut hung out of the wound in length almost two inches, which was cut off even with the body; the bullet passing between the lowest and the next rib, cutting at its going forth part of the lower rib. His hand being close to his body when ye ball came forth, it entered at the root of the heel of ye thumb, cutting the bone of the forefinger, resting between the fore and second finger; was cut out, and all the wounds through the blessing of God upon means were healed in less than five weeks by Dr. Thomas Hastings, whose death since ye war is a great frown upon us, etc.

He d. Aug. 30, 1762. Res. Hatfield and Deerfield, Mass.

319. i. ELIZABETH, b. April 16, 1707; m., Oct. 9, 1731, Moses Miller, of Springfield.

320. ii. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 20, 1709; d. Oct. 24, 1726.

321. iii. EUNICE, b. May 29, 1714; m., Nov. 28, 1735, Joseph Smead. He was son of Ebenezer; was born 1713; was a maker of snow shoes in the French and Indian wars; removed to Pine Nook about 1764, and died about 1796. She d. June, 1792. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. March 28, 1737; m. Abner Hawks and Enos Marsh. 2. Eunice, b. Sept. 28, 1738; m. John Clapp. 3. Ebenezer, b. March 25, 1740; m. Mary Stebbins. 4. Joseph, b. Nov. 28, 1741. Revolutionary soldier, 1778; was a sergeant; died before 1785. 5. Oliver, b. Nov. 10, 1743; d. before 1784. 6. Catherine, b. June 8, 1745; m. Oliver Root. 7. Susanna, b. Nov. 27, 1748; d. before 1787.

322. iv. DAVID, b. Jan. 4, 1712; m. Mrs. Thankful (Taylor) Doolittle.

323. v. EBENEZER, b. Oct. 2, 1723; d. Oct. 14, 1723.

324. vi. THANKFUL, b. 1716; m., Nov. 28, 1739, Seth Heaton, of Keene. Ch.: 1. Seth, b. Dec. 11, 1740. 2. Huldah, b. April 28, 1742. 3. Daniel, b. 1744.

211. THOMAS FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., June 30, 1680; m., Oct. 4, 1713, Abigail Dickinson, daughter of Hezekiah and Abigail (Blackman), b. Dec. 8, 1690; d. June 20, 1775. Thomas Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Gilbert), was born in Hatfield, Mass., June 3, 1680. He purchased, Dec. 23, 1703, a lot of land in Lebanon street. Recorded in vol. i, p. 120, but there is no record of his ever having resided there. He removed about 1728 to Longmeadow, Mass., where he died Feb. 1, 1747. He was a useful man in town. He married Abigail, daughter of Hezekiah and Abigail (Blackman) Dickinson, of Hatfield. He d. Feb. 1, 1747. Res. Hatfield and Longmeadow, Mass.

325. i. ABAGAIL, b. Oct. 5, 1714; m. Nov. 14, 1754, Abial Abbott, of Windsor, Conn. She died Aug. 8, 1777, s. p. in Longmeadow.

326. ii. SAMUEL, b. May 10, 1718; d. Aug. 10, 1721.

327. iii. MOSES, b. Feb. 16, 1722; m. Rebecca Cooley and Mrs. Lydia Champion.

328. iv. SIMEON, b. April 25, 1731; m. Margaret Reynolds.

329. v. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 10, 1725; m. Hannah Lord.

330. vi. SARAH, b. Nov. 28, 1728; d. unm. April 19, 1773.

213. CAPTAIN ZECHARIAH FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Aug. 29, 1685; m., Dec. 31, 1711, Sarah Mattoon. She m., 2d, June 25, 1750, Deacon Samuel Childs. She died March 21, 1752.

Zechariah Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Gilbert), was born in Hatfield, Mass. He came to Deerfield in 1710. He removed in the spring of 1717 to Northfield, where he died. He was chosen ensign in December, 1717, after Lieut. Thomas Taylor was drowned, subsequently chosen Lieut. and in 1743, captain. In 1718 Ensign Zechariah Field built mills on Miller's brook, which were held by his heirs for many years. He built a house on his home lot, which was finished in 1724. In the spring of 1724 a mount was built at his house, which was brick lined, for a guard against Indian attacks. Upon the organization of the town, Jan. 15, 1723, he was chosen first selectman, and afterward generally held some important town office. In 1739 he purchased, in company with Orlando Bridgman, for £500, of Colonel Stoddard, of Northampton, his farm of 100 acres in little meadow. He soon purchased Mr. Bridgman's share, and the place is known in modern times as the Field farm, and was lately owned and occupied by one of his descendants, Thomas J. Field.

He was in the meadow fight, in Deerfield, in the attempt to rescue the captives, Feb. 29, 1704. He purchased, in 1720, of Pompanoot, son of Wawelet, 30,000 acres on Miller's river, at Payuayag (now Athol), for which he paid twelve pounds, being the balance of all the desirable land claimed by the Indians as original proprietors. His own petition to Governor Belcher best tells the story:

"To His Excellency Jona Belcher,

"It being represented to me that it would be for the interest of this Government to purchase the right of Pompanoot son of and heir to Wawelet one of the Chiefs among the Indians, of and in a large tract of land lying upon Millers River so called, at a place called Payuayag (Athol) of the contents of about 30,000 acres, bounded upon large falls on said river easterly, extending seven miles down the river, running four miles southerly from ye sd. river, and two miles northerly. And your

memorialist being intimately acquainted with the said Pompanoot, and considering that if the land should not be bought of him before the English begun to make some settlement and build upon the sd land, he would afterwards demand a much higher price, than if bought before such improvement.

"Your memorialist for the good of the country bought the sd land of sd Indian in the year 1720 for an inconsiderable sum, viz. twelve pounds, which is now of great worth. And the sd land by the authority of the Great and General Court has been lately granted for a Township to the English inhabitants. Though your petitioner has it under the hand of a great number of Indians that the sd land was the right of the said Pompanoot by virtue of a gift from his honored father Wawelet, yet is entirely satisfied that this grant of the Court should take place provided he be recompensed for the £12 advanced, with interest, or receive a part of said land.

Northfield April 1733. Zechariah Field."

In consideration of the aforesaid purchase, the general court allotted him for his trouble and money advanced, 800 acres of the land, which by running of town lines fell mostly in New Salem.

The general court afterward granted the same land to other parties, regardless of the first agreement. But being determined to maintain his rights, he was allotted land enough by the general court as they considered an equivalent, in Buckland, after several years had elapsed from the first allottment. He never considered he received an equivalent for his money and services, besides the annoyance of following up officials. He married Sarah, daughter of Philip and Sarah (Hawks) Mattoon, of Deerfield, born April 25, 1687. She was one of that miserable company captured at Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704, and was carried to Canada. After suffering incredible hardship she was ransomed and returned the next year. She was allowed by the probate court a share of the property of Mathew Clesson, who was killed in a fight with Indians in the meadow in 1709, she being engaged in marriage to him.

He removed to Northfield in 1714. He paid the largest tax there in 1717, and the third largest in 1729. In 1729 he bought for £550 the land now known as the Field farm, at Northfield Farms. He held more land than anyone in town in 1733. That year he was granted by the general court 800 acres near Athol, in return for a purchase of 30,000 acres, bought from the Indians, in 1720, for £12, which shrewd purchase was not confirmed by the court. In 1717 and later was an ensign, ranging against the Indians; a militia captain in 1743; selectman in 1721, 1733 and 1738-42; town treasurer in 1739-41; a leading man in the church.

In 1715 Zechariah Field was appointed surveyor of highways, and the following year a fence viewer. In 1716 he was on a committee "to inspect the minister's house, the building of the same and to appoint and procure workmen and materials, and take an account of all service and expense about said building, and render their account to said committee and by them allowed."

In 1733 when it was well assured that Northfield was to stand, men who had ready cash began to invest it in lands in and around the plantation. Ensign Zechariah Field made a wholesale purchase.

In 1717 he was chosen ensign in place of Thomas Taylor, who was drowned, and succeeded in command. June 7 of this year he purchased the home-lot of Thomas Leffingwell and wife, Mary. In 1723 he purchased the homestead of his brother's (Ebenezer's) heirs. In 1723, when the plantation was incorporated into a town, Mr. Field was elected one of the first selectmen. In 1724 the governor directed the forts at Northfield to be examined and repaired at once. By March 5 the Zechariah Field fort and mount were finished. The mounts were square towers, from fourteen to twenty feet high, fitted up for a sentry. Zechariah Field was sergeant

in Captain Dwight's company in 1725. It often had engagements with the Indians on the frontier. The total amount of pay and subsistence of this company from May 19 to November 16 was £1,139 4s. 5d. Part of the time the company was at Fort Dummer.

In 1729, in a rate for defraying the town and county charges levied on the polls and real and personal estates, Zechariah Field paid the third largest tax in a list of nearly fifty.

In 1731, in a division of lots, Ensign Field chose on lot below the first Beer's mountain, and the other on the plain, against and above Little Meadow. The latter was laid out 160 rods long by 10 rods wide.

In 1743 Zechariah Field was captain of the Northfield company in Col. John Stoddard's Hampshire regiment of militia. This year the town voted to build four mounts, one at Captain Field's. His house was brick lined, and better for protection on this account.

Captain Field was selectman 1721-33-38-39-40-41-42.

In October, 1672, the territory known by the Indian name of Squakheag, now the town of Northfield, was granted to certain individuals living mostly in Northampton. The grant was a township equal to six miles square, not to exceed eight miles in length. The condition of the grant was that twenty families should settle within eighteen months. The General Court appointed Lieut. Wm. Clark, Wm. Holton, Lieut. Samuel Smith, Cornet Wm. Allys, and Isaac Graves a committee to lay out the plantation, and superintend the concerns of the proprietors, and it was enjoined upon them to lay out a farm of 300 acres of upland and meadow, for the use of the country, and to settle a minister so soon as twenty families should be gathered. The plantation was laid out the following year, as follows: "Beginning at a brook called Natanis, at the lower end of a meadow Nattahameongom, or Natanis (now Bennett's meadow), and running up the river eight miles, and extending three-fourths of a mile from the river on the west side, and three miles and three-fourths of a mile on the east side." On September 9, 1673, a part of this territory, with a large additional tract on the west of the river, was purchased of the Indians. Soon after this, and during that year, several settlers from Northampton, Hadley and Hatfield, came in, and built several houses, one of which was fortified.

Northfield settlement took place during the inception of King Philip's war. The story of the Indian murders in Squakheag, the slaughter of Captain Beers and his men on their way to that settlement, and the forsaking of the plantation, has been fully told.

It was not until after the passage of several years succeeding the conclusion of Philip's war, that the proprietors moved for a new settlement. In 1782, the survivors of the original committee, and others, petitioned the General Court that the limits of the Squakheag grant might be extended, so as to bound southerly on Stony, or Four-mile brook. Their petition was granted on condition that forty families should settle in the town within three years; and as some of the committee had died, a new committee was appointed to take their place. In 1684 the village was laid out upon the same ground, and in the same form, as it now exists. The lots were laid out twenty rods in width, and a reservation was made for highways ten rods in width, through and across the village. In 1685, a number of families returned to the plantation, built a few houses, and erected a block house. At a meeting of the committee the same year, lots were granted to thirty-two persons, and it was ordered that every person who had sixty acres of interval land should settle two inhabitants upon it. It was agreed also that all the proprietors should be on their lands, with their families, on or before May 10, 1686, or forfeit their

grants. Deeds of all the territory and much besides seem to have been given by certain Indians after this.

The settlement went on prosperously for a year or two, when, in 1689, came on King William's war. The settlers saw that their strength was small, that their situation was the most northern in the colony, and thus peculiarly exposed to the incursions of the French and Indians from the north; and burying their most valuable goods in a well, a few rods south-easterly of the present meeting house, they left their dwellings tenantless, and with their wives and children, fled to Hadley. This withdrawal was destined to be a long one. Queen Anne's war followed soon, and it was not until February, 1713, that, in accordance with a petition to the General Court, of Joseph Parsons, John Lyman and others, the Squakheag grant was revived. The act appointed Samuel Partridge, John Pynchon (the second), Samuel Porter, John Stoddard and Henry Dwight, a committee to determine on the rights of claimants, under the old grant, and to join them with others, preference being given in all cases to the descendants of the original planters and grantees. The committee were empowered to make their allotments, and required to reserve 250 acres of land to be at the disposition of the government. The grant was based on the provision that forty families should be settled within three years, and that they procure and settle a learned and orthodox minister, "the town to be named Northfield," and to "lye to the County of Hampshire." On April 14, 1714, sixteen persons appeared before the committee and proved their claims in the right of their ancestors, and three in their own rights, and entered into articles of agreement.

ONE OF DEERFIELD'S ROMANCES.—LOVE STORY TWO CENTURIES OLD.

OF THE SACK OF DEERFIELD BY THE INDIANS IN 1704, OF THE CAPTIVITY OF SARAH MATTOON, OF HER TWO LOVERS, AND OF HER RETURN YEARS AFTER.

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It was February, 1704. The snow-clad hills that encircled the frontier town of Deerfield stood peacefully and solemnly looking down on the broad valley. Sarah Mattoon, a girl of seventeen summers, had climbed to the top of a low foot-hill near to her father's house, and stood looking over the settlement as it lay shining in the snow. How she loved the winter with its sparkle and cold, its delicate, tender beauty! Surely heaven and earth were never more beautiful than to-night!

Nor was Sarah less than beautiful with her glowing color and deep brown eyes, clad in her simple homespun gown and hood. After a long stint of spinning she had escaped for a few minutes' run over the crust. Shunning the village street, she sped through the home lot to the apple trees on the slope. She sought vainly to find relief from the weight of perplexity and pain that grew and grew within her as she spun. It was but two days since she had promised Matthew Clesson to be his wife, and already those two days were an eternity,—and more terrible. To-morrow he would return from Northampton, and she must meet him. How could she meet him? How could she bear his distress and pain? Dear, good, gentle Matthew, whom she loved so much—yet not enough.

"I can never, never explain it in this wide, dreary world!" How dreary and lonely the world seemed to Sarah on a sudden! The sun was setting in the midst of rising clouds, and the wind grew colder. An oppressive sense of real or fancied danger came over her. Was it so? Were there savages lurking behind those far-off hills, or nearer, close at hand? She was rash to have come so far from the settlement, but misery knows no fear. And danger? What was danger to her woe?

But she drew her cloak about her and hurried home, entering the long, low liv-

ing room, lit by the glowing wood fire. How the firelight flickered and danced over the brown boards of the walls and floor, gleaming on the great rafters overhead and reflecting a cozy home-like glow on all it touched!

It was supper time, and Sarah was soon busily stirring the bubbling kettle of hominy that hung over the coals, then dipping it out into porringers and bowls and helping the children to pour the precious milk from the great blue pitcher brought through so many perils from safer shores. She went on fulfilling one after another the ceaseless round of evening duties,—seeing that the boys brought in great armfuls of wood, brushing up the broad hearth, turning the settle to the fire and tucking the youngest child into the low red cradle in the corner. At length all was settled and secure for the night.

"Sally," said her mother, as she took up her knitting in the chimney corner, "if ye ain't afeer'd o' the dark ye ken go and tell Rebecca I'll be up and help her in the mornin' wi' the weaving. Ye ken stay the night, too, if ye like, and mind to assist Rebecca if ye do. She's frail, poor thing. It's hard on Philip. I allus told him—"

Here Sarah interrupted: "I'll go right off, mother, 'twill be dark soon. Good-night, mother."

And glad to get out again, she undid the great door and stepped forth. She paused a moment on the broad door stone to look at the sky. The stars were few and faint and the rising wind was from the south and chill, and full of eerie whisperings. The bare branches of the trees tossed and creaked in the wind, darkly silhouetted against snow and sky. As Sarah went on a tall figure met her.

"Sarah!"—"Zechariah!" There was silence for a moment until the girl said, sharply, "Zechariah Field, what do you here?"

"Nay, Sarah, be not so hard. Verily, the fiercest foe is easier met than you in anger. Yet why be angry? I did but pause an instant to cheer my loneliness with the chinks of light between the shutters of your home. Do you know what it is to have no home? Nay, do not interrupt me. Where are you going? I care not. Surely heaven sent you forth to me, waiting so long for speech with you. Do not turn away, why be unkind to me? May I not ask you once in all these weary months why you avoid all friendliness with me? 'Tis strange. 'Tis past all my experience of God's mercies that you should so rebuff me. I, who loved you from the hour I met you yonder on the hill slope as I found my way hither up the great river and across the mountain. Do you recall it, Sarah, that spring day? The sweet pink flowers I'd gathered pleased you then. You were so kind, courteous, yet homelike as a sister in gentleness and spirit. Was it nought to you, that meeting?"

Seeking to detain her, the young man seized Sarah's hand. He found her trembling like a slender aspen, and drawing her arm within his led her to the next home lot, where a new house was rising, and made her sit upon a great felled tree.

"I must not, I must not!" she protested, striving to go.

"No, Sarah—no, you shall not go, you must hear me. The times are ominous and fearful. Who knows what moment we may be set upon, slaughtered, or widely separated? No, dear heart, do not shudder so; all things are bearable, but two things help to make them so; the love of God and love of you. Ah, if you love me, Sarah, what is life or death?"

But Sarah drew herself deep in her cloak and dropped her head upon her knees and shook with sobs, yet spoke no word.

Zechariah bent over her. "And, Sarah, if it be not so; if you have no love in your heart for me, nor ever had, nor will have, say so; tell me. I can bear it, and (heaven help me) love you still. Ah, is it so? Is my dream with all its miracle of

sweetness but a dream and not the blest reflection of some deeper bond? Sarah—tell me, tell me truly! Arm me with desperation, if not with love."

But no sound broke the silence of the night, save the swaying branches overhead rustling in the wind.

"Look up, Sarah, speak to me! just one word."

In vain she strove to speak, she rose to her feet struggling to overcome her emotion, but Zechariah drew her to him and soothed and hushed her like a little child, until at last she freed herself and said resolutely:—

"No, Zechariah, no—I have no right to let you love me. I have told Matthew I would be his wife."

Zechariah started with a low cry. "Sarah,—Sarah!"—he turned away, but again returned to her.

"And do you love him, Sarah? I will be silent if you tell me that."

Her breath came quick; without looking up she repeated: "I have told Matthew I would be his wife."

She turned to go, but Zechariah seized her hand.

"You must not go, you shall not leave me so. Your words are arrows, but your voice trembles and breaks with tenderness—for whom? for what? Oh, is it not for me? Think, Speak! I shall be loving you always and ever, and will you not give me one little word of kindness or of pity?"

Sarah burst into tears "Pity—pity. Oh, Zechariah! 'tis I who need your pity! May God help us! My life must be a desert and a waste, with but one gleam of brightness far away—that you have loved me—grudge it not to me, I will be worthy of it if I live; now I must go."

But Zechariah clasped his arms firmly about her. "Not so, Sarah, 'tis not so. You are not Matthew's, you are mine. You love me—'tis all I ask. No power in heaven or earth should part us. I may be poor and Matthew rich, but——"

Sarah stopped him.

"Oh, Zechariah, you cannot think it that; you do not. Blest were captivity with you to all that England's safest, stateliest home could be without you; oh, my love!"

She clung to Zechariah now and her story came bursting forth like some pent-up mountain brook whose splash and foam and hurrying eddies hide its onward course, so overwrought with tears was her tale.

"Oh, Zechariah, when you came two years ago, upon that day—but, no—I cannot speak of that—heaven opened with your eyes meeting mine. I loved you from that moment, and I soon knew I loved you, but that you should love me seemed as far away as the blue sky above me. So I strove against it, and rebelled; it may be in that struggle I was rude to you."

"Indeed you were," he broke in; "a wild rose set with thorns I found you, but I loved you all the same."

"Then," Sarah went on, "you drew to Betty, beautiful Betty. We were inseparable, Betty and I—I see it now—but then I did not dream but that 'twas she you sought. I was so miserable, so unhappy, and Matthew all along was kind, too kind to me, though truth to tell, I think 'twas Betty he first loved."

"Aye, verily," Zechariah interrupted angrily, "and Mistress Betty, not so shy as you, saw through it all. 'Twas not so difficult for her to blind your eyes, to throw you and Matthew together, and take the hand held out to you. Ah, but she did forget that I had eyes and that, though they might see the beauty and bloom of the stately damsel, it was the sweet shy rose they dwelt upon."

"Yet she loved you," Sarah went on. "Her whole mind was set upon you, that I knew full well. Ah, what an endless struggle did I have to keep my patience

and to curb my tongue. Once—once long ago, it flashed over me that it was me you loved. How that brief flash illumined all my sky! and yet I would not, could not, heed it or believe it. When shall we learn to listen to those deep-hidden messages? Meanwhile, confusion grew among us, Matthew, Betty, you and me; and but one word was plain—to promise Matthew I would be his wife, making his happiness, helping hers, and perhaps yours; nor did I fancy my misery could be greater till 'twas done two days ago, since when I have known but torture and slow death —would it were death indeed!"

Sarah became silent; Zechariah, deep in thought, did not speak for many minutes. At length he said:—

"And can you marry Matthew feeling so? Can you—" she interrupted him. "Nay, Zechariah, nay. I cannot. I but wait his coming to tell him so. I told him I did not, could not love him as I should, as I wished, but he said it mattered not to him; it would come by and by! But no, no, I should hate him were I wed to him. I'll do him no such wrong,—dear, gentle soul! But, Zechariah, how can I be yours? Surely, not now."

"But, dearest, we can wait," he whispered. "Aye, verily I can live for many a weary day glad in the thought that you have loved me all these years, and you will love me still?"

Sarah could not speak, she suffered him to draw her to him and kiss her solemnly,—"sealing thus," he said, "our love for future time."

The curfew was ringing and they hurried reluctantly to the stockade, and Zechariah left Sarah at her brother's door.

It was late before Sarah slept, but at length, youth and health conquered the tumult of thought within her. Her rest was brief. Horrible sounds awoke her, screams of terror, blood-curdling howls, rang in her ears; a fierce red glare lit up the blackness of night and shone into the low-rattered attic where she slept. She sprang up, trembling, yet resolute. Rushing downstairs she roused her brother:—

"Philip! Philip! the Indians—the Indians! Give me your gun! I'll hold the door a moment while you fly with Rebecca and the babe."

But as she spoke the heavy door was battered down and a wild horde of Indians entered. Seizing Philip, despite his desperate resistance, they bound him, also Sarah; then turning to Philip's wife and seeing her unfit for the journey they instantly tomahawked her before her husband's very eyes and their little child likewise. Plundering the house of all they coveted, they set it on fire, dragging Sarah and Philip away to a neighboring house where they gathered men, women and children bound and captive.

Here, wild with grief and terror, helpless to aid or alarm, they were forced to witness slaughter and ruin until their hideous captors, satiated and fearful of further delay, summoned them to march unwillingly forth out into the wilderness of snow and ice. Desolate, desperate, scarcely knowing who was living and who dead, they were driven mercilessly onward in the cheerless gray of the morning.

Vainly did Sarah search the long, straggling band of captives for Zechariah's erect, fine figure. He was not among them. For a moment she rejoiced, then came a deadly fear that he was slain; and thus, torn between hope and despair, yet sustained by invincible courage, she struggled on. When Philip, maddened beyond endurance, became so unmanageable that the Indians murdered him, poor Sarah sank down beside him, ready to share his fate, but the appeal of Mary Field, Zechariah's uncle's wife, to help her to carry her little son of three years, roused her once more; and with greatest exertions she succeeded in carrying him until her savage master, moved by her indomitable pluck, took pity on her and put the child upon the sledges.

From Mary Sarah learned of the brave fight Zechariah and his uncle had made to save her and the children, escaping only at the last minute, and sallying forth from the fort after the departing enemy, following them persistently and perilously till summoned back to the defense of the remaining few. Sarah learned, too, of the safety of her own family. Thankful beyond measure, Sarah strove to comfort the poor mother whose baby had been ruthlessly torn from her, and thus cheering each other as best they could they journeyed on; now many, now few, meeting and parting some to meet no more. Over the frozen river, along whose icy tracks they moved swiftly, over desolate wooded mountains, through forest and fastness for 300 miles they struggled on. Near the end of the journey Sarah fell in with Betty Hurst,—beautiful Betty, already learning to banter a few French words with the young Canadians, amusing and subduing her captors with her playful and vain childishness. She greeted Sarah eagerly and soon began talking of Zechariah and Matthew, contrasting them with the gay young Frenchmen.

This was too much for Sarah. Matthew took possession of her. Was it for this freakish, flippant child she had sacrificed her love and bound herself to Matthew? For, stern Puritan that Sarah was, she felt herself bound still to Matthew. How painfully she longed to tell him of her mistake that she might conscientiously love Zechariah! And now a new terror came over her, Matthew would proclaim her his at home. Indeed, he might venture forth to redeem her. Now despair succeeded to wrath; she heard Betty's hopeful chatter of home-going, but vaguely, distantly —to go home would be to face a more fearful dilemma than now confronted her.

Thus torn and tossed by miserable thoughts, too rigid to accept any easier view of her curious relations to Matthew, Sarah was led to hide herself among the Indians of the tribe who took her, refusing to avail herself of any chance of exchange or redemption, and becoming gradually an Indian in dress and manners, she acquired much of their self-control and dignity, and grew strong in the free outdoor life and often outdid the squaws in wildwood accomplishments.

For five years she dwelt among the Indians, alone and lonely. It chanced one June day at the end of this time that she sat a little apart from the other women, mending a net on the shore of the broad St. Lawrence. The day was cloudless and still. Suddenly a great white river bird rose up from the reeds of the shore and hung for a moment poised over the water close to Sarah. She looked up, startled, and then, entranced by his beauty, she watched his flight upward into the shimmering, shining blue, and as he rose up, up, up into the glorious sky, she sprang to her feet, exclaiming:—

"Home—home! I must go home!"

As if a weight were lifted from her heart, the rushing river, the rising bird, seemed to inspire her. All in one moment she saw the pity of her fate, the desolate years to come, afar from kith and kin, alone among savages.

Her eyes were opened anew to the beauty and gladness of the world The net she was mending dropped from her hand, catching as it fell on wild rose bushes which she now saw encircled the spot where she had been sitting. The blushing blossoms looking up to her brought sweetest memories. Without an instant's pause she sprang to her canoe, and seizing the paddle pushed out and sped away out on to the breast of the great, friendly river. She would trust to its throbbing current and her own strong arm to bear her to Quebec.

Once in Quebec she would be safe from pursuit, and but one day's journey should bring her there.

So on and on she went, fearful yet brave, revolving many things in her mind as the paddle dipped and redipped to the water. In after years Sarah never dwelt upon this journey in recounting her adventures. Too much suspense and strain

were crowded into those few hours of incessant labor and fear. When at last the great, crown-like city appeared far away in the mists of the morning, joy almost overcame all Sarah's precautions, and, ceasing to paddle, she was lost in relief and delight. But chancing to glance behind her, she beheld, to her horror, four well-guided canoes just coming into view way up the river. Redoubling every effort and keeping close to the yet dusky shores, she succeeded in reaching the landing before she was perceived. As she jumped from her canoe her pursuers discovered her, and a wild yell rose from them, but friendly Canadians surrounded her and she was soon safely hidden in the convent's shelter. And here, worn out in mind and body, she lay ill of a fever for weeks and months. When Sarah at length slowly recovered she knew no way to show her gratitude to the good sisters but to remain and serve them, and so nearly two years elapsed from the time of her sudden flight before all negotiations were ended and she really embarked for home.

With what strangely mingled feeling did she travel homeward, the only Deerfield captive now returning. Landing at Boston she journeyed to Northampton with a train of wagons bearing goods to the settlements, only one wagon and its convoy continuing up the river to Hatfield and Deerfield.

The long May day was drawing to a close as they left Northampton. The slanting rays of the sun fell softly on the valley and crept gently up the eastern hills. Familiar outlines came in sight, familiar song birds filled the evening air. A joy so deep as to be painful came over Sarah; she was wrapt in contemplation and emotion, and heeded not the approach of a horseman until she heard a voice that sent the warm blood rushing to her heart, ask eagerly, "Does Mistress Sarah Mattoon journey with you?"

A moment later Sarah was helped from the heavy wagon and trembling like a leaf was mounted behind Zechariah. His strong gray horse bore them swiftly forward, leaving the wagon lumbering along in the distance. As the woods shut them from view Zechariah turned and kissed her, looking deep into her eyes.

"Sarah! my Sarah! God be praised!"

And Sarah could not speak, she clung to him, and for many minutes they journeyed on in silence.

At length, as if to emphasize his thankfulness, Zechariah said: "And, Sarah, until one month ago we all believed you dead." He paused and then resumed. "Not one word or trace of you could be obtained in all these seven years. In vain did Ensign Sheldon search for you. You were reported dead when he was first in Canada, and on his second visit no news at all seemed truly to verify the tale, and yet we marveled greatly that he could gain no certain news. Night after night have I pondered over this, ill satisfied and restless, often rising from a sleepless night determined to seek you afar off through the forest. Scarce could the elders keep us from the quest. How was it, Sarah? How did those barbarous, bloodthirsty creatures so conceal you?"

Alas for Sarah, she could not meet his eye; she turned her face away full of remorse for his long years of suffering.

"Ah, Zechariah, blame them not. 'Twas I whose cowardice kept me prisoner there."

He started and looked strangely at Sarah. She went on: "You cannot comprehend it? Oh, my love!—A great weight lay upon my heart. I was still bound to Matthew by my word, yet all my heart was yours, and as each day deepened my love for you so seemed to strengthen the dreaded bond to him, and this it was that kept me in the wigwams of the Indians. Can you forgive me, Zechariah?"

He clasped her hand tighter and she continued:—

"There came a day when suddenly courage came to me. My heart said all would be well and I arose and turned me homeward unto you."

Again she looked into his face and once more the joy of meeting silenced all words, all thought.

The sun had set and the young moon hung brilliant in the clear western sky dipping downward to the dark horizon. To the north rose the great red rock of the Lequamps, rising abruptly in the midst of the wide valley. Here they left the Connecticut and entered the Pocumtuck valley. As they rode on Sarah told Zechariah of her life with the Indians, of the terrible winter march to Canada, of Betty Hurst and her approaching marriage to a young Canadian, of her own long illnesss and the strange homeward voyage. Again and again she strove to ask for Matthew, and again and again her courage failed, and it was not until they were nearing the settlement that she finally asked faintly: "And Matthew—what of Matthew?"

Very quietly Zechariah pointed to the low bank above the meadows where the village dead lay sleeping.

"He lies there—killed by the Indians."

And turning his horse from the highway he rode thither. No word was spoken. The familiar path, the nestling village beneath the hill, the warm presence of Zechariah filled Sarah's heart with keenest joy, yet the thought of Matthew overcame all these, and as they dismounted and entered the burying-ground her tears were falling like a soft, warm rain on a gloomy October day. As they stood beside the long, low mound, Zechariah said gently:—

"He loved you, Sarah, to the end, deeply and generously. Through all those anxious years we were the best of friends, and, strange to say, the common bond of loving you bound us together."

"And did he know?" asked Sarah wonderingly.

"He knew that I loved you—not that you loved me."

Sarah stopped to trace the letters on the low headstone, brushing aside a wild rosebush which grew beside it.

"Zechariah," she whispered:—"You planted this?"

"I did," he assented. "'Twas all I had to give."

Then by the moon's light Sarah read:—

"MATTHEW CLESSON.
Aged 30.
Killed by ye Indians June 9, 1709."

"June 9," she repeated. "June 9?" She started to her feet with a cry: "Zechariah! It was June 9 that I left the Indians,—June 9 of 1709 that I turned homeward, home to you."

Again Sarah saw the majestic river, the vivid Canadian sunlight, and the great white bird vanishing into the sky. Again the thrill of her joy and freedom came over her. She turned to Zechariah. He, too, was gazing into the sky as if he saw a vision. Long they stood there, silent, wondering. Trembling, Sarah laid her hand upon his arm. At her touch he drew her to him and folded her to his breast, saying with awed voice:—

"He sent you! Oh, my love! He sent you home to me!"

A deeper, holier joy was added to them, a greater peace fell upon them; the long years of pain and separation were as naught, and life was glad and good and love was ever new.

He d. Aug. 15, 1746. Res., Hatfield, Deerfield and Northfield, Mass.

331. i. SETH, b. Sept. 28, 1712; m. Susanna Doolittle.

332. ii. CATHERINE, b. Feb 11, 1715; m. prob. in Northfield, Mass., Capt. Simon Willard, of Winchester, N. H.

Eliza Francena Dwinnell, born at Ashburnham, Worcester county, Mass., Jan. 15, 1844; married Charles Henry Chandler, at Fitchburg, Mass., Aug. 17, 1868; died at Ripon, Fond du Lac county, Wis., Oct. 28, 1894. A member of the Congregational church. Two children, born at Yellow Springs, Greene county, O. Ch.: 1. Elwyn Francis Chandler, b. Aug. 29, 1872. 2. Edith Beatrice Chandler, b. Feb. 26, 1881. Present permanent address of both is Ripon, Wis. He is professor of mathematics in Ripon College. Her father's name, Hiram Dwinnell, born at Sutton, Mass., Feb. 28, 1808, married March 11, 1835, Charlotte Adelia Willard, who was born at Ashburnham, Mass., Jan. 26, 1815. Both died at Ashburnham, Mass., he March 24, 1874; she Jan. 22, 1854. He was a worker in wood. The other children besides Eliza F., all born in Ashburnham, Mass., were Marcus Morton Dwinnell, born November, 1837; died Nov. 25, 1876; daughter, L. Grace Dwinnell, 42 Vine street, Leominster, Mass. He married about 1867 a Miss Buraham, of Putney, Vt., who died soon after birth of daughter named above. Jonas Willard Dwinnell, born April, 1840; married, 1st. Nov. 19, 1867, Sarah E. Pierce, who died Nov. 2, 1880. He married, 2nd, Sept. 17, 1886, Mary E. Casey. One daughter by first marriage, Minnie E., born 1869; died June, 1884. He was a member of Twenty-first regiment Massachusetts volunteers, and lost an arm at Fredericksburg. I am uncertain as to his present address, as he is unable to work, and changes his residence frequently. A short time ago he was in Winchendon, Mass. Waldo Wilson Dwinnell, born August, 1842; was in the Twenty-first regimnet Massachusetts volunteers; captured in battle of the Wilderness, and died in Andersonville prison, 1864. Minerva Dwinnell, born Sept. 3, 1847; died April 16, 1862. The brothers and sisters of Hiram Dwinnell were Cyrus, who removed to Cleveland, O., long ago, and was lost sight of; Polly, who married Leonard Davis, of Oxford, Mass., and died in 1866; Lucy, who married William Wilson, of Shoreham, Vt., and has been long dead; Salem, who died young; Alice, who married James M. Bailey, of Ticonderoga, N. Y., and died in 1839; Eliza, who married William G. Willson, of Shoreham, Vt., and is probably still living, but very low in health, so that her present address of which I am not quite certain, would be useless. She has no living children. Hiram Dwinnell was the son of Abraham and Mehitable (Rich) Dwinnell, both of whom were born in Sutton, Mass., he Feb. 13, 1773; she Dec. 6, 1778. He died Nov. 5, 1814, at Sutton, I think. She died at Ashburnham, Mass., May 31, 1862, being then the widow of Stephen Hayward, whom she married after her first husband's death. Abraham Dwinnell was the son of Henry and Hannah (Daggett) Dwinnell. Henry Dwinnell was the son of Jonathan and Mehetable (Kennay) Dwinnell. Charlotte Adelia Willard was the daughter of Jonas and Ruth Hall (Lincoln) Willard, of Ashburnham, Mass., where he was born May 2, 1786, and died April 17, 1854. The mother, daughter of Lot and Sally (Hathaway) Lincoln, was born at Dighton, Mass.,

Feb. 29, 1792, and died at Ashburnham, Mass., July 20, 1857. Jonas Willard was a farmer. He was the son of John and Sara (Willard) Willard. He, John, was born at Harvard, Mass., July 26, 1739, and died at Ashburnham, Mass., July 3, 1793. She was born at Winchester, N. H., Nov. 16, 1746, and died at Ashburnham, Mass., Nov. 18, 1834. They were cousins, he being the son of Henry and Abigail (Fairbanks) Willard, and she the daughter of Captain Simon and Catherine (Field) Willard, the fathers being sons of Henry and Abigail (Temple) Willard, grandsons of Henry and Mary (Lakin) Willard, and great-grandsons of Major Simon Willard of colonial reputation and his third wife, Mary Dunster.

Capt. Simon Willard, who married Catherine Field, was probably born in Lancaster, Mass., in 1709; baptized there April 24, 1709. He was one of the proprietors of Winchester, N. H., one of the selectmen, town-treasurer, often presided at the town meetings, was at Fort Dummer from February to July, 1748, in the company commanded by Capt. Josiah Willard, and was himself a captain afterward. He died in Winchester, March 10, 1757. His wife survived him. They had nine children.

333. iii. GAIUS, b. April 2, 1716; m. Sarah Holton.
334. iv. EBENEZER, b. June 11, 1717; m. Abigail Holton.
335. v. SAMUEL, b. July 6, 1719; m. Abigail Field.
336. vi. PAUL, b. Jan. 23, 1721; m. Christian Hubbard.
337. vii. SARAH, b. Nov. 4, 1713; d. April 23, 1722.
338. viii. SILAS, b. July 4, 1722; d. Sept. 23, 1722.
339. ix. RUFUS, b. April 10, 1724; d. Sept. 19, 1724.
340. x. ZECHARIAH, b. July 22, 1726; d. Sept. 13, 1726.

214. EBENEZER FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., March 17, 1688; m. 1714, Elizabeth Arms, daughter of William; she m., 2d, Azariah Wright. She was b. 1695; d. Oct. 1, 1772. Ebenezer Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Gilbert), b. in Hatfield, Mass. He settled about 1710 in Deerfield. Being offered a house lot, he removed in 1717 to Northfield, where he was engaged working at his trade, being a blacksmith and gunsmith. One of his charges to his brother Zechariah is four shillings and sixpence for repairing Pompanoots gun, with which he probably fought the white inhabitants. There is a tradition in the famliy that being mistaken by the guard in the twilight for an Indian while pitching peas into his barn, was fired upon and wounded in the hip. There being no surgeon in Northfield, he was taken to Deerfield for treatment, and wearied by the journey, he died before his wound could be dressed. He married Elizabeth, daughter of William and Joanna (Hawks) Arms, of Deerfield, b. 1695. She married, 2d, Jan. 27, 1727, Azariah Wright, of Northfield. She d. in a fit Oct., 1772, aged 77. She was noted school teacher in Northfield and vicinity. Feb. 23, 1720, the committee of the town granted to Ebenezer Field and others "the stream upon Bennett's brook, for a saw mill, with the lands that may be necessary for ponding and to lay logs by the same; in case they build it by May come twelvemonth and improve the mill from that time forward for their own and the town's benefit and service." The property is now known as Sawyer's Mills.

Dry Swamp, which was in brushwood in 1673, had become well timbered with oak and had pine in 1714. This was east of the Great Swamp and was lotted out in the settlement of 1714 and given to those who did not have a share in the Great Swamp. The tracts given contained a little over five acres, except Ebenezer

Field's, which contained over ten acres. This larger piece was given to him, because, being a blacksmith, he needed abundance of charcoal.

An old account book of his is in existence which was kept by him from 1721-23. He often did work for the Indians, and especially for Pompanoot, son and heir of Wawelot. Some of the charges read as follows:

March, 1722.	To mending Pompanoot's gun	4s.
	To 2 steel traps and mending a gun lock for the Indians	£1 5s.
	To my wife making an Indian shirt	8d.
	To doing work for the Indians on your (his brother Zechariah's) acct	16s.

This shows the relation of the two races in time of peace. When the war broke out, the Indian at once used his repaired gun.

When Mr. Field moved to Northfield from Deerfield, he settled on the lot then held by the Patterson heirs—Jonathan Patterson having died in 1718—which he afterwards brought. This was later known as the "Landlord Field Place." He put up a shop in the street, after the custom of those times. He "finished his house" in the winter of 1721. After his death in 1723 the shop was sold to Deacon Samuel Smith, who moved it down to the "old meeting oak."

Up to the year 1721 no forts had been built in Northfield village. One or two houses were brick-lined, and one building used as a guard room. The garrison soldiers, when not on duty, lived with the inhabitants. The war which threatened for more than a year and which broke out in the eastern frontiers in June, naturally alarmed the people and immediate measures were taken to prepare for the worst. In the course of the summer two forts were begun and wholly or partially completed. One stood on Zechariah Field's lot. These were not strongly built works. Probably the mounts were only partially finished. This fort was surrounded by a stockade. The following year the sentry stationed in the mount shot Mr. Field. It was in the dusk of the evening, and he mistook him for an Indian.*

Mr. Field was an excellent smith, and so invited his removal to Northfield. It cannot be seen how the inhabitants managed to get along the previous years without an artisan of this kind, as all their tools in daily use, such as axes, shears, nails, hoes, plowshares, loom-irons, cranes and trammels and hog-rings were of wrought iron and made by the smith.

Some entries from Dr. and Cr. taken from Mr. Field's book for 1721-2 will give an idea of the prices, and the workday aspect of things in the little frontier village, and are quite interesting:

	Cr.
By fetching a load of coal from Dry brook	£0.5.0
" a bushel of malt	0.3.6
" harrowing my flax ground	0.1.0
" making hay one day	0.2.6
" team to draw tar to Deerfield 2 days	0.8.0
" team getting candle wood ½ day	0.2.0
" horse to drag my home lot one day	0.1.0
" a quarter of venison 19 lbs	0.3.2
" reaping at Moore plain 1 day	0.3.0
" Jany., Sledding hay from Bennet's meadow	0.5.0
" breaking flax one day	0.2.0
" 6 bushels Indian corn	0.12.0

* In the dusk of evening Mr. Field was standing on his shed pitching peas, which were passed up to him from the cart below and out of sight, into the barn window. The sentry caught a glimpse of the wads as they were rapidly tossed into the window, and thinking the Indians were leaping stealthily into the barn for mischief, instantly fired, mortally wounding Mr. Field. —Deacon Phineas Field.

	Cr.
By a boy to pull flax one day	0.1.6
" bushels of turnips	0.4.6
" malting 7½ bushels barley	0.3.6
" 1 bushel of wheat	0.5.6
" horse to go huckle-berrying	0.0.6
" a bottle of rhum	0.2.0
" March, 1721, Step, Crowfoot work finishing my house	0.2.6

	Dr.
To shoeing a horse round	£0.3.6
" sharping pair of plow-irons	0.1.0
" my oxen to work one day	0.1.0
" making 4 hog-rings	0.0.4
" " a trammel	0.7.0
" " a clevis and pin	0.5.8
" " 36 hatchel teeth	0.3.0
" sharpening a plow-share	0.0.8
" " a coulter	0.0.4
" laying an axe	0.3.0
" making a steel trap	0.16.0
" " a hoe	0.4.6
" one sett of loom-irons and spindle	0.10.0
" 7 pigs at 7 weeks old	1.5.0
" 4 lbs. of hops	0.4.0
" a wapanock skin	0.3.8
" 3 fox skins and ½ a woolang skin	0.13.6
" my wife's making an Indian's shirt	0.0.8
" 1 quart of honey	0.2.0
" making a gun lock and two screw pins for ye Indians	0.2.6

At the first two meetings in Northfield in June, 1723—just fifty years after its first settlement—Ebenezer Field was elected constable and fence viewer. He was a selectman of the town in 1722. He d. Sept. 12, 1723; res. Hatfield and Northfield, Mass.

341. i. EBENEZER, b. June 15, 1715; m. Sarah Mattoon and Mrs. Christian Field.

342. ii. JOANNA, b. April 6, 1717; m. 1737, Col. Phineas Wright. Col. Phineas Wright (Eliezer, Lieut. Samuel, Deacon Samuel), b. in Northfield Mass., July 20, 1710, was delegate to Provincial Congress, and to Massachusetts General Court; was also chairman of the Committee of Vigilance and Correspondence in the trying years of the county, 1775 and 1776. I have from the Secretary of State of Massachusetts a certified copy of the record of service of Phineas Wright, in the Revolutionary War, as colonel of the Sixth Hampshire County Regiment of Militia. He d. 1795, aged 85 years; she d. 1797, aged 82 years. Their children, b. in Northfield, Mass., viz.: 1. Eliphaz, b. Aug. 8, 1738. 2. Catherine Wright, b. Aug. 17, 1740, d. 1803; m Capt. Reuben Smith. 3. Joanna Wright, b. Aug. 30, 1742. 4. Tabitha Wright, b. Aug. 23, 1744; d. Sept. 23, 1822. 5. Naomi Wright, b. Oct. 29, 1746; m. Col. H. Wells, Greenfield, Mass. 6. Rhoda Wright, b. Nov. 6, 1748; m. Oliver Watriss, Northfield, Mass.

Capt. Reuben Smith (Dea. Samuel, Preserved, Lieut. Samuel, Rev. Henry), b. in Northfield, 1740; d. Aug. 24, 1832; aged 82 years. He m. Sept. 24, 1761, Catherine Wright (see above), daughter of Col. Phineas Wright Children b. in Northfield, Mass. (sixth generation): A, Phineas Smith, b. Nov. 7, 1762; d. Sept. 18, 1823; aged 61 years. B, Content Smith, b. April 29, 1764; d. ——. C, Sarah Smith, b. Oct. 11, 1765; d. Feb. 20, 1811. D, Catherine Smith, b. Sept. 14, 1767; d. ——. E, Joanna Smith, b. Sept. 12, 1770; d. May 14, 1852. F, Submit Smith, b. Feb. 27, 1773; d. June 11, 1826. G, Rhoda W. Smith, b. Jan. 24, 1775; d. Feb. 13, 1818. H, Mary Smith, b. Jan. 21, 1777; d. April 29, 1822 (unmarried). I, Fanny Smith, b. July 7, 1779; d. ——. J, Adolphus Smith, baptized March 24, 1782 (adopted son); m. Patty Holton.

Content Smith (of the above family), daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Oct. 15, 1787, Jerome Hutchinson, of Brookfield, removing to Norwich, Vt., where their children were born. 1. John Hutchinson, res., Gaines, N. Y., had three children. 2. Fanny Hutchinson, unmarried, res., Norwich, Vt. 3. Sarah Hutchinson m. William Loveland, Norwich, Vt., 4. Cynthia Hutchinson m. May 31, 1820, Asaph Allen, of Deerfield, Mass. 5. Sophia Hutchinson m. A. J. Williams; res., Hagansburg, N. Y. 6. Mary Ann, Hutchinson m., 1st, Milo Marsh; 2d, James Fuller, Boston. 7. Williams Hutchinson m. Eliza Crary, Norwich, Vt.

Sarah Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine (Wright) Smith, m. May 28, 1783, Ebenezer Stratton, res. Brookfield, Vt., where the stately mansion of more than a hundred years is still retained by relatives of the family. Children b. in Brookfield: 1. Martha (Patty) Stratton, b. July 6, 1784; d. Feb. 24, 1829 (unmarried). 2. Sarah Stratton, b. 1788; d. Aug. 19, 1863. 3. Caleb Allen Stratton, b. 1798; d. Jan. 12, 1882; m., 3d, Emily Edson, children's mother. 4. Harriet Stratton, b. Nov. 1, 1800; d. March 20, 1867.

Catherine Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine (Wright) Smith, m. Chester Pomeroy, of Newfane, Vt. Children born there: 1. Willard Pomeroy, Newfane, Vt. 2. Maria Pomeroy, res. Newfane, Vt. 3. Chester Pomeroy. 4. Sophia Pomeroy. 5. Fanny Pomeroy.

Joanna Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine (Wright) Smith, m. Hon. Ebenezer Hinsdale Williams, of Deerfield, Mass. Children of seventh generation: 1. Elijah Williams m. Isabella Hoyt, daughter of Gen. Epapheas Hoyt; res. Deerfield. 2. Anna McC. Williams m. Charles Howard, Greenfield, Mass. (All deceased.)

Submit Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Dr. Walter Burnham, of Brookfield, Vt. (formerly of Norwich, Conn.), Jan. 18, 1795. Res. Brookfield, Vt. Children born in Brookfield. (Grandparents of Perkins Bass.) Children: 1. Zebulon Perkins Burnham, M.D., b. Aug. 30, 1796; d. Dec. 25, 1861. 2. Fanny Smith Burnham, b. March 28, 1800; d. April 30, 1888. 3. Catherine Wright Burnham, b. July 15, 1805; d. Feb. 20,

1890. 4. Walter Burnham, M.D , b. Jan. 12, 1808; d. Jan. 16, 1883. 5. Helen Maria Burnham, b. Dec. 11, 1815.

Rhoda Wright Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Henry Bardwell, Sept. 29, 1807. Res. Deerfield, Mass. Child of seventh generation: 1. Catherine Elizabeth Bardwell, b. Aug. 9, 1812; d. ——; m. Jan. 5, 1842, Caleb Allen; res. Deerfield; no children.

Fanny Smith, daughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Richard Watriss; res. Northfield, Mass. Child of seventh generation: 1. Elijah Watriss, b. 1816; d. ——; res. Northfield, Mass.; unmarried.

Sarah Hutchinson, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine (Wright) Smith, m. William Loveland; res. Norwich, Vt. Children born there: 1. Mercy Bigelow Loveland, b. 1816; d. at Norwich, Sept. 6, 1874. 2. Joseph Talcott Loveland, b. April 5, 1818; d. at Norwich, April 15, 1889, unmarried. 3. Reuben Smith Loveland, b. Oct. 30, 1820; d. 1898; res. Norwich, Vt. 4. William Jerome Loveland, b. Nov. 11, 1822; res. East Saginaw, Mich.; no children. 5. Aaron Loveland, b. April 10, 1826; res. Norwich; four children. 6. Charles Loveland, b. Nov. 11, 1828; res. Norwich, Vt. 7. Mary Content Loveland, b. July 2, 1831; m. —— Badger; d. 1870. 8. Ellen Loveland, b. Sept. 18, 1833; m. W. H. Hutchinson; res. Norwich; four sons who have entered the professions.

Cynthia Hutchinson, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Asaph Allen, Deerfield, Mass., where children were born: 1. Charles Hutchinson Allen, b. March 5, 1822; m. Miranda Williams; three children. 2. Mary Ann Allen, b. Aug. 14, 1823; m. May 18, 1843, Horatio Hawks, Deerfield. 3. William Allen, b. April 26, 1825, m. Nancy E. Wilcoxson, Durand, Ill. 4. Amelia S. Allen, b. Feb. 16, 1828, m. Christopher Merrill, Pennsylvania. 5. Edward Allen, b. July 7, 1832, m. Emily Wilcoxson, Durand.

Sarah Stratton, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Luther Wheatley, Esq.; res. Brookfield, Vt. Children born, Brookfield: Emily V. Wheatley, b. 1809; d. Oct. 11, 1833; m. Noah Paine, Esq. 3. Deacon Luther Wheatley, b. 1816; d. May 27, 1885. 3. Frederic Wheatley, b. 1819; d. May 1, 1847. 4. Sarah E. Wheatley, b. 1825; d. Oct. 28, 1850. 5. Eunice Wheatley, b. 1831; d. April 10, 1859. 6. Alpha Wheatley; res. Peake's Island, Me.

Harriet Stratton, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Dec. 11, 1823, Jesse C. Wheatley, Brookfield, Vt., the birthplace of children: 1. Jesse Cook Wheatley, Jr., b. Dec. 25, 1824; m. Sarah A. Sprague; have four children. 2. George Wheatley, b. April 19, 1827; d. Feb. 4, 1861. 3. Harriet Wheatley, b. Oct. 28, 1832; m. 1853, Elliot Bowman, of Essex Junction, Vt. Res. Essex Junction, Vt.

Zebulon Perkins Burnham, M. D., grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Jan. 28, 1828, Fanny Crawford, daughter of Hon. Theophilus Crawford, Putney, Vt.; res. Williamstown, Montpelier, Vt., and Lowell, Mass.; d. at Ripon, Wis.

She d. Sept. 26, 1871, at West Rosendale, Wis. Dr. Burnham graduated at Yale, and held a high rank as physician and surgeon before the introduction of anæsthetics. Children: 1. Helen M. Burnham, 2d, b. Feb. 1, 1830. 2. Frances C. Burnham, b. March 26, 1832; d. 1838. 3. Crawford Burnham, b. April 8, 1834. 4. Perkins Burnham, b. Sept. 4, 1836; d. at Eagle Harbor, Mich., Jan. 26, 1883. 5. Lucy H. Burnham, b. Feb. 20, 1841.

Fanny Smith Burnham, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. March 19, 1822. Dr. Numan Robbins Dryer, Brookfield, Vt., res. in Penfield and Elmira, N. Y., and in Tuscola, Ill.; d. in Tuscola, July 24, 1872, aged 75 years. Children: 1. Fanny Ursula Dryer, b. Aug. 1, 1823; d. in Elmira, N. Y. 2. Walter Burnham Dryer, b. June 3, 1832; d. Buffalo, N. Y., March 20, 1890. 3. Isabella Williams Dryer, b. Feb. 19, 1827; d. in Vermont in 1832.

Catherine Wright Burnham, daughter of Dr. Walter and Submit Smith Burnham, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. March 25, 1825, Joel Bass, Jr., son of Joel and Mary Martin Bass, Williamstown, Vt. Children b. in Williamstown, Vt.: 1. Perkins Bass, b. April 30, 1827; d. in Peterboro, N. H., Oct. 9, 1899. 2. Walter B. Bass, b. Dec. 4, 1828; d. Ottawa, Kan., March 13, 1898. 3. Mary C. Bass, b. June 11, 1830; d. in Illinois, April 15, 1851. 4. William Bass, b. 1832; res. Lowell, Mass.; a successful physician. 5. Fanny Caslina Bass, b. Jan. 25, 1835; d. in Chicago, April 11, 1882. 6. Myron H. Bass, b. Dec. 24, 1836; d. June 3, 1890, in Evanston, Ill. 7. Hugh Bass, b. March 6, 1839; d. Aug. 29, 1872, Chicago, Ill. 8. George Bass, b. 1845; res. Chicago, Ill.; lawyer. 9. Catherine Bass; res. Chicago, Ill.

Walter Burnham, Jr., M.D., grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Annis Crawford, daughter of Hon. Theophilus Crawford, Putney, Vt. Res. Barre, Vt., thirteen years; Lowell, Mass. He was a distinguished surgeon with a national reputation. He d. in Lowell, Mass.; she d. Feb. 17, 1888, Lowell. Children: 1. Astley Cooper Burnham, b. May 1, 1836; d. Feb. 16, 1837. 2. Stella L. Burnham, b. April 8, 1837. 3. Isabella Hortense Burnham, b. March 25, 1839; m. Waldo Adams, of express fame, Boston; no children. 4. Arthur Hubert Burnham, b. Sept. 23, 1841. 5. Julia Ada Burnham, b. July 16, 1843; m. Dr. James G. Bradt, Lowell; no children.

Helen Maria Burnham, granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Barre, Vt., March 1, 1842, David Dodge, M.D., graduate of medicine, Columbia College, Washington, D. C. He practised medicine in western New York fourteen years; then removed to Chicago, 1857; d. in Chicago Jan. 31, 1888. Her address is Chathamport, Mass. Children: 1. Fred Walter Dodge, b. Aug. 23, 1843, in Barre, Vt. 2. Mary Louisa Dodge, b. July 5, 1846, Victor, N. Y.; m. Oct. 17, 1871, in Chicago, Ill., Osborn Nickerson, son of Orick and Mary Ryder Nickerson; b. May 25, 1846; res., Chathamport, Mass.; no children.

Helen Maria Burnham, second daughter of Dr. T. P. Burnham, great-granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright

Smith, m. July 21, 1852, Henry C. Bottum, of Vermont; res., West Rosendale, Wis. Children: 1. Joseph Henry Bottum, b. Sept. 26, 1853; lawyer; res. Felkton, S. D. 2. Roswell Bottum, b. Aug. 3, 1857; bank cashier; res. Watertown, S. D. 3. Perkins Bottum, b. June 6, 1859; res. Chillicothe, Mo. 4. George Bottum, b. May 26, 1862; farmer; res. Burdette, S. D. 5. Sheldon Gale, b. July 31, 1866; res. Wisconsin. 6. Helen Burnham Bottum, b. April 25, 1875; res. West Rosendale.

Crawford Burnham, son of Dr. T. P. Burnham, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Mary F. Hewes, Lyme, N. H.; a lumber merchant, Lowell, Mass. Children: 1. Fanny C. Burnham, b. Sept. 19, 1861. 2. Fred G. Burnham, b. April 7, 1864; a practicing physician, Lowell, Mass. 3. Walter Burnham, b. Dec. 31, 1872; res. Lowell, Mass.

Lucy Hubbard Burnham, daughter of Dr. T. P. Burnham, great-granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m April 24, 1862, Edward Burling, son of James and Sarah Burling; b. April 21, 1833, in New York; res. Eldora, Iowa. Children: 1. Fanny Burling, b. May 18, 1863; graduate of Chicago University. 2. James P. Burling, b. Aug. 10, 1866; minister of the Gospel. 3. Edward B. Burling, b. Feb. 1, 1870; graduate of Harvard College; lawyer; res. Chicago, Ill. 4. Helen Burling, b. April 5, 1874; res. Eldora, Iowa.

Rev. James Perkins Burling is a graduate of Iowa College, Harvard University and of the Chicago Theological Seminary. He m. Terese Temple, Chicago, Ill. Child of tenth generation. Child: 1. Frederick Temple Burling, b. March 23, 1876.

Fanny U. Dryer, daughter of Fanny Smith Burnham Dryer and of Dr. N. R. Dryer, m. Erastus Kellogg Weaver, son of John and —— Kellogg Weaver, of Penfield, N. Y. She was great-granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith. Children: 1. Mary Isabella Weaver, m. Charles Palmer; res. Elmira, N. Y. 2. John E. Weaver, graduate of Ann Arbor University; res. Rochester, N. Y. 3. Frank E. Weaver, m. Griff Palmer, hardware dealer; res. Rochester, N. Y. 4. Helen Weaver, m. Rev. I. Duane Phelps, both graduates of Syracuse University; have five sons; res. Buffalo, N. Y. 5. Charles G. Weaver, m. Grace Bell Harris, Chicago, Ill., March 27, 1894; res. Chicago, Ill.; graduate of Syracuse University. 6. Catherine Weaver, m. James Williams; she is a graduate of Syracuse College; he is attorney-at-law; res. Philadelphia, Pa. 7. George Weaver, graduate of Syracuse University, editor of newspaper Rochester, N. Y.; m. ——; had four children. 8. Fenton B. Weaver, graduate of Syracuse University; merchant, Elmira, N. Y.

Stella Lucretia Burnham, daughter of Dr. Walter Burnham, Sr., great-granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. July 30, 1857, Henry Phelps Perkins; b. Dec. 25, 1832, son of Apollos and Wealthy Porter Perkins, of Lyme, N. H. Children: 1. Walter Burnham Perkins, b. 1858; real estate business; res. Lowell, Mass. 2. Henry Phelps Perkins, b. 1860; a physician; res. West Newton, Mass. 3. Isabella Adams, b. 1862; m. H. D. Kendell, of Boston, manager of chemical works; res. Lowell,

Mass. 4. Frank Gardner Perkins, b. 1866; res. Florida. 5. Herbert Crawford Perkins, graduate of Harvard Medical School; res. Newton, Mass.

Perkins Bass, b. in Williamstown, Vt., son of Joel and Catherine Wright Bass, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith and a descendant of Deacon Samuel Bass, the New England immigrant. He was a graduate of Dartmouth College, and began the practice of law in Chicago; but has been a resident of Peterboro, N. H., about twenty years. He m., first, in 1856, Maria L. Patrick, of Chicago, Ill. She and their only child died in Williamstown, Vt., whither they had gone to seek health, in 1858. In 1861 he m. Clara Foster, daughter of Dr. John Foster, of Chicago, Ill. Perkins Bass, son of Joel and Catherine Burnham Bass., was born on a farm in Williamstown, Vt., April 30, 1827. He graduated from Dartmouth College in 1852, paying his expenses by teaching school. In 1854 he went to Chicago and taught in the public schools. He was admitted to the bar and began the practice of law in 1856. The same year he m. Maria L. Patrick, late of Granby, Mass., who d. in 1858. He m., 2d, Clara Foster, of Chicago, Oct. 5, 1861. He was appointed United States district attorney for the northern district of Illinois by President Lincoln, and continued the practice of law in Chicago until 1874. He was always interested in the cause of education and served on the boards of education of the city of Chicago and the State of Illinois. Since 1882 he has made his home in Boston, and Peterboro, N. H. Children: 1. Gertrude Bass, b. May 14, 1863; m. Dr. George F. Fiske, Chicago. Dr. Fiske was son of Samuel and Elizabeth Foster Fiske; was b. Jan. 26, 1860, in Madison, Conn. The first three months of 1864 he passed in the camp of the Fourteenth Connecticut Volunteers at Stony Mountain on the Rapidan river, near Stevensburg, Va., with his parents. He fitted for college at the high school in Woburn, Mass., graduated from Amherst College in 1881, and from the Yale Medical School in 1883; spent three years in Germany and France studying ophthalmology and otology; was assistant surgeon to Prof. Alfred Graefe in the University at Halle, Prussia, in 1884-85. Settled in Chicago in 1886 as an eye and ear specialist. In 1891 he built a private hospital for treatment of his own patients. He visited European hospitals in 1890 and 1895. Res. 438 La Salle avenue, Chicago, Ill. 2. John Foster Bass, b. May 8, 1866; graduate of Harvard University and Law School. John Foster Bass, son of Perkins and Clara Foster Bass, b. at Chicago, May 8, 1866; fitted for college at Phillips Exeter Academy; graduate at Harvard College in 1891, and from Harvard Law School in 1894. He was war correspondent during the Greco-Turkish war for New York and London newspapers, and is now correspondent at Manila for Harper's Weekly and the New York Evening Post. He was wounded at one of the battles about Manila, Feb. 10, 1899. Gen. Hale, in report of operation before Manila, referred to him as the only correspondent on the firing line when our troops captured Manila. He was the first correspondent to visit Iloilo, and was wounded in attack on Caloocan.

Robert Perkins Bass, son of Perkins and Clara Foster Bass, b. at Chicago, Ill., Sept. 1, 1873; fitted for college in Boston, Mass.; graduated at Harvard College in 1896. Res. of family, Peterboro, N. H.

Walter B. Bass, a brother of the above, m. in Williamstown, Vt., Ellen Lynde, daughter of John Lynde, granddaughter of Judge Lynde, one of the first settlers there. He removed to Ottawa, Kan., where he d. in 1898. He was great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith. Children: 1. John Bass, farmer in Ottawa, Kan. 2. William Bass, farmer in Ottawa, Kan. 3. Ella Bass; res. Ottawa; d.—

Dr. William Bass, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Lizzie Hunt, Lowell, Mass. He has been a successful practitioner of medicine and surgery from his graduating till the present time in Lowell.

Myron H. Bass, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Elizabeth Kelley. He removed to Evanston, Ill., and gave his children collegiate education. Children: 1. George A. Bass; res. Washington, D. C. 2. Perkins B. Bass; res. Evanston, Ill. 3. Stella Bass; res. Evanston, Ill. 4. James K. Bass; res. Evanston. Ill.

George Bass, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, is a graduate of Harvard University and Law School and pursues his profession in Chicago. He m. Elizabeth Merrill, of Wisconsin.

Fred W. Dodge, son of David and Helen M. Burnham Dodge, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, m. Amelia M. Colvin; res. Chicago, Ill. Children: 1. Helen C. Dodge, b. March 3, 1869. 2. Mary Belle Dodge, b. Jan. 25, 1871.

Aaron Loveland, great-grandson of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, son of Wm. and Sarah Hutchinson Loveland; m. Laura S. Goodell, at Westminster, Vt.; children b. at Wauwatosa, Wis.; res. Norwich, Vt. Children: 1. Frank Edwin Loveland, b. March 13, 1855. 2. Laura Ellen Loveland, b. April 26, 1857. 3. Joseph Henry Loveland, b. March 10, 1858. 4. Fanny Hutchinson, b. July 14, 1866.

Sarah Ellen Loveland, daughter of Wm. and Sarah Hutchinson Loveland, great-granddaughter of Capt. Reuben and Catherine Wright Smith, b. Sept. 18, 1833; m. William H. Hutchinson; res. Norwich, Vt.; farmer. Children b. at Norwich. Ch.: 1. Louis Jerome Hutchinson, b. Sept. 24, 1867. 2. Charles Martin Hutchinson, b. Feb. 11, 1870. 3. Joseph Perkins Hutchinson, b. Nov. 21, 1872. 4. William Loveland Hutchinson, b. Aug. 22, 1875. 5. Elsie May Hutchinson, b. Jan. 9. 1878.

343. iii. MOSES, b. Feb. 19, 1719; m. Ann Dickinson and Martha Root.

344. iv. AARON, b. March 17, 1722; m. Eunice Frary.

345. v. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 3, 1723; m. Feb. 14, 1745, Capt. Ebenezer Wells, of Greenfield, son of Joshua, b. 1723; she d. May 17, 1784, and he m., 2d, Mary Whipple. He was a prominent man in Greenfield, and d. Deerfield, Jan. 11, 1787. Ch.: 1. Obediah, b. Feb. 5, 1746; d. Sept. 19, 1758. 2. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 3, 1748; d. Sept. 15, 1758. 3. Ebenezer, b. June 16, 1750; m. Mercy

Arms. 4. Daughter, b. March 3, 1752; d. March 4, 1752. 5. Reuben, b. May 5, 1753; m. Experience Severance. 6. Simeon, b. June 30, 1756; d. Sept. 16, 1758. 7. Levi, b. July 27, 1758; m. Mehitable Wells. 8. Obediah, b. Oct. 16, 1760; m. Caroline Grinnell. 9. Simeon, b. Oct. 17, 1762; m. Abigail Stebbins. 10. Consider, b. Jan. 16, 1765; d. next day. 11. Elizabeth, b. July 30, 1766; m. Joseph Symonds. 12. Seth, b. Oct. 7, 1768; m. Polly Smith.

216. JOSIAH FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Nov. 5, 1692; m. —— Elizabeth ——. He moved from Deerfield to Northfield in 1724. In 1726 he sold his house and moved to Connecticut. In 1718 the town of Northfield granted to Josiah Field a house lot and interval lands. As a specimen of the way lands there were disposed of by the committee, the following example is quoted:

"Then granted to Josiah Field thirty acres of land, whereof ten or twelve acres of meadow (if to be found); the remainder to be a house lot and upland—all to be laid out conveniently for him by direction of the committee—all on condition of his abode there four years from the above date."

The lots on the west side of the street all join to the brow of the meadow hill, unless otherwise specified. All were nominally sixty rods in length. Beginning, for the sake of convenience at the lower end of the street, lot No. 1 of ten acres, bounded south on the falls of Miller's brook was in 1714 common land. In 1718 it was granted to Josiah Field. He occupied it long enough to gain possession, and March 14, 1726, then of Springfield, sells it to Benoni Wright, and two years later Wright sold it to Capt. Zechariah Field. Res. Deerfield, Springfield and Northfield, Mass., and Somers, Conn.

346. i. JOSIAH, b. Feb. 24, 1724; m. Sarah ——.

347. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 26, 1726; m. Dec. 8, 1748, Joseph Chapin, of Enfield and Somers, Conn.

348. iii. MARY, b. Sept. 11, 1729 (added in pencil), "probably Thankful; m. Sampson Wood, of Springfield."

217. JOSHUA FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., April 9, 1695; m. Dec. 15, 1719, Elizabeth Cooley, daughter of Daniel, of Springfield, and Elizabeth (Wolcott), b. July 23, 1696; d. April 8, 1781. Joshua Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Gilbert), b. in Hatfield, Mass. He settled first in Springfield, removed from there to Longmeadow, and in 1748 to Bolton, Conn., where he died. Joshua Field and Elizabeth Field joined the church in Bolton in 1748. Joshua Field d. Jan. 11, 1783, of old age, aged 87 years. Wife of Joshua Field d. April 8, 1781, of great cold, aged 86 years. Jonathan Reynolds, of Bolton, deeded to Joshua Field, of Springfield, Mass., "land on both sides of the Boston Road with a mansion house," dated April, 1744. Joshua Field's deed: "In consideration of Parental love and affection which I have and do bear unto my son Nathaniel Field, I give, etc., with the buildings, etc., situated in the Township of Bolton." Dated Dec. 31, 1754. He d. Jan. 11, 1783; res. Springfield and Bolton, Conn.

340. i. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 13, 1720.

350. ii. EBENEZER, b. ——, 1722.

351. iii. DANIEL, b. ——, 1724.; m. Elizabeth Cooley.

352. iv. ELIZABETH, b. ——, 1726; m. June 27, 1745, Edmond Bartlett.

353. v. NATHANIEL, b. ——, 1727; m. Mary Goodrich.

220. DEACON JOSEPH FIELD (Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., June 9, 1689; m. Sept. 13, 1716, Mary Smith,

daughter of Joseph and Canada (Wait), b. Sept. 24, 1697; d. March 9, 1767. He removed in 1714 to Sunderland, and in 1715 he took the allotment of his father, No. 12, on the east side of the street, which he occupied until his death in 1754. He d. Feb. 4, 1754; res. Sunderland, Mass.

354. i. ELISHA, b. July 1, 1717; m. Betty Pratt.

355. ii. MARY, b. May 19, 1719; m. March 14, 1754, Daniel Clark, of Templeton; she d. Aug. 15, 1804. He was son of Increase, and Mary was his second wife.

356. iii. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 11, 1721; m. April 24, 1745, Samuel Field, of Northfield; she d. Nov. 2, 1803.

357. iv. JOSEPH, b. Dec. 8, 1723; m. Ruth Parker.

358. v. THANKFUL, b. Dec. 9, 1726; m. Sept. 15, 1757, Benjamin Graves, of Sunderland.

359. vi. MARTHA, b. Feb. 27, 1729; m. April 21, 1767, Hezekiah Belden, of Hatfield and Amherst.

360. vii. EXPERIENCE, b. April 10, 1732; m. Nov. 8, 1759, Elijah Clark, of Sunderland.

361. viii. SARAH, b. Jan. 16, 1735; m. in Sunderland, July 17, 1755, Sergt. Simeon Lyman, b. 1730. He was son of Joshua; was sergeant in the Revolutionary war; d. May 19, 1809; she d. Nov. 28, 1797, and he m., 2d, Mrs. Molly (Smith) Stratton; res. Northfield, Mass. Children: 1. Mary, b. May 29, 1756; m. Solomon Holton. 2. Persis, b. Oct. 7, 1758; m. Joseph Smead, of Montague. 3. Joshua, b. Oct. 12, 1760; m. Catherine Hammond and Sally Holton. 4. Joseph, b. Jan. 23, 1763; m. Elizabeth Liscomb. 5. Simeon, b. Dec. 8, 1764; m. Diadana Allen. 6. Submit, b. July 11, 1767; m. Col. George Dennison. 7. Sarah, b. Sept. 13, 1769; m. James Strobridge. 8. Timothy, b. Sept. 22, 1771; m. Ruby Beach. 9. Elisha, b. Aug. 13, 1772; d. young. 10. Penelope, b. July 26, 1774; m. Lieut. Hezekiah Mattoon. 11. Elisha, b. Aug. 13, 1778; m. Margaret Liscomb and Rachel Ames.

362. ix. JONATHAN, b. July 30, 1737; m. Elizabeth Cooley.

363. x. ISRAEL, b. March 27, 1741; m. ——.

224. CAPT. JONATHAN FIELD (Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Oct. 13, 1697; m. March 30, 1721, Mary Billings, daughter of Ebenezer and Hannah (Church), b. May 24, 1701; d. June 3, 1736; m., 2d, July 25, 1739, Esther Smith, daughter of Joseph and Canada (Waite), of Hatfield, b. June 2, 1710; d. Jan. 12, 1795. Esther was greatly distinguished for her industry and exemplary piety. He was the youngest son of Capt. Joseph, and was b. in Hatfield; removed with his father to Sunderland in 1714. He moved to Leverett in 1752, and settled on Long Plain, so called. His sons, Jonathan, Seth and William, purchased lands in the neighborhood, which they cleared up and converted into farms, and occupied the same until their decease. He held the commission of captain in the militia for many years, and was noted for his courage and sagacity, and distinguished himself by his services in protecting the people in the settlements of Leverett and Sunderland from the incursions and depredations of the Indians during the French wars which commenced in 1744 and terminated in 1760. Little is known of his two daughters.

Esther Smith, the second wife of Capt. Jonathan Field, was a daughter of Joseph Smith, of Hatfield, and granddaughter of John Smith, who was killed by the Indians in Hatfield Meadow, May 30, 1676, and a great-granddaughter of Lieut.

Samuel Smith, an English emigrant, who came from Ipswich, the shire town of Suffolk county, England, in 1634. He remained in Boston until 1638, when he removed to Weathersfield, Conn., and from thence to Hadley, Mass., in 1659, and was one of the sixty Associates or Separatists, who purchased the Hadley plantation in 1658. She was b. in Hatfield in 1710, and d. in 1794. She was the mother of Seth Field, and grandmother of Martin Field. Her mother, Canada Waite, wife of Joseph Smith, was the daughter of Benjamin Waite, whose wife and three daughters were of the seventeen captives taken by the Indians in their attack on Hatfield, Sept. 19, 1677, and carried to Canada, where she was b. Jan. 22, 1678. They were the first captives of English descent who were taken to Canada during the Indian wars, and her Christian name was given to her as a living memorial of this captivity and the place of her birth. The wife of Stephen Jennings, who was taken captive at the same time gave birth to a daughter, who was b. March 14, 1678. The child was named Captivity, and the two daughters were ever afterwards called the "Canada Babes." Benjamin Waite and Stephen Jennings were men of great energy and perseverance, and undertook to redeem their wives and children and the other captives. They obtained a commission from the Colonial Government of Massachusetts, and left Hatfield on the 24th day of October, for Canada, by the way of Albany. The officials at Albany frowned upon the enterprise and represented it as hazardous and hopeless, and after they had reached Schenectady, they were brought back forcibly to Albany and went down the river to New York to Governor Andros. Through the intercession of one Captain Brockhurst, they were sent back to Albany with a pass, and reached there Nov. 19. They then hired a Mohawk Indian to guide them to Lake George. This friendly Indian fitted up a canoe for them, made a rudely executed diagram of Lakes George and Champlain, to guide them on their journey. They sailed down Lake George to its outlet, carried their canoe on their backs to Lake Champlain, and reached Chambly January 6, 1678. They were ignorant of the country, being the first New England men who had ever passed over Lakes George and Champlain to Canada. At Sorell and vicinity they found the captives. The French governor at Quebec, Count De Frontenac, treated them civilly and kindly, and granted them a guard of eleven men to accompany them and the captives whom they had redeemed to Albany, which they reached May 22, 1678. The following is the plain unstudied letter written by Benjamin Waite to the people of Hatfield, after reaching Albany:

"To my loving Friends and Kindred in Hatfield: These few lines are to let you understand that we are arrived at Albany now with the captives, and that we stand in need of assistance, for my charges is very great and heavy and therefore any that have any love to our condition, let it move them to come and help us in this strait. Three of the captives are murdered—old Goodman Plimpton, Samuel Foot's daughter, Samuel Russell; all the rest are alive and well and now at Albany, namely, Obadiah Dickinson and his child, Mary Foote and her child, Hannah Jennings and three children, Abigail Allis, Abigail Bartholomew, Goodman Coleman's children, Samuel Kellogg, my wife and four children, and Quintin Stockwell. I pray you hasten the matter, for it requireth great haste; stay not for the Sabbath nor the shoeing of horses. We shall endeavor to meet you at Canterhook (Kinderhook), it may be at Housatonick. We must come softly because of our wives and children. I pray you hasten them, stay not night nor day, for the matter requireth haste; bring provisions with you for us. At Albany, written from mine own hand, as I have affected to you all that were fatherless, be affected to me now and hasten the matter, and stay not, and ease me of my charges. You shall not need be afraid of any enemies.

Your loving kinsman,

Benjamin Waite.

They remained in Albany five days, and on May 27, started and walked twenty-two miles to Kinderhook, when they met men and horses from Hatfield. They rode through the woods and reached Hatfield in safety. The captives had been absent eight months, and Waite and Jennings seven months. The day of their arrival was one of the most joyful days that Hatfield ever knew. The ransom of the captives exceeded two hundred pounds, and was collected by contributions from the English. On May 27, the governor and council appointed June 26 as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer, and May 30 they issued an additional order recommending the case of Benjamin Waite and the captives for relief to the pious charity of the people of the several towns in the colony, desiring the ministers on the fast day to "stir up" the people to contribute for the relief of the captives. And for "quickening the work" copies of Benjamin Waite's letter were remitted to the ministers to be publicly read on the aforesaid fast day. Canada Waite was the grandmother of the late Oliver Smith, of Hatfield, who was distinguished for his great wealth, and the munificent trusts he created under his will for the benefit of the poor and indigent in several towns in Hampshire and Franklin counties in Massachusetts. Sophia Smith, who founded and endowed the female college at Northampton was a niece of Oliver Smith and great-granddaughter of Joseph Smith and Canada Waite. There is nothing in the tales of the Colonial Indian Wars more affecting than the story of the efforts of Benjamin Waite to procure the ransom of his wife and children from captivity, or more touching and thrilling than his letter addressed to "his loving friends and kindred at Hatfield." This letter and the account of the hazardous journey of Waite and Jennings to Canada reads like a tale of the Crusaders. Bishop Huntington, in his address at the bi-centennial celebration in 1859 of the first settlement of Hadley in 1659, well said in relating the story of the attack on Hatfield by the Indians, that the names of Benjamin Waite and his companion in their perilous journey through the wilderness to Canada should "be memorable in all the sad or happy homes of this valley forever." The descendants of Capt. Jonathan Field deem themselves honored that through Canada Waite, the child of captivity, they can trace their lineage to Benjamin Waite, and they feel as though they had a direct family interest in the memories of his strong and loving soul and Christian heroism. Benjamin Waite was killed by the Indians at Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704, at the time of the destruction of the town by the French and Indians under Hertel De Rouville. Canada Waite was married to Joseph Smith, of Hatfield, Dec. 15, 1696, and died May 5, 1749. Her husband, Joseph Smith, was born Nov. 16, 1670, and died Feb. 6, 1752.

About 1750, settlements were commenced in different part of the present town of Leverett by Nathan Adams, Moses Graves, Solomon Gould, Elisha Clary, Joseph Clary, Joel Smith, Moses Smith, Jeremiah Woodbury, Joseph Hubbard, Isaac Marshal, Jonathan Hubbard, Richard Montague, —— Wilde, and Absalom Scott. Montague settled in the north part of the town; Adams, Joel Smith, Gould and Graves in the south part; Elisha and Joseph Clary at the foot of Cave Hill; Jonathan Hubbard in the eastern part, and Joseph Hubbard on the farm now owned by Sawyer Field, near the east side of the fish pond. The latter was probably the first settler in the town. Josiah Cowls, Jonathan Field, Stephen Ashley, and Jonathan Field, 3d, settled soon afterwards on Long Plain, in the southwest part of the town, and Joseph Bartlett on "brushy mountain." Leverett was originally a part of Sunderland, and a petition of its residents laid before that town at its March meeting in 1773, praying for liberty to be set off into a new town, for the common lands within its boundaries, and an equitable proportion of the town property, doubtless contained the names of all who were then settled within the present boundaries of Leverett.

Mr. Field d. March 31, 1781; res. Sunderland and Leverett, Mass.

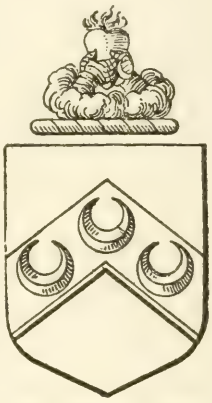
364. i. EUNICE, b. March 12, 1723; m. John Ballard, of Sunderland.

365. ii. JOANNA, b. Dec. 11, 1725; m. Jan. 31, 1753, Daniel Graves, of Brimfield. Ch.: 1. Persis; m. Eli Parsons; 2 Gideon; 3 Sibyl.

366. iii. LYDIA, b. Jan. 1, 1731; m. Nov. 20, 1750, Thomas Chapin, of Springfield, and, 2d, March 14, 1814, John Amsden, of Deerfield; she d. March 11, 1814.

367. iv. MARY, b. July 11, 1734; m. July 5, 1754, Seth Warner, of Sunderland; m., 2d, Nov. 21, 1771, Miles Alexander, of Sunderland and Northfield. Seth Warner was b. Sept. 29, 1729; d. May 14, 1769; she d. Feb. 21, 1829. Their son Eleazer Warner, b. Sept. 20, 1755, m. Elizabeth Belden; d. Aug. 9, 1837; he d. Dec. 8, 1829. Their daughter Martha Warner, b. April 10, 1784, m. Caleb Montague; b. July 7, 1781; d. Oct. 28, 1825; she d. March 13, 1876. Their daughter Fanny E. Montague, b. Aug. 29, 1824, m. Henry S. Stockbridge, b. Aug. 31, 1822; d. March 11, 1895. Henry Stockbridge, lawyer, b. in North Hadley, Mass., Aug. 31, 1822, was originally named Henry Smith Stockbridge; but he dropped the Smith in early manhood. He was graduated at Amherst in 1845, and studied law in Baltimore, where he was admitted to the bar May 1, 1848, and has since practiced his profession. During the Civil war he was a special district attorney to attend to the business of the War Department, and in 1864 as a member of the legislature he drafted the act that convened a constitutional convention for the abolition of slavery in the state. He took an active part in the proceedings of the convention, and defended the constitution that it adopted before the court of last resort. Afterward he instituted and successfully prosecuted in the United States courts proceedings by which were annulled the indentures of apprenticeship by which it was sought to evade the emancipation clause. Mr. Stockbridge thus practically secured the enfranchisement of more than 10,000 colored children. He was judge of the circuit court for Baltimore county in 1865, a delegate to the Loyalists' convention in 1866, and vice-president of the National Republican convention of 1868. Mr. Stockbridge has been for twenty years editor of the Fund publications of the Maryland Historical Society, of which he is vice-president, and he is the author of publication No. 22, "The Archives of Maryland" (Baltimore, 1886); besides various contributions to magazines. His son, Henry W., of Baltimore, Md., b. in that city, Sept. 18, 1856, graduated at Amherst College in 1877, and from the law department of the University of Maryland in 1878. In the same year he was admitted to the bar and at once began the practice of law in connection with his father. In 1882 was appointed one of the examiners in chancery, and discharged the duties of this position till March, 1889. In 1887, upon the death of Major Randolph, he became one of the editors of the Baltimore American, and continued in this employment until March, 1889, when, having been elected to the Fifty-first Congress, he retired to devote his attention to his congressional duties. He declined a renomination for Congress in 1890, and in 1891 was appointed Commissioner of Immigration at the port of Baltimore, and undertook the work of organizing at this port the inspection of im-

migrants. He resigned as immigration commissioner on March 3, 1893. From the time of the expiration of his congressional term he resumed actively the practice of the legal profession, and became counsel for several large corporations. In 1896 he was elected as an associate judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore city, and has since been discharging the duties of that position; m. Jan. 5, 1882, Helen Maria, daughter of Chester Smith, of Hadley, Mass. Ch.: 1. Henry, b. Dec. 21, 1885. 2. Enos Smith, b. May 3, 1888. Arms: Argent, on a chevron azure three crescents or. Crest: Out of a cloud two dexter hands in armor conjoined, holding up a heart inflamed all proper. Res.: 11 N. Calhoun street, Baltimore, Md. Societies: Maryland Historical, American Historical, Colonial Wars, Sons of the Revolution, Founders and Patriots.



STOCKBRIDGE ARMS.

368. v. SETH, b. March 13, 1741; m. Mary Hubbard and Mrs. Margery (Knowlton) Lotheridge.

369. vi. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 27, 1745; m. Dorothy Kellogg and Editha Tracy.

370. vii. ESTHER, b. Feb. 6, 1743; m. Feb. 9, 1764. Joseph Bodman, of Williamsburgh. She d. 1720.

371. viii. JONATHAN, b. Aug. 15, 1750; m. Sarah Kellogg.

372. ix. EDITHA, b. Dec. —, 1767; m. April 23, 1767, Giles Hubbard, of Sunderland.

373. x. MOSES, b. Sept. 17, 1754; m. Mary Spellman.

374. xi. DAUGHTER, b. March 7, 1740; d. March 7, 1740.

229. CAPTAIN JOHN FIELD (John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Feb. 20, 1671; m., November, 1697, Elizabeth Ames, dau. of John, b. Sept. 6, 1680; d. 1739; was res. in Bridgewater and returned to Providence in 1749.

He married Elizabeth, daughter of John Ames, of Bridgewater. He moved to Providence in 1730, and died in 1758, aged eighty-seven. His wife died in 1739 aged fifty-eight. John Field, son of John Field, born in 1704; died in 1729; aged twenty-five.

Removed to Providence about 1730-31. Admitted freeman 1731.

B. 2, 458. To cousin Daniel, Nov. 2, 1714.

B. 4, 183. To Benjamin Whipple, June 4, 1720.

B. 8, 203. To James Edwards, Oct. 24, 1729.

B. 308. From Peleg Williams, May 21, 1730.

B. 9, 16. From Greenes (several), Oct. 12, 1731, right of John Greene, of Warwick, to land in Providence, Smithfield, Scituate and Gloucester. Important deed.

B. 9, 17. To Jonathan Whipple, Oct. 14, 1731, 400 acres in Gloucester.

B. 9, 79. To Daniel Smith, Jan. 5, 1731-32.

B. 9, 187. To Elizabeth Snow, July 22, 1732.

B. 9, 278. To Thomas Steere, Feb. 28, 1733-34, thatch in Cove on Woonasquatucket river, which belonged to grandfather John Field.

B. 9, 297. From Thomas Steere, Feb. 28, 1733-34, Thatch in Hawkins' Cove.

B. A10, 57. To John Walton, June 9, 1736.

B. A10, 63. To Joseph Snow, Jr., Sept. 1, 1736.

B. A10, 137. To John Hawkins.
B. A10, 330. To Shadrach Manton, Nov. 13, 1735.
B. A11, 213. To Benjamin Gorham, 1740.
B. A12, 381. To Elizabeth Snow, May 31, 1750, Benedicts Pond.
B. 441. To James, April 10, 1751, land of grandfather John.

Will of John Field (Capt.)—Providence Probate Docket, Vol. i, No. A708. Will book 5, p. 156. In the Name of God, Amen, I John Field of Providence in ye County of Providence in ye Colony of Rhode Island &c. being ancient of an Infirm Constitution, but of Sound Memory, Blessed be God, do make and Publish this my Last Will and Testament in manner following that is to Say—

Imprimis, I give and devise to my Grandson John Field all my Homestead Lands and Buildings whereon I now Dwell (excepting a Small Lot of Land fifty foot front, and one Hundred foot Back, Joyning to the Highway, which I shall hereinafter give to my Grandson James Field) and the Land and Meadow which I purchased of Peleg Williams, lying on the North Side of the Highway opposite against my Dwelling House, and also all that my Tract of Land lying on the Plain, on the South Easterly Side of the Highway that leads from Providence Town to that part called Moshanticutt, adjoyning to the Pond, called Long Pond; all the above mentioned Lands, Buildings and Appurtenances to be and remain unto my Said Grandson John Field, his Heirs and Assigns for ever, being in Providence and Cranston in ye County aforesaid

Item, I give and Devise unto my Grandson James Field, a Small Lot of Land, lying adjoyning to the Lands of Joseph Snow, a little Northwestwardly from my Dwelling House, adjoyning to the Highway, bounded Northwestwardly on Said Snow's Land, on which it measures One Hundred Feet, & North Eastwardly on the Highway on which it measures Fifty Feet, (this Lot is intended to be Fifty Feet wide in all parts) and to hold the Breadth of Fifty Feet, extends back Southwestwardly One Hundred Feet, where it terminates; and also all that my Tract or Parcel of Land, lying on the Northwestwardly Side of the Highway that leads from Providence Town, towards Moshanticutt aforesaid, adjoyning to the Pond, called and known by the Name of Benedict's Pond, all to be and remain unto him my Said Grandson James Field, and to his Heirs and Assigns for ever, being partly in Providence, and partly in Cranston in said County

Item, as to all the rest and remaining Part of my Lands both divided and undivided, allotted or not allotted, lying and being in the Towns of Providence and Smithfield in the County of Providence, within the Original Purchase of Providence and elsewhere, I give and devise the same unto my said Two Grandsons John Field, and James Field, to be equally divided betwixt them, and to be and remain unto them, their Heirs and Assigns respectively forever

Item, I give and bequeath unto my said Two Grandsons John Field and James Field all my Husbandry Tools and Tackling of all sorts, and my Carpenters Tools to be equally divided betwixt them

Item, I give to my Grandson John Field my biggest pair of Hand-Irons, and one Feather Bed and Furniture thereto belonging

Item, I give to my Grandson, James Field a pair of Hand-Irons

Item, I give and bequeath unto my Three Daughters viz. Elizabeth Snow, Sarah Howard and Susanna Keith, Two Feather Beds & Furniture to them belonging, and One Hundred Pounds in Bills of Credit old Tenor, to be divided amongst them in this manner, that is to say, Two of my said three Daughters to have a Bed and Furniture, each of them, and the other of my said Daughters that hath not a Bed, to have the said Hundred Pounds in Bills of the Old Tenor in Lieu thereof, as they shall agree

Item, I give and bequeath unto the Children of my Sister Elizabeth Briggs, and the Children of my Sister Lydia Mandly, the Sum of Ninety Pounds in Bills of Credit of the Old Tenor, to be equally divided amongst Such of my said Sister's Children as are Surviving

Item, I give to my Nephews, Anthony, Jonah, Jeremiah and Samuel Steers, and to my Neice Loranna Coman, Ten Pounds to each of them in Bills of Credit of the Old Tenor

Item, I give and bequeath unto Mary Snow of Providence, Single Woman, for and in Consideration of her Care and Industry, Since She hath kept my House, the Sum of Ten pounds in Bills of Credit, Old Tenor, exclusive of her Wages

Item, as to all the rest and remaining part of my Personal and Moveable Estate, that shall remain after my Just Debts, Legacys, funeral Charges and other Expenses are duly paid, I give the Same to my aforesaid Three Daughters, Elizabeth Snow, Sarah Howard and Susanna Keith, and my aforesaid Two Grandsons John Field and James Field to be equally divided amongst them respectively

Item, as to my Negro man Jeffery, I do hereby Order, and my Will is, that he Shall Chuse which of my Children or Grandchildren he Shall think proper to live with, and so far give him his Time as to chuse any of them, or any other Person as he thinks proper to take him, provided they, that he Shall So chuse, give Bond to keep my Heirs, Executors, and Administrators from all Cost, Charge and Trouble, that Shall from thence accrue by reason of Said negroe Jeffery's Maintenance; and in case none of my Said Children Shall See cause to accept of Said negroe, then he Shall be kept and maintained by my executor hereafter named

Item, I do hereby Order, and it is my Will, that all my Just Debts and Legacys before mentioned and other Expenses, Shall be paid by my Executor out of my Personal Estate and I do hereby Name ordain and Appoint and make, my aforesaid Grandson John Field my Sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, to pay all my Just Debts and Legacys and perform this my Last Will and Testament

In Witness and Confirmation whereof I do hereunto Set my Hand and Seal, the Twenty-Sixth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty-four

After the aforewritten Jnstrument being publickly Read to the above named John Field it was by him, Signed, Sealed, published and declared to be his Last Will and Testament, in the Presence of us the Subscribers

Be it remembered, that "the Lot to be fifty foot wide in all "parts" in one place, and the words "one feather Bed and "Furniturethereto belonging" in another place, was interlined before Signing and Executing these Presents

And be it also remembered, that I have heretofore Sold & conveyed unto my Grandson John Field all my Stock of Cattle, Sheep and all Sorts of Quick Stock; and that I have heretofore given unto my Grandsan James Field the Sum of Four Thousand Pounds old Tenor, and Several Deeds of Gifts of Lands and that the words "partly in Providence and partly "in Cranston" in two places, was interlined before Executing hereof

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Proved April 5th. 1757.

He died in 1757. Res., Bridgewater, Mass., and Providence, R. I.

375. i. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 4, 1698; m. in Providence, Joseph Snow, b. Sept. 6, 1690. Joseph Snow was born in Bridgewater; died in Providence, July 23, 1773; son of Joseph Snow; b. 1668; d. 1753; m. Hopestill ——; son of William Snow and Rebecca (Backer

Snow, dau. of Robert Backer and Lucy (Williams) Backer, of Duxbury. Ch.:

1. Joseph, b. March 26, 1715; m., 1st, Nov. 1, 1737, Sarah Field, dau. of Zachariah and Abigail Field b. Aug. 9, 1710; d. July 9, 1753. He m., 2d, March 14, 1754, Rebecca Grant, of Boston; she d. Sept. 30, 1774. He m., 3d, Oct. 24, 1775, Mrs. Margaret Proctor. Ch. (by first wife): a. Sarah, b. Oct 27, 1738; d. April 23, 1752. b. John, b. Feb. 3, 1740; m., Feb. 14, 1799, Eliza Snow, dau. of John. c. Joseph, b. Sept. 22, 1741; d. Oct. 10, 1741. 4. Joseph, b. Sept. 2, 1742; m., March 7, 1773, Sarah Noyes, dau. of Jonathan Badger. Ch.: i. William. ii. Oliver. iii. Margaret. This family are to be found in its descendants of Penn Yann, N. Y. e. Lydia, b. Jan. 3, 1744; d. March 22, 1763 (or 1766?). f. Susannah, b. Oct. 14, 1745; m., Dec. 23, 1764, Dr. Samuel Carew; d. March 22, 1766. g. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 10, 1747; m., July 9, 1774, Zabdiel Rogers. h. Abigail, b. March 26, 1749; d. Aug. 10, 1752. i. Josiah, b. Feb. 24, 1750; m. ——. Ch. by 2d wife: j. Rebecca, b. Feb. 13, 1756. k. Samuel, b. Aug. 10, 1758: m. May 18, 1781, Frances Wanton, dau. of Capt. Peter and Elizabeth Gardiner Wanton. He was member of the Cincinnati; lieutenant in Revolution. Ch.: i. Peter; captain of infantry, Continental army. He d. May 13, 1838. l. Edward, b. May 9, 1760. m. Benjamin, b. Dec. 6, 1761; m., 1st, Sally Rogers, dau. of Theophilus, of Norwich, Conn., b. Jan. 26, 1761; d. April 8, 1788; m., 2d, Sarah Otis, dau. of Joseph, of Norwich, Conn. Ch.: i. Hamilton Rogers, b. Nov. 7 1786; d. April 7, 1789. ii. Frances, b. May 22, 1790. iii. Maria, b. Dec. 19, 1791: d. Feb. 8, 1795. iv. Caroline M., b. Sept. 24, 1793: m. R. M. Field; d. 1843. v. Charles Knox, b. May 5, 1796. vi. Samuel Edward, b. March 5, 1798. vii. Maria L. b. July 9, 1800; d. Aug. 18, 1824. viii. Sarah Ann, b. Aug. 10, 1802; m. J. L. Hubbard; d. March 29, 1820. ix. Rebecca Monroe, b. June 11, 1805; m. J. Huntington, of Norwich. d. Sept. 3, 1839. He d. March 23, 1849.

Joseph Snow was pastor of Beneficient Congregational Church from 1743 till death. He d. April 10, 1803,

2. John, b. April 19, 1717; d. Dec. 3, 1738.

3. Elizabeth, b. May, 4, 1719; m., 1st, Jan. 12, 1736, John Field, son of Zachariah and Abigail, b. 1708; d. April 5, 1738. Ch.: John Field, b. 1738; d. Aug. 29, 1808; m. Abigail Covy, March 21, 1761, who died May 19, 1820, aged eighty-five. M., 2d, Ezra Dean and moved to Plainfield, Conn. She d. Dec. 18, 1750.

4. Susannah, b. Dec. 12, 1721; m. March 19, 1741, Matthew Short; d. Feb. 18, 1743.

5. Sarah, b. Feb. 4, 1723; is said to have married John Jenckes; d. Jan. 8, 1745.

6. Daniel, b. Oct. 2, 1727; m. Jan. 11, 1767, Sarah Searle, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth Gladding Searle (she was dau. of William and Mary), b. Oct. 15, 1738; d. 1821. By records of Providence he also married Feb. 6, 1749, Elizabeth Searle, dau. of Solomon. Sarah and Elizabeth were both living in 1810. Ch.: Elizabeth, Susannah, Lydia, Daniel, Rebecca and Sarah. Chil-

dren of Daniel and Elizabeth: Daniel, bap. April 20, 1751. Samuel, bap. June 3, 1753. He d. Nov. 17, 1784.

7. James, b. Dec. 30, 1729-30; m., March 26, 1755, Hannah Searle, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth (Gladding) Searle, b. June 10, 1733; d. Nov. 14, 1823. Ch.: James, Daniel, Mary, Joseph, John Samuel, Edward, Sarah and Hannah. James Snow, captain in Fourth company Providence militia in 1776-80, was either he or his son. (See Col. Rec. of R. I., vol. vii, viii, Reg. Orders R. I. Hist. Soc., June 11, 1778; Rev. Defenses of R. I., by Edward Field.) He d. Oct. 18, 1812.

8. Mary, b. April 20, 1733. She was probably the first child of Joseph Snow to be born in Providence. Her father was deacon of First Congregational church. He is called deacon in the History of Easton, Mass., and perhaps his title was at first complimentary. She d. Feb. 12, 1751.

9. Lydia, b. Feb. 8, 1735; d. Dec. 10, 1738.

10. John, b. April 19, 1739. No trace of him, unless he is the one who married Mary Thurston, of Newport. (See Redwood Family Gen.)

Joseph Snow, Sr., appears to have been a cantankerous person whose specialty was a stirring up church rows. He lived in Easton, Mass., and in "Chaffins" book, on that town, you will find some record of him. After his removal to Providence he became involved in a controversy at the First Congregational church, and because of the teaching of "damnable good works" that the minister indulged in, Mr. Snow withdrew and established a congregation with his son as pastor on the west side of the town. (See "Staples' Annals of Providence," "The Beneficent Church," by Rev. J. G. Vose.) The funeral sermon of the Rev. Joseph Snow was preached by Rev. Stephen Gano, from the text, "I have fought a good fight." A copy of this is in the Brown University library. Mr. Snow continued as pastor until his death, but in his later years he withdrew from the church founded by his father, and established a third Congregational church. The reason of this change is to be found in the growing popularity of the Rev. James Wilson, called to be his assistant. Old Mr. Snow could not see his own growing decrepitude, and was offended at the people who preferred the younger man. Mr. Snow took with him the records of the church that he had kept with great care and attention and many of the dates here can be verified by consultation with the original record now in the custody of the Union Congregational Society. A picture of Rev. Joseph Snow was printed some years ago in Dr. Vose's "Beneficent Church."

James Snow, his brother, was captain of Fourth company of Providence militia in 1776-1778. See Edward Field's "Rev. Defenses of Rhode Island." Pay abstract on file at State House, Rhode Island. Reg. Orders R. I. Hist. Soc. "Col. Rec. of R. I., Bartlett.

From a note gleaned at the city hall (where the documents, are filed and indexed in first-class order) I am led to believe that these services should be credited to James Snow's son, James,

since he is called Capt. James Snow, Jr. The dates are James, sr., b. Dec. 30, 1729-30; d. Oct. 18, 1812. James, Jr., b. April 10, 1756; d. Sept. 13, 1825. Is not twenty years rather young for a captain? It seems as if it was the elder James who was the veteran.

Mitchell's Bridgewater. Moved to Easton about 1730 and afterwards to Providence.

B. 9, 157. From John Field, July 22, 1732, meadows, thatch beds and common, i. e., seventy-nine acres at Bennet's, near Benedict Pond three acres near his dwelling house, a right in thatch beds which was the right of John Greene, Jr., etc.

B. 12, 381. From John Field, May 31, 1750, Benedict's Pond.

376. ii. SARAH, b. 1700; m. July 30, 1719, Jonathan Howard. He was son of Major Jonathan, and was b. 1692. Res. Bridgewater. Ch.: 1. Nathan, b. 1720. Was Esq.; m. Jane Howard. 2. Charity, b. 1721; m. Benjamin Pierce, a descendant of Capt. Michael Pierce. 3. Susanna, b. 1724; m. 1745, Col. Edward Howard. Their daughter was Susannah Howard, who m. Oakes Angier. They had a daughter Susannah, who m. April, 1803, Oliver Ames, b. April 11, 1779; d. Sept. 11, 1863. She d. March 28, 1847. Their son, Oliver Ames (manufacturer, b. in Plymouth, Mass., Nov. 5, 1807; d. in North Easton, Mass., March 9, 1877), was a member of the Massachusetts State Senate during 1852 and 1857. He was largely interested with his brother in the development of the Union Pacific railroad, and was its president pro tem. from 1866 until 1868. He was formally elected president of the company March 12, 1868, and continued as such until March 8, 1871. He was connected with the Credit Mobilier, and in 1873 succeeded his brother, Oakes Ames, as the head of the firm. They had a son, Oliver, who had a son, Fred L. Oakes Ames, the brother of Oliver was a manufacturer, and was b. in Easton, Mass., Jan. 10, 1804; d. in North Easton, Mass., May 8, 1873. He was the eldest son of Oliver Ames, a blacksmith, who had acquired considerable reputation in the making of shovels and picks. After obtaining a public-school education he entered his father's workshop, and made himself familiar with every step of the manufacture. He became a partner in the business, and with his brother, Oliver, Jr., established the firm of Oliver Ames & Sons. This house carried on an enormous trade during the gold excitement in California, and again a few years later in Australia. During the Civil war they furnished extensive supplies of swords and shovels to the government. In the building of the Union Pacific railroad they were directly interested, and obtained large contracts, which were subsequently transferred to the Credit Mobilier of America, a corporation in which Oakes Ames was one of the largest stockholders. In 1861 he was called into the executive council of Massachusetts. He served continuously in Congress from 1862 to 1873, as representative from the Second Massachusetts district. His relations with the Credit Mobilier led to an investigation, which resulted in his being censured by a vote of the House of Representatives. Subsequent to his withdrawal from political life he resided at North Easton, where he died of

apoplexy May 8, 1873. His wife was Elvira O. Gilmore, b. June 14, 1809; d. July 20, 1882. Their children were: a. Fred Norton Ames, b. Aug. 14, 1833; m. Nov. 13, 1856, Catherine Hayward Copeland. Ch.: i. Alice L., b. ——. ii. Edward C. Norris; Res., Boston. b. Oakes Ames, b. ——. m. ——. Res. Canton, Mass. 4. Sarah, b. 1726; m. 1746, Capt. Adams Bailey. 5. Jonathan, b. 1729; was captain; m. Phebe Ames. 6. Amy. b. 1734; m. Jeremiah Belcher. She d. 1812.

377. iii. SUSANNAH, b. Feb. 25, 1702; m. 1721, Joseph Keith. He was son of Joseph, and his grandfather was Rev. James Keith, from Aberdeen, Scotland. He was b. 1699. Res. first in Easton, and later in East Bridgewater. He d. 1777. Ch.: 1. Joseph, b. 1722; was captain; m. Ann Turner. 2. Abigail, b. 1725; m. Joseph Robinson. 3. James, b. 1727; m. Sarah Holman. 4. David, b. 1728; m. Jemima Whitman. 5. Susanna, b. 1731; m. Peter Whitman. 6. Eleazar, b. 1733 m. Elizabeth Mitchell. 7. John, b. 1736; m. Alice Mitchell. 8. Seth, b. 1739; m. Abigail Holman. 9. George, b. 1742; m. Deborah Clift.

378. iv. JOHN, b. Feb. 27, 1704; m. Mary Howard.

379. v. JAMES, b. Sept. 12, 1706; d. unm. Aug. 11, 1729. Administration of his estate was granted his father, Captain John, Oct. 27, 1729. Died at sea. His father appointed administrator. James belonged to Providence, that Probate Court having jurisdiction. Admitted freeman in 1728. Probate records, 3, pp. 130, 132. Inventory of estate made by Joseph Field, William Hopkins. Captain John, of Bridgewater, administrator.

231. RICHARD FIELD (John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., May 17, 1677; m. Jan. 17, 1704, Susanna Waldo, b. 1684.

B. 8, 42. To James Mathewson, May 17, 1703.—Prov. records.

7665. Richard Field, of Bridgewater. Susannah Field, his wife, was appointed administratrix Nov. 24, 1725. Inventory filed in this case gives the date of the decease of said Richard, Sept. 14, 1725. No will and no heirs mentioned.

7666. Richard Field, of Bridgewater. His wife, Susannah Field, appointed administratrix Sept. 25, 1734. No will and no heirs mentioned. (There was nothing in these papers to show that this was a second appointment on the first Richard's estate. It may be another Richard.)

7667. Richard Field et als. On April 13, 1730, Susannah Field was appointed guardian to her children, viz.: Mercy Field, Zabia Field and Susannah, under the age of fourteen years, and to Jabez, Richard and Ruth, who were under the age of twenty-one.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Sept. 14, 1725. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

380. i. ZEBULON, b. Aug. 23, 1707; m. Anna Williams and Patience Wetherell.

381. ii. MARY, b. Oct. 5, 1709; m. March 16, 1747, Samuel Noyes.

382. iii. RICHARD, b. Oct. 21, 1711; no record.

383. iv. JABEZ, b. Sept. 29, 1713; m. Mary Fobes.

384. v. RUTH, b. Aug. 6, 1715; m. Nov. 24, 1737, Israel Packard, Jr. He d. 1752, son of Israel and Hannah. She m., 2d, 1754, Joseph Ames, son of Thomas, b. 1711. Res. Bridgewater, Mass. By her first husband she had four sons and a daughter, all of whom d. young. By her second husband she had Zephaniah, b. 1755. She d. and he m. 2d, Mrs. Abigail (Lathrop) (Bosworth) Alger.

385. vi. ZOBIAH, b. March 4, 1719; d. Nov. 26, 1722.

386. vii. MERCY, b. Aug. 17, 1723; m. Jan. 29, 1747, Archibald Robinson. He was son of Gain Robinson, of Bridgewater, who came from Ireland. Ch.: 1. Robert, b. 1747. 2. John, b. 1749.

387. viii. SUSANNAH, b. May 18, 1725; m. Oct. 16, 1747, Nathan Hartwell. He was son of Samuel. Res. Bridgewater, Mass. She d. 1758, and he m. 2d, in 1761, Betty Cushman. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. 1753; m., 1781, Abner Shirley. 2. Daniel, b. 1755 (major), m. Mehitable Copeland. 3. Susannah, b. 1758; m., 1780, Asa Keith.

388. ix. ZOBIAH, b. March 28, 1705; d. April 3, 1708.

389. x. SUSANNAH, b. Aug. 6, 1721; d. Nov. 26, 1732.

233. DANIEL FIELD (John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., July 17, 1681; m. March 6, 1706, Sarah Ames, dau. of John, of Bridgewater, b. 1685. He was living in Bridgewater in 1703.

B. 8, 42. To James Mathewson, May 17, 1703; 1715 blacksmith at Providence.

7045. Daniel Field, of Bridgewater. Will written Nov. 25, 1746. Legatees mentioned, eldest son, Daniel Field, son of Job Field, son Joseph Field, daughter Abigail Field, daughter Mehitable Manton, of Providence, and five grandchildren, children of his daughter, Hannah Beswick, deceased (their names not given). Job and Joseph Field, his sons, appointed executors, March 4, 1746.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. February, 1746. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

390. i. MEHITABLE, b. Nov. 22, 1706; m. Nov. 13, 1733, Edward Manton, of Providence, R. I.

391. ii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 16, 1709; m. March 18, 1734, Charles Beswick. Five children.

392. iii. DANIEL, b. Oct. 5, 1712; m. Susanna Thayer.

393. iv. JOB, b. Aug. 25, 1714; d. unm. in 1748.

7655. Job Field, of Bridgewater, yeoman. His will written Jan. 16, 1747-8. Legatees mentioned in will: Brother Daniel, sister Mehitable Manton, sister Abigail Field. He gives unto the children of Charles Beswick five shillings (their names not given). He mentions brother Joseph Field, who was appointed executor April 4, 1748.—Plymouth County Probate.

394. v. SARAH, b. Jan. 23, 1718.

395. vi. JOSEPH, b. ——; m. Betty Pray and Rachel ——.

396. vii. ABIGAIL, b. ——; d. unm. 1750. 7640. Abigail Field, of Bridgewater, single woman. Her will written March 21, 1749-50. Legatees mentioned in will: Brother Daniel Field, brother Joseph Field, sister Mehitable Mariton (or Manton), sister Susanna Field, cousin Rachel Field, cousin Anna Field, cousins Charles Beswick, Ede Beswick and Daniel Beswick. (This abstract was taken from the records, as the original papers are missing. The above name, Ede Beswick, is a facsimile of record—evidently the copyist could not make out the whole name.) Abigail's will was proved, and Joseph Field, her brother, was appointed executor May 7, 1750. In the bond recorded in this estate she was called "widow," but in the letter of appointment was called single woman, the same as in the will.

397. viii. SUSANNA, b. ——; m. 1735, Israel Packard, Jr. His second wife. He d. 1752. They had five children, and all d. young. She m., 2d, 1754, Joseph Ames.

236. ZACHARIAH FIELD (Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Jan. 20, 1685; m. before 1706, Abigail ——. Admitted Freeman, 1708.

B. 2, 285. From John Hawkins, July 21, 1709.

B. 2, 290. From William Steere, March 25, 1711-12, 4 acres w. of 7-mile line.

B. 2, 60. Mortgage to G. Crawford, Jan. 22, 1706-7, discharged 1709.

B. 2, 122. Mortgage to F. Crawford, Feb. 22, 1708-9, discharged 1710.

B. 2, 252. Award of Land, July 9, 1709.

B. 2, 324. To Elisha Knoulton, March 27, 1714.

B. 2, 414. To Joseph Whipple, June 25, 1715.

B. 2, 283. To Zachariah Eddy, July 14, 1709, wife Abigail.

B. 9, 18. Deed to John Field, son of Zachary, Jr., deceased, Oct. 26, 1731.

Early Rec., B. 11, 164. 1712, July 28. Controversy between Zachary Field and John Hawkings referred to a Purchasers meeting.

He d. between 1715 and 1731; res. Providence, R. I., and moved away.

398. i. ZACHARIAH, b. about 1706; m. Lydia Titus.

399. ii. JOHN, b. ——, 1708; m. Elizabeth Snow.

399½. iii. SARAH, b. Aug. 9, 1710; m. Nov. 1, 1737, Joseph Snow, Jr.; she d. July 9, 1753 (see elsewhere for children).

237. JOHN FIELD (Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., 1687; m. 1712, Hannah ——. Admitted Freeman 1734. Error. M. in Providence, Dec. 13, 1741, Hannah Field and Josiah King.

B. 4, 73. To William Crawford, March 25, 1713, wife Hannah resigns dower May 4, 1713.

Probate, Book 3, p. 298. Inventory £77 6d.

Probate, Book 3, p. 310. Widow Hannah administratrix and to support his children.

Prov. Early Rec., 9, 115. 1735, Nov. 24. John Field living on west side of Mashapauge Pond, etc.

He d. in Rhode Island, April 2, 1737; res. Providence, R. I.

400. i. JOSEPH, b. 1715; m. Susannah Hambleton.

400½. ii. OTHER children.

240. JOSEPH FIELD (Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., ——, 1693; m. ——, Zerviah Carey, daughter of Joseph and Abigail, b. 1697; d. June 28, 1787 Inventory presented 1768. His son Isaac was administrator June 23, 1768.

B. 4, 145. To William Crawford, March 26, 1715, all outlying lands.

B. 3, 17. Of William Crawford, March 26, 1715, homestead estate, of John 1st and Zachary 3d.

B. 7, 134. From Bro. Daniel, June 18, 1719, His int. in James Est.

B. 8, 214. From Nicholas Lapham, Sept. 23, 1729.

B 8, 466. From Peleg Williams, May 25, 1731.

B. 11, 246. From Joseph, Jr. (42), Oct. 1, 1744. Int. in uncle James Est.

B. 273. From Jeremiah Field, 1744, land at Mashapaug.

B. 314. From Bro. Daniel (15), Oct. 30, 1745. Int. in Bro. James Est.

B. 331. From Joseph Jr. (42), March 14, 1745. Int. in uncle James Est.

B. 17, 499. From Archibald Young, July 1, 1767, Hawkings Cove.

B. 5, 465. Probate Records. Inventory, £255 14s.17d. Set forth by son Isaac who was made administrator June 21, 1768.

He d. June 4, 1768; res. Providence, R. I.

401. i. ISAAC, b. Nov. 18, 1743; m. Martha Hartshorn.

402. ii. SARAH, b. Oct. 24, 1740; d. April 7, 1795.

242. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Jan. 3, 1670; m. there Abigail Hopkins, daughter of William and Abigail Hopkins; m., 2d, April 28, 1737, Abigail Chaffee; she d. soon after 1752. June 7, 1725, he deeded "for fatherly love and affection, which I have for my eldest son Thomas Field, Jr., etc., lot of land where he liveth, in the lands of Pawtuxet, on west side of Pauchasset river, 140 acres and buildings, without limitation, 1730-42, Town Council. April 5, 1732, he deeded son Anthony for love and good-will, certain lands, viz., 5 acres that was my honored father, Thomas Field's, deceased, also lots of 80 acres and 62 acres, etc. April 26, 1737, he made an agreement with Abigail Chaffee, two days before his marriage, concerning property, 1742, deputy. Jan. 18, 1744.

B. 2, 353. From Wm. Crawford, Aug. 12, 1714. Edward Harte's right.
B. 2, 406. From Wm. Crawford.
B. 2, 492. From Thomas, Sen., May 19, 1715.
B. 3, 54. From Elisha Arnold, Dec. 28, 1717, land at Pawtuxet.
B. 4, 110. To Samuel Gorton, Dec. 17, 1719.
B. 6, 77. To Robert Crane, June 3, 1723.
B. 6, 330. Benjamin Paine, April 27, 1723.
B. 7, 34. To Elisha Smith, March 3, 1725.
B. 8, 501. To Son Thomas, June 7, 1725.
B. 9, 109. To son Anthony, April 12, 1732.
B. 9, 150. To Zachariah Eddy, Jr., Nov. 8, 1728.
B. 9, 412. To Moses Lippitt, May 28, 1735, right of Thos. Weston.
B. 9, 414. To son Thomas, Feb. 13, 1734-5.
B. 9, 384. To Pardon Sheldon, March 4, 1734-35.
B. A10, 105. To son Jeremiah, March 30, 1737.
B. A10, 255. To son Nathaniel, property which he had lately given to Jeremiah.
B. A10, 399. To son Thomas, 1738-39, land at Pawtuxet.
B. 11, 223. To son Jeremiah, May 12, 1744.
Probate 2, 20. Son and heir to Thomas called Yeoman, Sept. 13, 1717.
Probate 4, 308. Widow, Abigail, appointed administratrix, void.
Probate 4, 311. Will proved. See below. No property.

Thomas was living in 1746, as son Jeremiah is appointed his guardian, he being unable to care for himself.

Will dated Jan. 17, 1743; presented for probate Feb. 17, 1753. Jeremiah to be executor. Will was objected to by son Thomas on account of incompetency of father, but Jeremiah reported that there was no property.

"Monday Morning, Feb. 20, 1882.

"Mr. George T. Paine.

"Dear Sir: I very much regretted not seeing you last week, and being desirous to give you as little trouble as possible, I call at your office to-day, and lest I should not find you, I am writing this note to leave. Unless there is some reason for the belief, that Abigail Field was not the daughter of Wm. Hopkins, except that she was not mentioned in his will, I shall leave it for the Hopkins to prove the contrary. The idea of her being called 'Hopkins' by courtesy is not reasonable, especially on her marriage. It is evident her mother had one Hopkins boy, and when she speaks of her first husband's son, calls him by his true name, and so does her husband.

"Thomas Field was a very rich man, for his day, and fathers of that day, so little inclined to give to daughters anything, but household goods any way, it was not strange if he thought it unnecessary; besides he might not have liked Thos.

Field, many of that day did not like him, he was arbitrary and exacting. Again, all those old Fields were apt to mention degrees of relationship. Thomas 2d, who referred to his 'two grandfathers,' did not hesitate when the estate was to be settled, to summon his 'mother-in-law,' Abigail (Chaffee) Field. They were too proud and independent to admit of patronage of any sort, even from a step-grandfather, though a Hopkins. I remember hearing Uncle George Field tell with tearful appreciation of the heroism of 'Old Uncle Stephen Hopkins,' when he signed the 'Declaration,' being a paralytic, said, 'My hand trembles, but my heart don't.'

'However, I am open to conviction. I am puzzled over Thomas 50 and Thomas 44 (see Mrs. Brownell's Field Genealogy, p. 10). Mrs. Wiaid says, 'My grandfather married Hannah Irons.' She had not seen my book. Mrs. Wiaid's father was Darius Field, and if born in 1777 (see last page of the book), it would be right for the marriage 1775. But this Thomas was not son of Silas so I leave it.

"With thanks for the loan of the book, I remain,

"Very truly yours,

"H. A. Brownell.

Capt. John, 1st, of Bridgewater, did not mention two of his daughters in his will."

Will of Thomas Field—Providence Probate Docket, Vol. I. No. A610. Will Book No. 4, page 311.

Jn the Name of God amen I Thomas Field of Providence in the County of Providence and Colony of Rhoad Jsland in New England yeoman being a Tollarable state of helth and in my Right mind and memory and vnderstanding as to a Disposing mind Thanks be giuen to allmighty God therefore and Knowing it is appointed for all men once to Die and knowing not how soon it may Please God to take me out of this World; and being minded to set my house in order while I haue a being here in this world Do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament first and Principally I Giue and bequest my Sole vnto God that Gaue it and my body to the Earth to be Decantly Buryed at the Discretion of mine Executor here after mentioned and named and as touching such worldly Estate as it hath Pleased God to bless me with in this world I Giue and Dispose of in the following manner and form first I Will and ordain that all my Just Debts that I owe to any Person either in Right or Concrance shall well and Truly be Paid and ansured and ordained to be paid in sum Conueniant time after my decease by mine Executor hereafter named

Jtem I Giue and Bequest vnto my Loueing wife Abigail Field the sum of Forty Pounds in Bills of Publick credit of said Colony of the old tenor money Eqvielant thereto to be Paid to her by my Executor hereafter named and Likewise I oblige my Executor to fullfill all my agreements made with my wife which I made before marrige and is vnder hand and seal Likewise I Giue and bequest vnto my Loueing wife all and Euery Part of what she brought with her to me when I married her as Bed and beding and sundry other Household stuff.

Jtem I Giue and bequeath vnto my Loeing son Thomas Field the sum of fifteen pounds in Bills of Credit of the old tenor to be paid within one year after my Decease by my Executor hereafter named

Jtem I Giue and Bequest vnto my Loeing son Jeremiah Field my Lott of Land Lying in the Township of Siteuate in the County of Prouidence abouesaid Lott Lyeth on boath sides of Punhanset Riuer Containing Two Hundred and Fifty acres or thereabouts and also one Lott of Land in the Lands of Pautuxet on the west side of Pauchasets Riuer in the Township of Prouidence aforesaid and adjoyning to the seuen mile Line so caled Containing one Hundred and Fifty acres or thereabouts both the aforementioned Lotts to be and Remain vnto my said son Jeremiah Field his Heirs and assigns for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath my Loueing son Nathaniel Field the sum of four Pounds in money to be Paid unto my said son his Heirs &c: by my Executor hereafter named in one year after my decease

Jtem I Giue and bequeath vnto my Loueing son Anthony Field my Lott of Land Lying in the Township of Glocester in the County of Providence aforesaid said Lott Lyeth near Chapachit Ceeder swamp Containing one Hundred and seuenty acres beit more or Less to be and Remain vnto my said son Anthony Field his Heirs and Assigns for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath vnto my Loueing son Jeremiah Field whome I Likewise Make Constitute ordain and appoint to be my whole and sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament all my Moueable Estate after my Just Debts Leageses and Funeral Charges are Paid if any there be Remaining and to his Heirs and Assigns &c In Witness and for Confirmation of all the Particulars of this my Last Will and Testament I the said Thomas Field haue herevnto set my hand and seal this Eighteenth Day of January in the seuenteenth year of his Majestyes Reign George the second King of Grate Britain &c: Anno que; Domine—1743-44
Signed Sealed Published Declared and Pronounced to be the Last Will and Testament in the presence of vs

Thomas Field LS

James Arnold
A: Francis
Samuel Boyles

Proved December 16, 1752.

He d. July 17, 1752; res. Providence, R. I.

403. i. THOMAS, b. ——, 1696; m. Abigail ——.

404. ii. STEPHEN, b. in Providence ——; d. at sea Sept. 10, 1727; m. Sarah; had one child that lived a few years; widow Sarah m. William Smith March 31, 1732-33. Sarah was appointed administratrix of his estate Dec. 11, 1727; m. Sarah Smith, daughter of John the Miller, 3d (see Austin's Dict., p. 383). Admitted Freeman 1723.

Probate 3, 89. Inventory. Relict and widow Sarah. Mentions family.

Probate 3, 245. Bill of Sarah Smith (widow of Stephen Field). For child's clothing 3 yrs and 3 mos.; for child's funeral expenses. Was a Blacksmith.

Mrs. Brownell, 1724. To Wm. Page land in right of Thomas James between Weybosset Hill and Muddy Brook.

Early Records XII, p. 22. 1720, Nov. 26. Appt. Administrator of estate of Hannah Wailes.

405. iii. JEREMIAH, b. ——; m. Abigail Waterman.

406. iv. NATHANIEL, b. ——; m. Margaret Barstow.

407. v. ANTHONY, b. ——; m. Mehitable Whipple.

408. vi. JOSEPH, b. before 1699; d. at sea; Oct. 5, 1736. Probably unmarried. A mariner. Admitted Freeman 1720.

B. 8, 214. From Nicholas Lapham, Sept. 23, 1729.

Council Records, July 2, 1737, Jeremiah Field appointed administrator, Father Thomas, declines.

B. 3, 218. Probate Rec. 3, 218. Father Thomas refused to administer. Bro. Jeremiah appointed.

B. 3, 219. Inventory made July 19, 1737, by Josiah Pain and Richard Waterman, Jr. Inventory, £79 16s. 10d.

245. WILLIAM FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., June 8, 1682; m. Martha ——; m., 2d, in Providence, Mary Mathewson; she d. after 1729. Admitted Freeman 1708. M., 3d, Mary, who outlived him, and afterwards m. —— Moore. Austin says he m. Mary Mathewson, daughter of James and Hannah, and that she d. 1729. He had a brother-in-law, Thomas Mathewson.

Probate 3, 137. In his will he directs all his children except John and Charles to provide for their mother, and these may have been children of the first wife.

B. 2, 86. To Thomas Mathewson, Dec. 2, 1707, brother-in-law.

B. 2, 382. To James Browne, March 4, 1714-15.

B. 5, 130. To Zachariah Eddy, Jr., Sept. 14, 1721.

B. 5, 284. To David Rutingbar, May 17, 1717.

B. 7, 150. To John Pray, Jr., Aug. 26, 1726.

B. 7, 237. To Robert Currie, Jan. 1, 1727-8.

B. 7, 238. To Robert Currie, May 15, 1725.

B. 7, 264. To William Turpin, May 15, 1725.

B. 9, 403. From Thomas (Sen.), Sept. 11, 1708.

His will was dated Oct. 16, 1729, proved.

To dau. Martha Browne, lot &c., for her son Gideon or his elder bro.

To son Joseph (a minor) lot on Town St.

To son Nathan (a minor) a lot on Town St. and land at Snaile's Hill.

To dau. Mary lot on Town St.

To sons William and Thomas (minors).

To wife Mary.

To sons John and Charles the lots of land given *him* by his mother Martha dec.

To sons John & Charles his land at Wanskuck.

To son John his salt meadow at Pungansett.

Early Records, Vol. XI, p. 137. Elected constable June 6, 1709.

He deeded to brother-in-law Thomas Mathewson for good-will, &c., 4 acres (confirmed by Thomas Field, father of said William), 1708, Freeman, 1727, March 13, he, of the one part, deeded Nicholas, Richard and Henry Harris, of the other part, for purpose of establishing boundary line, they all choosing Capt. Wm. Potter, to make partition between them "of a certain piece of land, being that which was the front of that which was the homestead of our honoured grandfather, Thomas Harris, deceased."

Will of William Field.—Providence Probate Docket, Vol. I. No. A327. Will Book No. 3, page 137.

I William ffeild of the Towne of Prouidence in the Colony of Rhoad Jsland and Prouidence plantations Jn New England: yeoman, Being now sick and weake of Body: but of sound dissposeing mind and memory Praise be Given to God for the same; Doe make this my Last Will and Testament; Jn manner and forme following; first and Prinsipally I Commit my spirit to Almighty God my Creator: and my body I Commit to the Earth: to be decently buried att the discression of my Executrix: herein After named: and as to the outward and worldly Esstate the Lord hath Lent mee in this present world I Give and bequeath as followeth:

Jmprimis as to my homestead whereon I now dwell: I Give and bequeath in the following manner and forme—I Giue to my daughter Martha Browne one small Lott of Land adjoyneing on the East side of the Towne streets in said Prouidence and on the south side of James Browne Junrs houslot whereon he Liueth: Containing of fifty foot in breadth: north and south bounding on the west end with the said Town streete and from thence to Extend Eastward Eighty foot bounding on the north side with the said James Brownes Land and to hold the full breadth of fifty

foot at Each end and so the whole Length: the said Lott of Land to be and Remains to my said Daughter Martha Browne her heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns: with the preuiledges and appurtinanses theireunto belonging for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my son Joseph ffeild: one Lott of Land fifty foot in Breadth north and south bounding on the west End with the said Towne streete and from thence to Extend Eastward holding the same breadth Eighty foot: bounding on the north side with the Land I haue Given to my Daughter Martha Browne: To Haue and To Hold the said Lott of Land unto him my said son Joseph ffeild and to his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns with the previledges and Appurtinanses for Euer.

Jtem I Give and bequeath to my son Nathan ffeild: one small Lott of Land adjoyneing on the west side of the said Town streete of fitty foot in breadth north and south bounding on the west End with the said streete; and from thence to Extend Eastward holdeing the same breadth of fifty foot: vntill Jt Comes Eighty foot Eastward from said Townn sreete: and to be taken in that place where on: Doctr Henry sweeteing hath built a house: To Have and To Hold the said Lott of Land unto him my said son Nathan ffeild his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses thereunto belonging for Euer.

Jtem I Give and bequeath to my daughter Mary ffeild one small Lott of Land adjoyneing on the East side of the Town streete bounding on the south side with the Land belonging to the Heirs of Major William Crawford: and from thence to Extend fifty foot northward bounding on the East side of said streete: and from thence to Extend Eastward Eighty foot holding the full breadth of fifty foot: To Haue and To Hold the said small Lott of Land unto her my said Daughter mary ffeild her Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns with the Preuiledges and Appurtinanses for Euer.

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my two sons William ffeild and Thomas ffeild all the Remaining part of my homestead Land whereon my Dwelling house standeth in said Prouidence to be equally deuided betwixt them my said two sons William and Thomas: and to be and Remaine unto them theire Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns To Have and To Hold with all the buildings and Appurtinanses thereunto belonging foreuer: But my will is and I doe hereby Order that my loueing wife Mary ffeild shall haue the whole management use and profet of my said homestead and buildings thereon untill my said two sons shall attaine and Come to the age of twenty one years: for her to Jmproue prouided shee Remaines a Widow for the support and nurture of herself and famoly but in Case shee shall marry before my said sons shall attaine to that age: then my will is that shee shall be quitt of all my said homestead Lands and preuiledges: and that there shall be Gardians Chosen to my Children who shall haue power to Rent and Jmproue my said homestead Lands and buildings thereon for the use and profet of my famely untill my said sons William and Thomas shall attaine to the age of twenty one years: At which age Each ot them shall Jnherit his part

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my son Nathan ffeild all that my Lott of Land att the place Called snailes hill in said Prouidence neck: To Haue and To Hold the said Lott of Land unto him my said son Nathan his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses theireunto belonging for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my son Joseph ffeild all my Lands and farms att the place Called the new ffeilds: and in the place Called the neck in Prouidence aboue said: To Haue and To Hold the said Land unto him my said son Joseph ffeild his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses thereunto belonging for Euer. But my will is that my wife shall

haue full Power and Command of these two Last Percells of Land as of the other part afore mentioned Jf shee Remaine a widdow: and in Case shee marry then to be managed as is prouided in the other part by Gardians untill my said sons shall attaine to the age of twenty one years: being Giuen under the same tennure as the other is: or: so: Jntended

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my two sons John ffeild and Charles ffeild all that my part of the two Lotts of Land that was Giuen mee by my honrd Mother Martha ffeild, deceased, which are sctuate Lieing and being in said Prouidence Town adjoyneing on the south side of the Land belonging to the Heirs of Major William Crawford, deceased, to be Equally deuided betwixt them my said two sons John and Charles: and to be and Remaine unto them theire Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns To Haue and To Hold with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath unto my son John ffeild my half Lott of Land within that tract of Land Called the stated Common in said Prouidence to be and Remaine unto him his Heirs and Assigns for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath unto my son Charles ffeild my Half small house Lott which was Layed out in the Last deuision of house Lotts in the Land Called Dextors Lane: to be and Remaine unto him my said son Charles his heirs and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses foreuer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath unto my said two sons John ffeild and Charles ffeild all my Lands att the place Caled Wenschcutt in Prouidence abouesaid to be Equally Deuided betwixt them and to be and Remaine unto them my said two sons John and Charles theire Heirs and Assigns for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath unto my son John ffeild all my salt meadow and Right in the Thatch Coue at the place Called Punganset in Prouidence abouesaid—to be and Remaine unto him his heirs and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath to my son Charles ffeild all my right in the Thatch beds Lieing up in the Riuer Called Wonasquotuckett Riuer in Prouidence aforesaid to be and Remaine unto him his Heirs and Assigns with the preuiledges and Appurtinanses for Euer

And my will is and I do hereby order that the Lott of Land I haue Giuen to my daughter Martha Browne shall be to her son my Grandson Gidian Browne when he shall attaine to the age of twenty one years: and to his Heirs and Assigns foreuer: and Jn case he shal dye before he shall attaine to that age then the said Lott shall be and Remaine to his Eldest brother that shall attaine to the said age of twenty one years: and to be and Remaine to his Heirs and Assigns for Euer. And my will further is that Jn case my Loueing wife shall Remaine a widdow and bare my name: then shee shall haue the East end of my dwelling house Called the parler and a preuiledg in the seller under said house and Preuiledg in the yard and Liberty of freiut in my orchard for her Nessesary use and to pass and Repass ouer and upon my Land· as shee shall see cause dureing the term of her Natural Life; but Jn case shee shall marry then to haue thirte pounds out of my moueable Esstate: and so to be quitt: And in Case shee doth Remaine a widdow then my two sons Nathan ffeild and Joseph ffeild shall find and prouide firewood for there mother my said wife and Carry it home to her doore dureing all the term of her Life and my other two sons as namely William ffeild and Thomas ffeild shall find and prouide sufficiant meate drink Cloathing and all other things nessesary with sufficiant attendance both in sickness and helth for theire mother my said wife dureing the term of her natural Life

Jtem my will is that Jn case Either or any of my said sons shall dye before they

attaine to the age of twenty-one years then there parts that shall so decease, shall be deuided amongst his or theire suruiueing brothers: and to be and Remaine to theire heirs and Assigns for Euer

Jtem I Giue and bequeath unto my Loueing wife Mary ffeild all my household stuff of all sorts: and for her to Giue a portion thereof to my daughter Mary ffeild as shee shall see cause: and as to all the Rest of my moueable Esstate after all my Just debts funeral Charges and other Expenses are duely paid and my Children brought up: what then after Remaines I Giue Equally to be deuided amongst all my sons: And I doe name ordaine Appoynt and make my Loueing wife Mary ffeild sole Executrix to this my Last will and testament to Receive and pay all my Just debts unto whose Care I Commit the bringing up and tuision of my small Children. —Jn witness whereof I doe hereunto sett my hand and seale this sixteenth day of October in the yeare of our Lord one thousand seauen hundred and twenty nine.

Signed sealled pronounced and declared in the presence of us	Memorandum before signeing and sealeing: I Giue to my daughter Martha Browne: ten sheepe	
Jabez Bowen		
William Potter		
Richard Waterman Junr		William field LS.

Proved December 1st, 1729.

He d. Nov. 5, 1729; res. Providence, R. I.

409. i. MARTHA, b. in Providence, 1710; m. Jan. 7, 1727, Joseph Brown. Joseph Brown was son of Rev. James and Mary (Harris) (John, Chad); b. May 5, 1701; d. May 8, 1778, in North Providence; she d. April 19, 1736, aged 26. He m., 2d, Abigail Waterman, b. 1711; d. May 23, 1784, aged 73. Joseph lived in North Providence on what is now Chalkstone avenue, on the north side of the road. The old homestead is still standing and is a little to the east of the present Obadiah Brown farm. It is a large white house with a substantial chimney in the center. Joseph Brown made his will April 15, 1772; it was proved in North Providence, June 6, 1778, and is recorded in Book A, p. 175-6, at the Pawtucket city hall. He and his two wives are buried at North End in the same lot with Rev. Chad Brown. Ch. of Joseph and Martha (Field) Brown: 1. Gideon, b. 1728; d. 1807 in Johnston, R. I.; m., 1st, Ruth Rutinburg; 2d, Sarah Place. 2. William, b. about 1780. 3. Martha, b. about 1732. 4. John, b. April 6, 1734; d. 1815 in Johnston, R. I.; m. Sarah Harris. 5. Anne, b. Jan. 4, 1736. Ch. of Joseph and Abigail Brown. 6. Joseph, b. 1739. 7. Elisha, b. April 1, 1748. 8. Andrew, b. 1750. "The Chad Browne Memorial," published in 1888, takes up the descendants of Joseph Brown by his second wife, and gives little information of Martha Field's posterity. Clarence I. Brown, of Thornton, R. I., is compiling an account of the Brown family of Johnston, R. I., particularly the descendants of Martha Field.

410. ii. JOSEPH, b. about 1720; m. Sarah Harding.

411. iii. NATHAN, b. ——; probably d. unm. June 20, 1743, or Sept. 28, 1747, intestate. Not of age in 1729, Oct. 16, when his father's will is dated. B. 12, 152. Charles Field sells Sept. 28, 1747, to Stephen Hopkins, land belonging to his brother Nathan, supposed dead.

412. iv. MARY, b. ——; m. Caleb Arnold, of Warwick.

413. v. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Jemima ——.

414. vi. THOMAS, b. about 1708; m. Margaret ——.
415. vii. JOHN, b. 1712; m. Deborah ——.
416. ix. CHARLES, b. Feb. 6, 1714; m. Waite Dexter.

250. JOHN FEILD (Jeremiah, Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William), b. Chellow, in Heaton, England; m. ——, Grace (Rhodes) Hodgson, dau. of Timothy Rhodes, of Heaton, and relict of Thomas Hodgson, of Little Horton. She was buried at Bradford, Dec. 5, 1702; m., 2d, in Bradford, May 27, 1708, Susan Binns, of Allerton; baptized April 17, 1687; she was a widow in 1749. John, after the death of his first wife, Grace, m. May 27, 1708, Susan, dau. of John Binns, of Allerton, at Bradford, where this lady was baptized April 17, 1687. She was living, a widow, in 1749. John Feild had by his second wife Susan, a dau., Mercy, baptized at Bradford, Sept. 9, 1708, who d. young, buried Nov. 30, 1716. Jeremiah, baptized Feb. 10, 1709-10, buried at Bradford, Sept. 2, 1718; and Jonathan, baptized March 4, 1714, buried March 21, 1715, at Bradford. He was buried Jan. 18, 1731; res. Bradford, England.

417. i. JOHN, b. 1701; m. Mary Eamondson.
418. ii. JUDITH, eldest dau., m. to Henry Atkinson, of Bradford, marriage settlement dated Dec. 29, 1733; living 1751.
419. iii. GRACE, baptized at Bradford, Sept. 19, 1708.
420. iv. MERCY, d. young, buried Feb. 24, 1720.
421. v. JOSEPH, d. young; buried Nov. 30, 1716.
422. vi. JEREMIAH, baptized Feb. 10, 1709; buried at Bradford, Sept. 2, 1718.
423. vii. JONATHAN, baptized March 4, 1714; buried at Bradford, March 21, 1715.

256. SAMUEL FEILD (William, William, Edward, Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. London, England, ——; m. ——, ——. He d. before 1657; res. London, England.

424. i. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Elizabeth ——.
425. ii. MARY, b. ——; m. Oliver Boteler, of Harold, County Bedford.

260. ROBERT FIELD (Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Newtown, L. I., May 12, 1698; m. ——, Elizabeth Hicks. Robert Field, of Newtown, eldest son, named in the wills of his father, uncle Robert and aunt Phœbe. His own dated August 10, 1765. Elizabeth Hicks, his wife, named in her husband's will, and also in that of his uncle Robert Field, Dec. 10, 1734. He d. Dec. 19, 1767; res. Newtown, L. I.

426. i. ELNATHAN, b. ——; m. Mary Willet.
427. ii. ROBERT, b. ——; named in his father's will and in that of his great aunt, Phœbe Field.
428. iii. BENJAMIN, b. ——; named in his father's will; removed to Middletown, N. J.
429. iv. JACOB, b. ——; named in his father's will; was assessor April 5, 1796; overseer of the poor, 1835 to 1842. He m. Charity Whitehead, dau. of Thomas. Ch.: 1. Mary; m. Samuel Blackwell. 2. Elizabeth. 3. Henry. 4. Jacob. The father d. April 26, 1815, aged 82.
430. v. STEPHEN, b. ——; named in his father's will; m. Helena Whitehead, dau. of Thomas. Ch.: 1. Frances. 2. Deborah Smith, m. —— Van Dorn. 3. Sarah, m. Thomas Keeler. 4. Waters. 5. Hannah, m. Jacob Field. 6. Richard. 7. Stephen, b. Oct. 1, 1774; m. Sarah Blackwell. He d. April 15, 1828. Ch.: a. Abigail

Helen, b. ——; m. Cornelius Layster. b. Sarah Maria. c. Robert M., of New York city. d. Stephen. e. Cornelia.

431. vi. ABIGAIL, b. ——; m. Samuel Moore. Samuel Moore named in will of Robert Field, Aug. 10, 1765. Abigail Field, named in her father's will.

432. vii. DEBORAH, b. ——; m. Daniel Betts and Walter Smith. Walter Smith named in will of Robert Field, Aug. 10, 1765. Deborah Field, named in her father's will.

433. viii. THOMAS, b.——.

434. ix. WHITEHEAD, b. ——; m. and had sons, Daniel and Austin.

267. ROBERT FIELD (Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Jan. 6, 1694, Flushing, L. I.; m. in 1721-22, Mary Taylor, dau. of Samuel and Susannah, b. March 31, 1700. In Book L of Deeds in the office of the Secretary of State of New Jersey at Trenton, page 93, is recorded a deed, Dec. 18, 1721, in which Nathan Allen, of Monmouth county, gentleman, conveys to Robert Field, of the county of Burlington, cooper, for the consideration of £800, one certain plantation lying and being in the county of Burlington, etc., beginning at a chestnut tree by river Delaware, thence N. 52 degrees, E 23½ chains to a small black oak, thence E. 23, chains to a large white oak in the line of John Albertino, deceased, yeoman, thence south 29 degrees 13½ chains to a small black oak, down the road to Black's bridge, thence down the creek to an ash tree, thence N. W. till it intersects Anthony Woodward's line, thence E. 27 chains to the head line of Robert Murfin, thence W. S. W. 19 chains in ye sd line, thence N. 10 chains, thence W. 15 chains to the corner of William Black's lands, thence N. 28 chains to a small black oak, thence N. W. to the river Delaware, thence down the several courses thereof to the place of beginning, containing 500 acres more or less. This tract contains the site of White Hill and the village of Fieldsboro. Res. White Hill, Burlington county, N. J.

435. i. ROBERT, b. May 9, 1723; m. Mary Peale.

436. ii. SUSANNAH, b. Feb. 27, 1730.

437. iii. SAMUEL, b. Feb. —, 1736.

438. iv. TWO other children.

268. AMBROSE FIELD (Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Willam, John, John, William), b. Newtown, L. I.; m. 1705, Susanna Decow. In 1705, "Amoras," or Ambrose Field, son of Benjamin, was married to Susanna Decow. Their marriage certificate having eighty names appended thereto. Res. Newtown, L. I.

439. i. SUSANNA, mentioned in the will of her uncle Robert.

440. ii. BENJAMIN, b. ——; m. Mary Barton.

271. JOHN FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Flushing, L. I., Jan. 13, 1694; m. there Jan. 12, 1720, Elizabeth Woolsey, dau. of John, b. June 24, 1769. He d. March 23, 1773; res. Flushing, L. I.

441. i. HANNAH, b. ——, named in Flushing record and d. there March 20, 1773.

272. SAMUEL FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. at Peach Pond, Flushing, L. I., Oct. 10, 1696; m. March 7, 1718, Mary Palmer, dau. of William, granddaughter of Samuel; she d. Aug. 5, 1775. He was born in Flushing, L. I., where he resided and where he was married. Some time after his marriage, about 1732, he moved to the Oblong, locating on Dingle Ridge, now in South East, Putnam county, N. Y., where his last child, Jane, was born. She was the first white child born on the Oblong. Samuel be-

came a prosperous farmer, a well known and highly respected citizen, and whose well preserved house is still standing. He was a Quaker and belonged to the Society of Friends.

Another account says: Samuel appeared on Dingle Ridge on the Oblong before 1733 with sons, William, John and Stephen, and daughters, Elizabeth and Anna. He settled on a square one mile north and south and seven-eighths of a mile east and west, on the south side of the town of South East, Dutchess county, N. Y., since set off as a part of Putnam county. He was probably the first settler on the Oblong in South East. His daughter Jane, born Aug. 18, 1733, was the first white child born on the Oblong. Samuel's will recorded in the Surrogate's office, Poughkeepsie, is a unique document. He was a prominent citizen of South East; was supervisor 1754-56; was a prominent member of the Society of Friends, as were his children. He and many of his descendants were buried in the Friends' burying ground at Peach Pond, where, unfortunately for us, no records were kept and no inscriptions on the stones.

He d. Sept. 10, 1783; res. Flushing, L. I.

442. i. WILLIAM, b. April 15, 1721; m. Deborah Boyd and Hannah Van Wyck.

443. ii. JOHN VAN WYCK, b. March 13, 1729; m. —— —— and Charity Coles.

444. iii. STEPHEN, b. Nov. 10, 1730; m. March 17, 1757, Molly Hunt, and d. s. p.

445. iv. HANNAH, b. June 11, 1719.

446. v. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 4, 1724; m. Elias Palmer.

447. vi. ANN, b. Dec. 25, 1726; m. Nov. 12, 1747, David Palmer; she d. July 12, 1794. He was son of Obadiah and Anne of Mamaroneck, N. Y., Westchester county. David and Anne (Field) Palmer had ch., p. 194, Ob. Q. Rec.: 1. Elizabeth, b. June 14, 1748. 2. John, b. Oct. 23, 1750. 3. Stephen, b. Dec. 23, 1752. 4. Silvanus, b. Jan. 18, 1755. 5. Jesse, b. Jan. 5, 1757. 6. David, b. Dec. 9, 1759.

448. vii. JANE, b. Aug. 18, 1733; m. Dec. 1, 1757, Samuel Coe; she d. Jan. 17, 1808. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. Sept. 15, 1758; m. Eleazer Ryder, b. South East, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1764, son of John and Sarah Ryder. Eleazer occupied a house which stood on the corner of the highway from Brewster, N. Y., to Danbury, Conn. The spot is marked by a huge rock which formed one side of the dwelling. Three of his children were born there. On May 5, 1794, he purchased 130 acres, a portion of the present Ryder farm on the westerly side of Peach Lake, where he built the houses that form the present residence and to which he removed. He was an energetic and industrious farmer, weaver, merchant and marketman. It is said that he often obtained the money to pay for his hired help on the farm by working with his loom at night. He kept a country store on his premises and further supplied his own and his neighbors' wants by driving a market wagon thrice a week to Sing Sing, transporting the surplus products of the community to the Hudson river, the avenue of trade with New York, and returning with the manufactures that that locality produced. He was a Whig, and all his descendants became Republicans. He d. May 25, 1840, and his wife passed away June 3, 1840. Ch.: 1. Sarah; m. Benjamin Raymond. A descendant is Mrs. Theodorus B. Nash, of South Norwalk, Conn. 2. Samuel; m. Rozanna Field, dau. of

Stephen and Betsey (Brown). 3. Col. Stephen; m. Betsy Nichols. 4. Polly, b. May 11, 1796; d. unm. June 11, 1831. 5. Elizabeth, d. unm. 6. John, d. unm. 7. Athalanah; m. Solomon Crane.

449. viii. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 3, 1740; d. Jan. 1, 1759.

273. ANTHONY FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. at Peach Pond, Flushing, L. I., July 25, 1698; m. Aug. 13, 1730, Hannah Burling. Anthony Field, of Harrison's Purchase, Westchester county, N. Y., named in Flushing Record, b. there; will dated April 21, 1773. His wife Hannah, dau. of William Burling, of Flushing, m. there; co-executrix of her husband's will. Anthony Field, son of Benjamin and Hannah, who was born in 1698, and married Hannah Burling, removed to Harrison, sometimes called "Harrison's Purchase" and sometimes "Purchase," in 1725.

This tract was bought from the Indians by John Harrison, of Flushing, to whom it was conveyed by a deed of Pathungo, sachem, or chief of the tribe, residing there, dated Jan. 24, 1695. It is in the county of Westchester, and about thirty miles from New York. Originally it formed part of Rye, but was separated from it after the Indian deed referred to, and successfully resisted the claims of ownership made by this town. Bolton, the historian of Westchester, says: "Nearly all the settlers of this purchase came from Flushing and other towns on Long Island." And again: "This seems to have been a favorite settlement of the Friends. They were shamefully persecuted in Connecticut and Massachusetts; from there driven to Long Island. Even there they could find no rest, for the governor of New York issued an order forbidding them to worship, even in a barn. So they crossed by means of the ferry to Rye and settled principally in Harrison." Anthony Field gave the ground for the first Friends meeting house erected here in 1727, which land adjoined his estate. His will was dated, "this twenty-first day of the fourth month (called April), 1773." After providing for his wife Hannah, he directs his land to be sold "that lies on the North side of the road that leads from King street to White Plains"; and out of the proceeds certain sums to be paid to his sons Thomas, Samuel, Anthony and John, "which will make them equal with what my son Benjamin hath already had, which is eighty pounds"; also forty pounds to son William and the same sum to daughter Sarah out of the said proceeds, and the remainder of same to be equally divided between his children, Thomas, William and Sarah. "When my widdow pleases to sell the farm, where I now live on the East side of the road that leads from the Purchase meeting house to Rye," eighty pounds is to be paid "to my son Moses Field," the remainder to be divided equally between his —the testator's—"widdow" and his children, except Anthony, who has had his full share. His land in Hampshire (i. e., New Hampshire) is to be equally divided between his sons William and Moses. "My beloved wife Hannah Field and my sons Benjamin and John Field to be executors." His death is entered as follows in the Friends' register of Harrison: "Anthony Field died 9th mo. 2nd 1777," and he was interred in the burial ground of the meeting house there.

Hannah Burling, dau. of William and Rebecca Burling, of Flushing, was b. Oct. 16, 1713, and m. there to Anthony Field, June 13, 1730, at which time she had not completed her seventeenth year. Her father, William, third child of Edward and Grace Burling, was b. in England Oct. 26, 1678. This Edward arrived in America shortly after, as appears by an entry of the births of his seven children in the Flushing register of the Friends, where it is stated that three were born in England and four in America. This enables us to fix the date of his emigration at from 1678 to 1681 inclusive, as his fourth child was born in the last named year, and was three years younger than the third. Rebecca Burling, the mother of Hannah Field, d. Feb. 2, 1729. The author does not know her maiden name, but would mention

two circumstances which may be of some help in ascertaining it. Her husband William, in his will, which is recorded at the Surrogate's office, New York, gives to "my daughter Hannah Field," besides a bequest of money, "a chest which was her mother's marked R. S.," and to Sarah Bloodgood, another daughter by his wife Rebecca, "a silver porringer which was their mother's, marked E. S. M." William Burling m. a second wife, Mary, who survived him, and is mentioned in his will. He d., according to the Friends' register of Flushing, Aug. 10, 1743. (The last figure is indistinct.) The following is the entry of his widow's death: "Mary Burling, widow of William Burling, dyed 25th day, 8th mo., 1747." Her will, also at New York, was dated Sept. 4, 1746. This family gave the name to "Burling Slip," New York, having obtained a grant of land in the vicinity in 1737. Watson says, in his "Annals of New York": "Burling Slip was so called after a respectable family of that name, living at the corner of Smith's Vly (now Pearl street), and Golden Hill." Probably the family referred to was that of Edward Burling, eldest brother of William, whose will, dated Feb. 14, 1744, describes him as "merchant of New York."

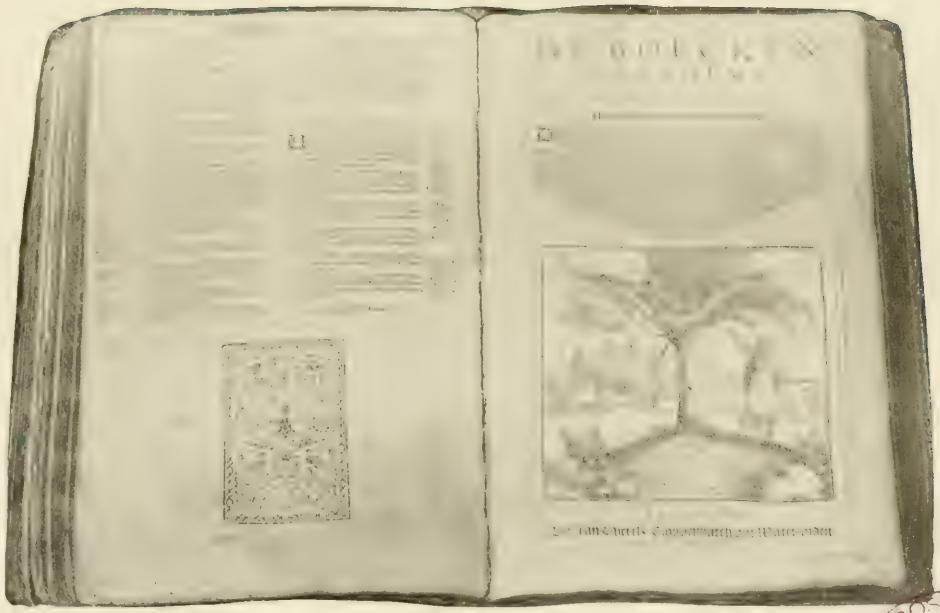
He d. Sept. 2, 1778; res. Harrison's Purchase, Westchester county, N. Y.

450. i. THOMAS, b. ——; d. s. p.
451. ii. BENJAMIN, b. 1732; m. Jerusha Sutton.
452. iii. JOHN, b. 1731; m. Lydia Hazard.
453. iv. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Mary Hatfield.
454. v. MOSES, b. ——; d. in infancy.
455. vi. ANTHONY, b. about 1734; m. Mary French.
456. vii. SAMUEL, b. ——; m. Abigail Haight.
457. viii. SARAH, b. ——; m. Joseph Waters.
458. ix. MARY, b. ——; d. in infancy.

274. JOSEPH FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., June 12, 1702; m. Molly Denton. He went to Dingle in 1740, and was known there as "The Old Standard." Samuel's brother Joseph m. Mary, dau. of Solomon and Athalana (Clay) Denton, and settled seven or eight years later on the next square south of Samuel, in North Salem, Westchester county. His children were, Solomon, Nehemiah, Joseph, Gilbert, Nancy, Comfort, Elnathan, Mary, Hannah and Rebecca. Those of his children who married settled in the same neighborhood. I suppose his will, if he made one, is recorded at White Plains, Westchester county. He may not have made a will, as he was blind in his old age. He d. in 1793; res. Flushing, L. I., and Dingle, N. Y.

459. i. SOLOMON, b. 1738; m. Betty Vail.
460. ii. NEHEMIAH, b. ——; d. unm.
461. iii. JOSEPH, b. ——; d. unm.; he was an officer in the Revolutionary war.
462. iv. GILBERT, b.. ——; m. Hepsibeth Ryder.
463. v. NANCY, b. ——; m. Joseph Bailey.
464. vi. COMFORT, b. ——; d. unm.
465. vii. ELNATHAN, b. ——; m. Jane Palmer.
466. viii. MARY, b. ——; m. David Waring.
467. ix. HANNAH, b. ——; d. unm.
468. x. REBECCA, b. ——; m. Oct. 8, 1797, David Palmer, son of David and Anne (Field), b. Dec. 8, 1759; d. Nov. 27, 1845.

275. ROBERT FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., Sept. 7, 1707; m. Nov. 12, 1729, Re-



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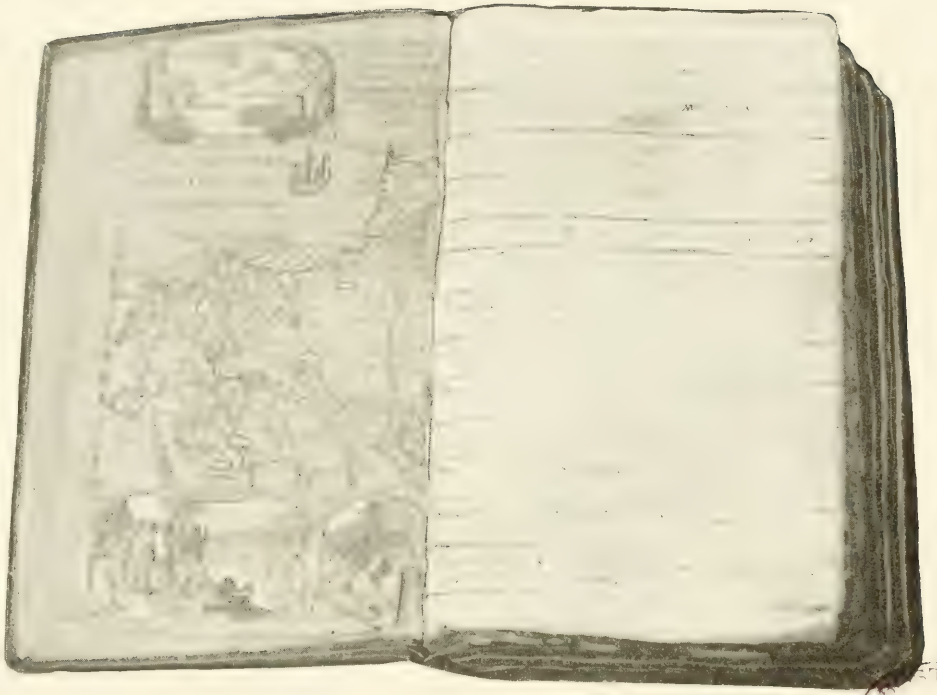

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becca Burling, dau. of William; d. Feb. 2, 1736; m., 2d, Abigail Sutton, dau. of Joseph. The wife of Robert Field was Rebecca, dau. of Ebenezer Burling, of Long Island. Their dau. Sarah Burling m. Isaac Underhill. For a second wife Robert Field m. Abigail Sutton, dau. of Joseph and Mary Sutton. He d. Feb. 2, 1737; res. Flushing, L. I.

469. i. SARAH, b. ——; m. Aug. 18, 1756, Isaac Underhill at Harrison's Purchase.

470. ii. URIAH, b. ——; m. Mary Quimby.

471. iii. JERUSHA, b. ——; m. Oct. 15, 1760, Stephen Field, son of Nathan. She d. about 1792. Ch.: 1. Jesse Field. 2. Oliver Field. 3. David Field. 4. Phebe Field; m. —— Haviland. 5. Elizabeth Field; m. probably —— Carpenter.

278. JUDGE JEREMIAH FIELD (John, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. May 17, 1689; m. Feb. 19, 1712, Mrs. Marytje Van Vieghton*, b. Oct. 8, 1687, widow of Albert Teneicke. She d. Aug. 28, 1742. Marytje Van Vechten, wife of Jeremiah Field, was dau. of Michiel Van Vechten, the first son of Dirck Tennise†, and Jarmetje Vrelant. Michiel (above) was b. at Greenbush, opposite Albany, N. Y., Nov. 28, 1663, and m., 1st, Marytje Parker, Nov. 21, 1686; she d. July, 1690. Tennis Dirckse Van Vechten came to the New Netherlands in the ship Arms of Norway, 1638, with wife and child and two servants. He came from Vechten, Holland. Jeremiah Field came with his father John Field to New Jersey in 1695; was commissioned a lieutenant of Col. Thos. Farmer's Company in Piscataway, Middlesex county, N. J., Sept. 28, 1713. In 1741 he was judge of the Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions of the Peace, p. 496, History of Union and Somerset Counties. He m. ——. All the sons of Jeremiah Field are buried in the family cemetery on the John D. Field place, excepting Michael, who is buried in the churchyard of the Presbyterian church in Bound Brook.

At the Lenox Library in New York there may be seen an old Dutch Bible printed in Amsterdam in the year 1603, which, notwithstanding its great age, is in a very good state of preservation, except that the title pages to both the Old and New Testaments are missing. This Bible bears dates of family history as far back as 1634. These records are in Dutch, and refer to the Van Vechten family, in whose possession the book undoubtedly was for many years. It is probable that it came into use as the Field family Bible at the time of the marriage of Marytje Van Vechten, dau. of Michael Van Vechten, to Jeremiah Field. After the record of the births of Jeremiah Field and of Mary Van Vechten and prior to the record of their marriage, there are recorded the births of two children of Mary by her first husband, Albert Teneicke; then follows the record of the births of the Field children. In 1817 this old Bible was presented to the American Bible Society, in whose custody it has been ever since. The two cuts here shown are reproductions from photographs recently taken by Mr. John S. Bussing, one of the descendants of "Jeremiah Field and Mary his wife." They add much interest to the family record. The following shows more clearly the record of the Field family as to names and dates

*Richard I. Field had in his records which he obtained from his uncle Dennis that Jeremiah Field married Feb. 19, 1711, Mary Teneicke. Both of the names were familiar in the family. A silver bodkin found in the "Old House" is engraved with the initials "M. V. V." It is my opinion that Teneicke was either her middle name—Mary Teneicke Van Vieghton—or she was a widow when Jeremiah married her. This latter supposition I should give the preference, as she was two years older than Jeremiah. Then she was Mrs. Mary Van Vieghton Teneicke.—F. C. P. Her children by her first husband were: 1. Jane, b. Oct. 6, 1708. 2. Albert, b. April 11, 1711.

†Michiel settled in Somerset county, on Raritan river, 1685, and was the first Van Vechten in New Jersey. He was one of the associate judges of Somerset county, 1711.

than can be seen in the page of the miniature Bible herewith shown. "Jeremiah Field, the son of John Field and Margaret his wife, was born May 17, in the year 1689. Mary Van Vechten, the daughter of Michael Van Vechten and Mary his wife, was born October 8, 1687. Jeremiah Field and Mary Van Vechten (widow of Albert Teneicke), were married February 19, 1712-13. Jeremiah Field and Mary his wife had following children (see record in Bible in full). Jeremiah, b. Jan. 27, 1713-14; John, b. April 5, 1715; Michael, b. Aug. 24, 1716; Margaret, b. Oct. 2, 1717; Mary, b. Sept. 8, 1719; May, b. Oct. 19, 1720; Michael, b. Feb. 4, 1722-23; Benjamin, b. Feb. 19, 1724-25." On one of the pages some one had written "this is Jeremiah Field's book," and it is easily understood why he had a Dutch Bible. He married a Dutch young lady, and probably her parents gave her this book when she married Mr. Field. The Van Vechtens were a leading family at that time in that region. It was at the old brick house of the half-brother of Marytje (now standing) that Washington attended a reception in honor of Miss Schuyler. During the Revolution this homestead was the center of a bounteous hospitality. On one occasion General Washington danced for three hours with Mrs. Greene, wife of General Greene, without sitting down. Of course, this house had nothing to do with the Fields. It is interesting to note, however, that as soon as Jeremiah Field married into this circle he received a commission as lieutenant; he was probably much in this social and military life. He d. Nov. 10, 1746; res. Bound Brook, N. J.

472. i. JEREMIAH, b. Jan. 27, 1713; m. Phœbe ——. He m. and had one dau., b. Jan. 19, 1736. They resided on the Stephen Voorhees Place. Jeremiah, at the beginning of the troubles resulting in the Revolutionary war, we find acting in concert with the true men of the land. He served on township and county committees of correspondence, and in other ways operating with similar organizations in the colonies in the common cause of liberty. The history of this branch of the family since its identification with New Jersey is, as before, both in this country and in England, marked with true energetic manliness and good citizenship; always striving for the best interests of society, loving liberty with a determination to have it. Owner of large landed property situated along the banks of the Raritan, his attention was mostly given to the cultivation of the soil, at the same time advocating and executing measures tending to improve and benefit the community.

473. ii. JOHN, b. April 5, 1714; m. ———.

474. iii. MICHAEL, b. Aug. 24, 1716; d. in infancy.

475. iv. MARGARET, b. Oct. 2, 1717; m. ——, Van Deventer.

476. v. MARY, b. Sept. 8, 1719; d. in infancy.

477. vi. MARY, b. Oct. 19, 1720; m. George Rapleyea and Jacob Boice.

478. vii. MICHAEL, b. Feb. 4, 1723; m. two sisters named Williamson; no issue; res. on the "Mill Property," Bound Brook, N. J. Michael Field was owner of the flourishing mill near Bound Brook, and was particularly noted for his large-hearted generosity and penetrating foresight; his footsteps are yet seen, and the effects of his benevolence are still felt and enjoyed in the neighborhood where he lived. He gave largely in real estate and by will, in money, to the Presbyterian church at Bound Brook and for public benefit. At the outbreak of the Revolution (1775) the able and hardy of the generations, then living of the family, to a man, sided with the patriots of the colonies, serving on committees of safety, meeting

in the councils of the people, sacrificing time and their blood in the cause of liberty.

The Scotch and English multiplied in this vicinity, and by the year 1700 they were in sufficient numbers to warrant forming the "Presbyterian Congregation of Bound Brook," which before long became one of the most flourishing and important religious organizations in the colony. We have no record of where the first services were held—probably in one of the log dwellings that were distributed along the willow-fringed banks of the river. It was not until 1725 that the congregation erected its first edifice, a low one-story house which stood within the present church grounds, and was preserved until far in this century, the uses of its later years being that of a school house. Itinerant preachers served the needs of the people until 1741, when the Rev. James McCrea was appointed by the Presbytery as a supply, which service he continued until 1749. A second and more pretentious building was completed about the year 1760, the funds having been obtained from the proceeds of a public lottery.

Affixed to the walls of the present church edifice is a tablet showing the first settled minister of the congregation to have been the Rev. Israel Read. He was called to the pastorate in 1750, "in which he was faithful to his Divine Master to the death." In November, 1793, he was thrown from his carriage while riding near New Brunswick, receiving injuries of which three days later he died. Judging from the congregational records it would seem that members of the Field family have, from the founding of this religious society, been among its most active supporters and benefactors. A portion of the church grounds was conveyed by Benjamin and Jeremiah Field in the year 1749, and the large church Bible which bears a London imprint of 1772, has on its leaf, in the handwriting of the Rev. Mr. Read, the following. "Mr. Michael Field's book 1784 he Presents to the Reverend Mr. Read, being the Second Small Legacy made by him to the Church at Bound Brook. Pris-1-8-0." Michael Field d. Jan. 13, 1792; a copy of his will, in my possession, shows that he bequeathed one thousand pounds to the trustees of the congregation, the interest of which was to be applied "towards supporting the gospell in the Presbiterian Church at Bound Brook." He also left the sum of five hundred pounds for the support of a free school within the congregation. This was not the first one of the village. The Scotch Presbyterians held the school almost in equal estimation with the church; schoolmasters were brought from the old country and early established in the East Jersey settlements. In 1752, when Johannes visited Bound Brook, John Wacker taught the village children in a low one-story building within the present church grounds. Doubtless the colonial lads found that pedagogue's name to be appropriate to his calling, for schoolmasters of the olden time considered that mental perceptions were precipitated by knuckles and palms being well ridged by hard rulers. One of the first teachers in the free academy established by the bequest of Michael Field was Isaac Toucey, who afterwards was secretary of war under Buchanan's administration.

479. viii. BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 19, 1725; m. Margaret De Groot.
480. ix. RICHARD, b. Oct. 31, 1726; m. Elizabeth Smock.
481. x. SARAH, b. Oct. 15, 1728; m. John Pool; they had a son in the Revolution.
482. xi. HANNAH, b. Feb. 14, 1730; m. John Garrish; they had a son in the Revolution.
483. xii. TUNES, b. about 1732; m. March 28, 1764, Margaret Fisher.

282. NATHAN FIELD (Thomas, Benjamin, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., Sept. 30, 1703; m. Dec. 10, 1725, Elizabeth Jackson, dau. of James and Rebecca. Res. Flushing, L. I.

283. CALEB FIELD (Thomas, Benjamin, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., Nov. 5, 1705; m. there Anne Rodman. Caleb Field, son of Thomas and Hannah, m. Anne Rodman, who was probably a sister of his brother Joseph's wife. He d. before 1783; res. Flushing, L. I.

484. i. THOMAS, b. July 28, 1747.
485. ii. ELIZABETH, b. ——.
486. iii. MARY, b. ——; m. Nov. 8, 1787, Walter Farrington, son of John and Ann, of Flushing.
487. iv. ANNE, b. ——; m. Feb. 20, 1783, John Bowne, son of John and Dinah. "To the monthly meeting to be held at New York 5 d. 2 m. 1783 (Quaker meeting). Dear Friends: These may inform you that I am consenting to the marriage of my Daughter Anne to John Bowne. From your Friend, Anne Field. Flushing, 4th of the 2d month."
488. v. PHILIP, b.——.

289. JOSEPH FIELD (Thomas, Benjamin, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I., Feb. 29, 1722; m. June 16, 1750, Mary Rodman, dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth, b. 1729; she d. Aug. 23, 1751. Res. Flushing, L. I.

489. i. RODMAN, b. Aug. 2, 1751.

290. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, about 1681; m. there M. Rudd. He d. June, 1746. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

490. i. THOMAS, b. Nov. 26, 1703; m. M. Rudd.
491. ii. OTHER children.

291. JOHN FIELD (Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, Nov. 15, 1683; m. there Oct. 16, 1716, E. Waters. He d. Dec. 13, 1740; res. Cockernhoe, England.

492. i. JOHN, b. Jan. —, 1719; m. Anne Cromwell.
493. ii. THOMAS, b. Sept. 4, 1731; m. Feb. 5, 1763, Sibella Field.

292. NATHANIEL FIELD (Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, Nov. 9, 1685; m. Oct. 8, 1717, E. Southgate; d. June 4, 1755. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

494. i. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 31, 1719; d. Sept. 20, 1720.
495. ii. NATHANIEL, b. Dec. 8, 1720; d.——.
496. iii. THOMAS, b. Feb. 6, 1722; d. ——.
497. iv. ROBERT, b. March 28, 1726; d. Dec. 10, 1747.

498. v. HENRY, b. Aug. 31, 1727; d. April 10, 1728
499. vi. JUDITH, b. Jan. 4, 1730; d. Aug. 20, 1731.

293. ISAAC FIELD (Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, July 29, 1687; m. Jan. 28, 1713, M. Gartick; d. Sept. 18, 1729. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

500. i. ISAAC, b. Dec. 14, 1714; d. Feb. 7, 1730.
501. ii. MARY, b. Feb. 5, 1717; d. Feb. 14, 1723.
502. iii. BENJAMIN, b. June 21, 1721; m. Ann Undershell.

294. WILLIAM FIELD (Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, April 22, 1691; m. Dec. 22, 1722, E. Stackhouse; d. June 7, 1759. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

503. i. JOHN, b. June. 16, 1727; m. M. Robinson.
504. ii. WILLIAM, b. May 20, 1729; m. A. Bailey.

295. SAMUEL FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Jan. 12, 1704; m. Dec. 15, 1735, Bethiah Johnson, of Norwich, Conn.; d. April 13, 1776. He d. in 1783; res. East Guilford, Conn.

505. i. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 17, 1737; m. Submit Willard.
506. ii. JOHN, b. June 11, 1740; he was killed at Fort Ticonderoga; one account says October, 1759; another, Nov. 6, 1775.
507. iii. DANIEL, b. Nov. 11, 1742; m. Bethsheba ——.
508. iv. JOAREB, b. April 3, 1745; m. Hannah Crampton and Mrs. Anna. S. Batchley.
509 v. JOSHUA, b. Feb. 20, 1750; m. Mrs. Submit (Field) Collins.
510. vi. LUKE, b. Feb. 4, 1753; m. Patience Griswold.
510½. vii. JOHN, b. ——; d. young.

296. ENSIGN DAVID FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford (now Madison), Conn., Dec. 2, 1697; m. Jan. 13, 1720, Anna Bishop, dau. of John; b. Feb. 15, 1695; m., 2d, May 17, 1731, Catherine Bishop, dau. of Samuel, b. July 23, 1710; m., 3d, Feb. 20, 1742, Mrs. Abigail (Tyler) Strong, of Branford, Conn., b. 1705; d. Dec. 23, 1783; widow of Jedediah. He settled in the north part of Madison, probably as early as 1720, in a district which, as it was yet uncleared, was called "The Woods," where he soon after erected a frame house of two stories, that was literally founded on a rock, as it is standing to this day. The assembly of Connecticut in 1747 at the May session "do establish and confirm Mr. David Field to be Ensign of the 6th Company or train band in the 7th Regiment in this Colony and order that he be commissioned accordingly." He d. Feb. 6, 1770. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

511. i. SARAH, b. Dec. 12, 1722; m. Sept. 10, 1740, Nathaniel Crampton, of East Guilford.
512. ii. BENJAMIN, b. Nov. 20, 1736; d. Dec. —, 1745.
513. iii. DAVID, b. July 31, 1728; m. Anne Stone.
514. iv. ICHABOD, b. Jan. 8, 1731; d. March 30, 1751.
515. v. ANNA, b. Jan. 12, 1732; m. June 26, 1754, Ebenezer Bartlett, of East Guilford.
516. vi. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 20, 1734; m. Mary Dickinson.
517. vii. EBENEZER, b. April 18, 1736; m. Rachel Scranton.
518. viii. TIMOTHY, b. March 12, 1744; m. Anna Dudley.

519. ix. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 19, 1745; m. Neri Crampton. He settled first in Litchfield, Conn.; in 1774 removed to Tinmouth, Vt., where he died. He was in the battle of Ticonderoga, May 10, 1775. At the time Arnold claimed command of the expedition, the Green Mountain boys refused to go under any one but their chosen commander, Col. Ethan Allen. He was captured at the battle of Skeenesboro, in August, 1777 and paroled, notwithstanding was in the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777.

520. x. CATHERINE, b. Aug. 19, 1745; m. Ambrose Graves and d. Nov. 20, 1777.

521. xi. MINDWELL, b. Oct. 14, 1747; d. Sept. 5, 1763.

298. EBENEZER FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., about 1706; m. Oct. 30, 1728, Hannah Evarts, b. Oct. 30, 1710; d. Jan. 2, 1737; m., 2d, Oct. 16, 1737, Margaret Evarts, b. Aug. 22, 1711; d. May 28, 1748; m., 3d, Jan. 5, 1749, Deborah Hall, b. Oct. 27, 1704; d. April 6, 1753; m., 4th, Nov. 21, 1753, Hannah Mills, b. 1732; was daughter of Deacon Joseph Mills and Hannah Adams, his wife, of Simsbury, Conn. (For Mills, Adams, Phelps, Griswold ancestery of his wife see Stiles' "Ancient, Windsor, Conn.") Res. Norfolk, Conn.

522. i. EBENEZER, b. Oct. 13, 1729; d. May 13, 1734.

523. ii. HANNAH, b. March 23, 1733; m. Jan. 13, 1751, Samuel Teal, of East Guilford.

524. iii. EBENEZER, b. 1739; m. Anna Field.

525. iv. NATHANIEL, b. 1741; m. —— ——.

526. v. DEBORAH, b. 1755; m. I. Plumbly and Elijah Buttolph, of Canaan, Conn.

527. vi. BETHIAH, b. Oct. 9, 1756; m. John Bunn. John Bunn served under Col. Frederick Fisher in a New York regiment in the Revolution. (For sketch of John Bunn, see article in American Monthly Magazine, about three years ago, by Annette Fitch Brewer, of Sandusky, O. For his Revolutionary services see New York State Archives.) He was corporal in Captain McAllister's company, Third New York battalion. (See lineage of Alta D. W. Fitch in vol. viii., D. A. R. Lineage Book.) Ch.: 1. Hannah M. Bunn, b. in Norfolk, Conn., May 11, 1784; m. Rev. Jonathan David Winchester, Oct. 6, 1811. (See Stearn's "History of Ashburnham, Mass.") He was a Presbyterian minister of some celebrity; preached at Madrid and Waddington, N. Y., 1811-21; Brighton, N. Y., 1821-25, and in Ohio several years. He d. in Madison, O., Aug. 17, 1835. She m., 2d, May 2, 1842, Joseph B. Cowles, who d. in 1854. She d. at Staceyville, Iowa, Jan. 23, 1876. Ch. by Mr. Winchester: IX. PhilanderWinchester, b. Madrid, N. Y., Oct. 4, 1812; m. in 1838, Elizabeth Gilman Calkins, of Stowe, Vt., dau. of Rev. Charles Calkins, of Waterbury, Vt., and Lakewood, near Cleveland, O., and his wife, Marian Gilman, dau. of Nicholas and Elizabeth Gilman, of Exeter, N. H. (See Gilman Genealogy, p. 242.) They had nine children as follows: (a) Alta D. Winchester, b. Plainville, Lake county, O., Sept. 11, 1839; m. Oct. 27, 1863, Hon. Edward Hubbard Fitch, of Ashtabula, O. (See "One Thousand Years of Hubbard History, p. 454.) He was son of Hon. Oramel Hinckley Fitch, a relative of Rev. James Fitch and Maj. John Mason, of

John George Mostyn Field.

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HON. EDWARD H. FITCH.
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Norwich, Conn., 1660. (See Stiles' "Ancient Windsor.") Hon. Edward Hubbard Fitch, who was for years conspicuous in law, science and politics, was born at Ashtabula, O. His father, Hon. Oramel Hinckley Fitch, a lawyer and man of affairs, was born in Connecticut, and his ancestors were English. His mother, Catherine M. Hubbard, was a native of Trenton, New York State, whose parents formerly resided in Middletown, Conn., were likewise of English descent. At an early age Edward was sent to the grammar school at St. Catherine's, Canada, where he was prepared for college. In 1854 he entered Williams College and was graduated with honors in 1858, being one of the class orators. While at college he was the president of the Natural History Society. After receiving his degree of Bachelor of Arts he returned to Ashtabula and at once entered his father's office, where he began the study of law. He was admitted to the bar by the District Court of Cuyahoga county in September, 1860. The following year Williams College conferred upon him the degree of A. M. He commenced practice at once alone, but in a short time formed a copartnership with his father, which continued until Jan. 1, 1863, when his father retired from practice. He then formed a partnership with Judge Horace Wilder, afterwards a judge of the Supreme Court of Ohio, under the name of Wilder & Fitch. This continued until the December following, when Mr. Wilder was appointed to the Supreme Court bench. He then practiced alone until July, 1864, when he became a partner of Judge L. S. Sherman, who at this time is the oldest practitioner in this county. In 1868 this firm was dissolved, and he was again alone until 1878, when he formed a partnership with Hon. S. A. Northway, now Congressman from this district. In the fall of 1878 he removed to Jefferson, Ashtabula county, where he has continued to reside. Ten years later this partnership was dissolved, and he remained alone until Sept. 1, 1896, when he formed a copartnership with his son, Winchester Fitch, with offices at Jefferson and Ashtabula, the son being in charge of the Ashtabula office. In 1870 Mr. Fitch was, by Gov. R. B. Hayes, appointed delegate from the Nineteenth District to the National Capital Convention, at Cincinnati, and in the same year he was admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of the United States upon the motion of James A. Garfield, who had been his friend since college days. Mr. Fitch has for years enjoyed one of the largest law practices of the lawyers of north-eastern Ohio. He is a lawyer of great ability, and has the reputation of conducting a case with great skill. His arguments to the court are always clear, strong and to the point, omitting nothing essential to a complete statement and containing no surplusage. Before the jury he is both forcible and persuasive, evincing the art and power of the advocate. He has been most successful with his cases on error, and has won a large majority of the cases he has argued in the Supreme Court. His practice, while it has often been of necessity of a general character, has had much to do with the insurance and real estate law. Mr. Fitch is politically a Republican. His first vote was cast for Lincoln, and he has

always taken an active interest in state and national politics. An orator of force and influence he is much sought for public speaking. For twenty years he was recorder and a member of the Ashtabula council. In 1867 and 1868 he was prosecuting attorney for Ashtabula county. He was for fifteen years a justice of the peace and forty years a notary public. He was several years a member of the Republican State Central Committee. Mr. Fitch was appointed by Governor McKinley, in 1894, chairman of the Torrence Commission. He is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancment, of Science, a member of the American Bar Association, the Ohio Bar Association and of the Sons of the American Revolution. He was for a number of years chairman of the committee of judicial administration, and legal reform of the Ohio State Bar Association. In 1863 Mr. Fitch was married to Alta D. Winchester, a daughter of Philander Winchester, at one time editor of the Painesville Telegraph, a noted abolitionist, and one of the founders of the Republican party. Of this union there have been eight children, five of whom are living: Winchester, b. Nov. 21, 1867, now a member of the bar and partner of his father; Annette, b. Jan. 31, 1870, and m. Jan. 31, 1892, to Curtis Brewer, who is at present city engineer of Sandusky and connected with the Jarecki Chemical Company; Edward H., b. March 31, 1873, educated in the Western Reserve Academy at Hudson, Oberlin College and Cornell University; at the latter place, being a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, to which his father, brother and brother-in-law also belong, and of the university football team, receiving his degree of Bachelor of Laws in 1897; Alta, b. July 24, 1875, and Flora, b. Aug. 5, 1878. Mr. Fitch died at Conneaut, his summer residence, on Lake avenue, Thursday, Sept. 9, 1897, and was buried in Chestnut Grove Cemetery, Ashtabula. Ch.: 1. Catherine, b. February, 1865; d. young. 2. Winchester, b. Nov. 21, 1867; m. June 30, 1897, Florence Hopper, b. June 21, 1876. Res. 319 West Eightieth St., New York City. (See "The Bench and Bar of Ohio," Century Pub. Co., Chicago. See Biog His. N. E. Ohio, Lewis Pub. Co., Chicago.) Ch.: (a) Alta Jane, b. June 16, 1898. (b) Katherine Elizabeth, b. Oct. 19, 1899. Winchester Fitch is descended from a family of lawyers. His earlier English ancestors were connected with the profession, and he is the third generation of the family engaged in the practice of law in Ashtabula. With his inherited tendencies, studious habits and determination to master the principles of law it is fair to assume that he will maintain the reputation of the family. The son of Hon. Edward H. Fitch and Alta D. Winchester, he was born at Ashtabula, Nov. 21, 1867, and received his primary education in the schools of that city. After he had passed through the grammar school his parents removed to Jefferson, where he was graduated from the high school. At the age of fifteen he entered Cascadilla school, at Ithaca, N. Y., where he was prepared for college. In 1884 he entered Cornell University and was graduated in 1888 from the literary department of that institution. His favorite studies were history and languages. After graduation he went to Chi-

cago, and was for a time in the general offices of the C. B. & Q. R. R. He then became a reporter on the Inter-Ocean, and later was appointed the marine editor, and afterward the literary editor of the Chicago Evening Journal. For a short time prior to the Columbian Exposition he was a member of the real estate firm of Edwin Reed & Co. While in Chicago he read law and was a student of the Chicago College of Law, taking the night course. In 1893 he returned to Jefferson to complete his law studies in his father's office. In 1894 he was admitted to practice at Columbus by the Supreme Court. At this time he owned an interest in the Geneva Times, and edited the paper until 1895, when he came to Ashtabula. Since that time he has been associated with his father in the practice of law, under the firm name of Fitch & Fitch, with offices in Jefferson and Ashtabula. Mr. Fitch is a Republican, and has been a member of the county central committee, of the senatorial committee, and of the board of county school examiners. During the campaign of 1896 he was an assistant to Colonel Haskell, and Major Dick, at the Republican National headquarters, in Chicago. In that position he discharged the duties devolving upon him with much skill, and in a manner entirely satisfactory to them and the national committee. Mr. Fitch was married to Miss Florence Hopper, daughter of George H. Hopper, Esq., of New York, a member of the Standard Oil Co., at Elmwood, his country seat, at Unionville, Lake county, O. Mr. Fitch is a member of the Ohio State Bar Association, the Western Reserve Society, of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Cincinnati Society of Colonial Wars, the Rowfant Club of Cleveland, and the Twentieth Century Club of Chicago. 3. Annette, b. Jan. 21, 1870; m. Jan. 30, 1893, Curtis Brewer. Lives at Sloane House, Sandusky, O., son J. C. Brewer, b. Ashtabula, O., Aug. 15, 1899. 4. Elizabeth Gilman, b. 1872. 5. Edward Hubbard Fitch, Jr., b. March 31, 1873; graduated at Cornell University in 1897; L. L. B. Lansing, Mich., 1898-99. 6. Alta Denexa, b. July 25, 1875; m. at Ashtabula, O., May 23, 1898, Howard Lyman Ingersoll. Son Winchester Fitch Ingersoll, b. at Ashtabula, O., Feb. 5, 1899. Address, 45 W. 126th St., N. Y. 7. Flora Cornelia, b. Aug. 6, 1878. 8. Charles Gilman, b. November, 1884; d. young. b. Ellen Bowdiman, m. William O. Hipwell, of Chicago. He was assistant cashier Union National Bank. Res., s. p., Highland Park, Ill. He was born at Portarlington, Ireland, July 1, 1835; served apprenticeship to hardware business; in charge of Savings Bank, Portarlington, 1857 to 1864; emigrated to United States in 1864; entered Union National Bank, Chicago, December, 1864, as bookkeeper; appointed assistant cashier in 1881, and is now serving in that capacity. (c) Persis Annete, m. William Sage Ranney. One child, Fitch Winchester Ranney, b. February, 1865. Res. Euclid Ave. and Erie St., Cleveland, O. (d) Charles Jonathan m. Grace Baldwin Gilbert, of Columbus, O., at St. Louis, Mo. Lives at 61 West 49th St., New York. Ch.: i. Frederick

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Churchill; res., 108 Wall St., New York. ii. Anna Scott, m. John Putnam, of Highland Park, Lake county, Ill. (e) Col. Arthur H. Winchester, m. Ella Spaulding, of Cleveland, O.; res. Buckhannon, W. Va. Col. A. H. Winchester is commissioner of Forestery for the United States lumber exhibit at Paris Exposition. His son, Spaulding, was a victim of the Spanish war; died with fever at Philadelphia in 1898. Has son, Charles; dau. Lila, res. Latham, Cumberland, Md., Katherine and Ruth. (f) Mary Elizabeth Gilman, m. Henry C. Carver, of Chicago. Ch.: Jonathan Winchester, George, Robert Knowlton and Priscilla. Res. Highland Park, Ill. (g) Frances, m. Charles Spaulding, of Cleveland, O. One son, Ranney Winchester, Rogers Park, Ill.; m. Cecil Norton, of Chicago, Ill., 1899. (h) Elizabeth Gilman, b. July 24, 1853; m. Aug. 5, 1876, Hubbard F. Bannard, b. April 21, 1847. Ch.: i. Winchester, b. Jan. 2, 1880; d. July 21, 1880. ii. Annete, b. Feb. 28, 1881; d. March 11, 1881. Address Griffin Chemical Co., 904 Western Av., Seattle, Wash. (i) Phillip, m. Dora Dunnica, of St. Louis, Mo. Ch.: i. Phyllis. ii. Theodore. 2x. Dilectus, b. Jan. 17, 1814; d. Sept. 10, 1814. 3x. Darius, b. Sept. 19, 1815; d. Sept. 23, 1821. 4x. Electus, b. Nov. 15, 1817; unm., Res. Staceyville, Iowa. 5x. Mary D., b. March 20, 1822; d. Sept. 2, 1839. 6x. Melana, b. July 19, 1824; m. Sept. 14, 1861 Orran Orcutt. Res. Staceyville. Two daughters. 7x. Amandus O., b. June 25, 1827; m. June 6, 1855, Margaret Patton. Res. St. Joe, Mich. He d. Jan. 29, 1900, leaving one dau., Stella L. The deceased held a very high place in the community where he lived because of his moral worth, his worthy life and the strict integrity in which he held and performed every duty and obligation which devolved upon him. For four generations his ancestors had been ministers of the gospel, and from their strict and upright lives, typical of the religious teaching of their day, he had taken the rule and guide of his life. He was a handsome man; large and robust looking, and prior to his death his appearance was as of one who was in possession of perfect health and gave promise of many years of life and usefulness. But for years he had been a sufferer from heart trouble and the machinery which propelled the life current gave out in the midst of all this apparent vigor. The Winchester family is descended from Hon. John Winchester, of Brookline, Mass. (first representative from that town to the General Court of Massachusetts), from the Aspinwalls, Deacon Sealis, of Scituate; Lieut. Griffin Craft, of Roxbury, Mass., (see Craft Genealogy); Lieut. John Sharp, killed at Sudbury fight, 1676, and John White, of Watertown, (ancestor of President John Adams), (see Register, October, 1896). Rev. Jonathan Winchester was a near relative of President John Adams and the Boston Boylstons, of Rev. Elkanan Winchester, the distinguished Universalist preacher and patriot, friend of Franklin, Jay, etc., and who spoke to great audiences in England (see Appleton's Cyclopedia of American Biography), and grandfather of Lieut.-Gov. Oliver Fisher, of Winchester, Pres. New Haven, Co., known as the Winchester Arms Co., a millionaire and patron of Yale, to which institution he gave an

astronomical observatory. (See Appleton's Cyclopedia of American Biography.) Rev. Jonathan Winchester, second, was son of Henry, a Revolutionary soldier, and grandson of Rev. Jonathan Winchester, first. 2. Fannie Bunn, b. 1786, m. James Hill. 3. Sarah Bunn, b. ——; m. —— Coon. 4. Polly Bunn, died the week she was to have been married to Hiland Hall; later governor of Vermont. 5. James Bunn, b. 1794; lost at sea in 1814, enroute to England. 6. Catherine Bunn, b. 1796; m. —— McDonald.

528. vii. REUBEN, b. Jan. 9, 1762; m. Asenath Case.
529. viii. JOSEPH, b. May 19, 1764; d. March 3, 1767.
530. ix. MICHAEL, b. July 9, 1768; m. Abigail Calkins.
531. x. LUCINDA, b. Feb. 22, 1771; m. Salmon Warren.
531½. xi. POLLY, b. ——; m. Daniel Dean.

299. ZECHARIAH FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., about 1708; m. March 1, 1732, Prudence Graves, b. March 2, 1701; d. Nov. 24, 1737; m., 2d, Dec. 27, 1738, Anna Seward, of East Guilford, b. Oct. 6, 1716, dau. of Daniel and Mehitable (Boreman). After his death she m. —— Teal. He d. Feb. 19, 1752. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

532. i. PRUDENCE, b. Jan. 9, 1734; d. Oct. 8, 1736.
533. ii. ZECHARIAH, b. Oct. 22, 1739; d. Nov. 5, 1751, unm.
534. iii. PRUDENCE, b. April 2, 1742; m. Feb. 18, 1761, John Dudley, of Killingworth. She d. June 26, 1761.
535. iv. ANNA, b. Oct. 26, 1744; m. 1763, Ebenezer Field, of East Guilford and New Haven, Vt.
536. v. JONATHAN, b. Feb. 16, 1747; d. Oct. 8, 1751.
537. vi. SIMEON, b. Oct. 15, 1749; d. Oct. 5, 1751.
538. vii. SUBMIT, b. March 29, 1752; m., 1st, Nov. 23, 1768, John Thomas Collins; m., 2d, March 30, 1774, Joshua Field; m., 3d, Russell Dowd; m., 4th, —— Moore; d. 1846.

300. CAPTAIN JOAREB FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., March 2, 1711; m. April 2, 1733, Abigail Bradley; she m., 2d, John Camp, his fourth wife. She d. Dec. 27, 1769. He was a sea captain and d. at sea in 1747. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

539. i. ESTHER, b. Sept. 18, 1733; m. Jan. 1, 1756, Nathan Hall, of Guilford.
540. ii. AMBROSE, b. Feb. 7, 1736; m. Sarah Bates.

303. JOHN FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Oct. 4, 1700. He was one of the captives taken by the French and Indians at the destruction of Deerfield, Feb. 29, 1704, and carried to Canada, enduring great suffering. He was with his mother ransomed and returned to Deerfield the next year. He settled either in Stafford or Tolland, Conn. The following record is found in the town clerk's office in Tolland: "Anna, wife of John Field, was accidentally shot by a man of the name of Washburn, of Stafford." Also the date of birth of three children. He m. Anna ——. Res. Tolland, Conn.

541. i. ANNA, b. Feb. 6, 1732.
542. ii. ISAAC, b. Oct. 6, 1735.
543. iii. BENJAMIN, b. May 14, 1738.

305. DOCTOR PEDAJAH FIELD (John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Jan. 28, 1707, Deerfield, Mass; m. about 1730, Han-

nah ——, who d. about 1730; m., 2d, Jan. 11, 1732, Abigail Pettee, of Springfield, b. April 3, 1713; d. Feb. 25, 1792, dau. of John and Mary, of Springfield. He was a veterinary surgeon; was in Northfield in 1737; Enfield in 1749, and returned to Northfield. In 1736 he removed to Winchester, N. H., in 1737 to Northfield, Mass.; in 1747 returned to Enfield; in 1752 returned to Northfield, where he d. Feb. 24, 1798. Res Northfield, Mass., Enfield, Conn., and Winchester, N. H.

544. i. PEDAJAH, b. 1732. He lived with Elijah Williams, in Enfield, until 1749; was a soldier from Northfield in 1757. Pedajah Field, son of Pedajah and Hannah; prob. b. in Enfield, Conn. Is found living there in 1733 with Elijah Williams; prob. came to Northfield, Mass., in 1752; a soldier in the French and Indian war from Northfield in 1757. He sold his lot to Hezekiah Stratton, June 23, 1745. In 1743 he assisted in building the mount at Deacon Alexander's, and was paid £1 4s. for two days of hewing timber. He served from June 12, to Nov. 21, 1755, in the Crown Point expedition, in Capt. Elijah Williams' company. In seating the meeting house in 1780 he was given pew No. 19.

545. ii. MARY, b. 1734; m. prob. Sept. 26, 1753, Stephen Cooley, of Longmeadow, Mass.; d. April 3, 1782; age forty-eight. Res. Longmeadow, Mass. Ch.: 1. Stephen, b. Feb. 14, 1754; d. Aug. 18, 1754. 2. Stephen, b. March 27, 1755; m. Mercy Stebbins; d. June 9, 1830. 3. Abigail, b. April 19, 1757; d. April 9, 1826. 4. Joanna, b. July 20, 1759. 5. Luther, b. March 16, 1761. 6. Gideon, b. Jan. 31, 1763; m. Dinah Sikes. He d. Nov. 31, 1838. 7. Calvin, b. Feb. 16, 1765; d. Feb. 19, 1846. 8. Ithamer, b. ——; d. Feb. 15, 1767. 9. Ithamer, b. Aug. 10, 1768. 10. Marcy, b. July 18, 1770; d. June 24, 1814. 11. Hanan, b. July 18, 1773.

546. iii. SARAH, b. May 4, 1737; m. June 8, 1755, Hon. Ebenezer Janes, of Northfield; d. March 5, 1766. He was son of Jonathan; was a deacon, lieutenant in Revolutionary war, manufacturer of grave stones, town clerk sixteen years, representative in the legislature in 1778 and delegate to the provincial congress in 1775; d. Jan. 22, 1808. His wife d. March 5, 1766, and he m., 2d, Mehitable Alexander. Res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Jonathan, b. Feb. 25, 1756; m. Caroline Mattoon. 2. Jemima, b. May 16, 1757; m. John Allen. 3. Ruth, b. May 16, 1757; m. Caton Bliss. 4 Obadiah, b. July 9, 1759; m. Mary Oliver and Harmony Brigham. 5. Salina, b. March 11, 1761; m. Seth Munn. 6. Hannah, b. Jan. 5, 1763; d. July 13, 1770. 7. Samuel, b. May 11, 1764; m. Susannah Merriman. 8. Ebenezer, b. Jan. 1, 1766; d. Nov. 5, 1766; had seven children by second wife.

547. iv. RUTH, b. 1739; d. Oct. 17, 1756.

548. v. REUBEN, b. Oct. 9, 1740; m. Hannah Alden and Ann Hall Larrabee.

549. vi. ABIGAIL, b. 1743; d. Aug. 7, 1754.

550. vii. EUNICE, b. ——; d. unm., Athens, Vt.

551. viii. BENNETT, b. 1745; m. Elizabeth Ferrin.

552. ix. ANN, b. Sept. 3, 1747; m. James Nichols, of Athens, Vt.; d. Feb. 28, 1829.

553. x. EUNICE, b. 1749; d. in Townshend, Vt., unm., August, 1828.

554. xi. JOHN, b. June 9, 1751; m. Sybil Allen.

555. xii. HANNAH, bap. Aug. 13, 1753; m. —— Ward.

556. xiii. NATHAN, bap. Sept. 21, 1755; m. Abigail Bullard.

557 xiv. ABIGAIL, bap. April 16, 1756; m. Aug. 19, 1775, Samuel Warner. He was son of Ebenezer, b. 1748. Res. Northfield and Greenfield. Ch.: 1. Ebenezer, bap. Nov. 17, 1776. 2. Samuel, bap. Aug. 9, 1778. 3. Lydia, bap. July 23, 1780. 4. Sarah, bap. July 3, 1785. 5. Mary, bap. July 3, 1785. 6. Electa, bap. March 7, 1788. 7. Phila, bap. Feb. 9, 1791. 8. Amariah, bap. July 28, 1793.

306. BENNETT FIELD (John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Dec. 13, 1709; m. Dec. 18, 1734, Elizabeth Spafford, of Lebanon, Conn., dau. of Thomas and Bethiah, b. April 9, 1715; d. Nov. 20, 1772. He resided in Deerfield, Mass.; married there and soon after moved to Lebanon, Conn., and was admitted to the church there in 1736. Moved to Stafford and later to Mansfield, Conn., where he died. He purchased of Caleb and Noah Chapin, of Lebanon, Conn., Nov. 21, 1733, a tract of land; vol. v, p. 20, on which he resided until 1740, when he sold and removed to Mansfield, Conn. Admitted to the church in Lebanon in 1736.

He d. April 6, 1770. Res. Lebanon, Stafford and Mansfield, Conn.

558. i. MARY, b. Nov. 12, 1735; m. Capt. Phinehas Williams, of Mansfield, Conn.; removed in 1778 to Woodstock, Vt.

Robert Williams, of Roxbury, Mass., arrived at Boston, Mass., June 20, 1637. He came from Norwich, England, and was the eldest son of Stephen and Margaret (Cooke) Williams, of Great Yarmouth, England. He was admitted to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company, in 1644. His third son, Isaac Williams, was captain of the foot company of Newton, and was buried under arms.

(3) Capt. Isaac Williams, Jr., son of the last named, sold his portion of his father's property and removed to Roxbury and settled on the portion of his grandfather Parke's property, which he had inherited from his uncle, John Smith, of Roxbury.

(4) Capt. William Williams, of Mansfield, represented for many years that town in the General Court of Connecticut. He was not only prominent in the military service of the colony but his sons followed in his footsteps. Amariah and Phinehas being connected with the Mansfield company, and the former, as its captain, led it to Boston on the Lexington alarm, and was at its head at Bunker Hill, and served through the Revolution. His son, Capt. Phinehas Williams, went to Woodstock, Vt., in 1774, from Mansfield, Conn. He was the seventh son of William and Experience (Wilson), of Watertown, Mass., b. in Watertown, Nov. 5, 1734. His wife was the dau. of Bennett and Elizabeth (Spafford) Field. He was captain of the first company of militia of Woodstock, and until his death, in 1820, there were two or more of his descendants holding town or state offices continuously.

(5) Capt. Phinehas Williams was commissioned by the colony of New York captain in the first company raised east of the Green mountains, and was elected to but declined the colonelcy of the regiment of which it became a part. Owing to the efforts of the Allens there was little fighting in Vermont during the contentions of New York and New Hampshire to the ownership of the

"Grants," so that this company saw little service; but Captain Williams during the Revolution collected subsistence for the Revolutionary army, and was in charge of such business in the section where he lived. Captain Williams was so much of an engineer that he and his son, Col. Oliver Williams, not only laid out the original warrants of the town and conducted the ordinary work of surveying; but the father, with the aid of his large family of sons, and his Palmer nephews (children of Lucy (Field) Palmer), laid out the roads in Woodstock township on modern principles, blasting where necessary to keep them short and at a low level in that hilly region. The compiler of the family record has receipted bills for similar work in adjoining townships. He d. Dec. 28, 1820. His wife d. March 26, 1810.

Ch.: 1. Experience, b. Feb. 17, 1755; m. Capt. Josiah Dunham, of Coventry, Conn., who resided in Woodstock, and from whom descended the Dunhams, Simmons, Richardsons, Perkins, Westovers, Wileys, Dodges, Smiths and Jaques.

2. Oliver, b. 1758. He went to Woodstock with his father and was a surveyor. He helped lay out the town, and from exposure to his work died June 19, 1823. Oliver Williams was elected colonel of the regiment after the refusal of his father to accept the office. He m. Irene (Urana) Thomas, of Middleboro'. She d. at Woodstock, Dec. 4, 1806; m., 2d, Mrs. Molly (Powers) Richardson, dau. of Dr. Stephen Powers, and widow of Joran Richardson. His ch.: (a) Mary, b. Jan. 1, 1785; m. Anson Dunham, s. p. (b) Abigail, b. 1786; m. Col. Joseph Topliff, of Bridgewater. She d. Oct. 31, 1864; seven children. (c) Ira, b. 1788; was an officer in the war of 1812; was in the regular army as quartermaster at Dabuque, Iowa, where he d., s. p., 1838. (d) Oliver, b. 1790; n. f. k. (e) Otis, b. 1792: a schoolmaster in Woodstock; d. in Virginia, s. p., in 1838. (f) Phinehas, b. 1795; enlisted in regular army; n. f. k. (g) Nathan, b. 1798; d. s. p., Hector, N. Y.

3. Phinehas, b. 1760; went to Woodstock with his father; m. Susan White. She d. Sept. 28, 1790, age twenty-one; m., 2d, Sally Gurley. He was in the army, and in 1815 moved to Ohio. (h) Phinehas, b. Sept. 28, 1790; res. in Bridgewater, Vt. (i) Bennett, b. 1795. (j) Chester. (k) Susan. (l) Adeline. (m) Warren. (n) Lucia. (o). Sally, b. 1811.

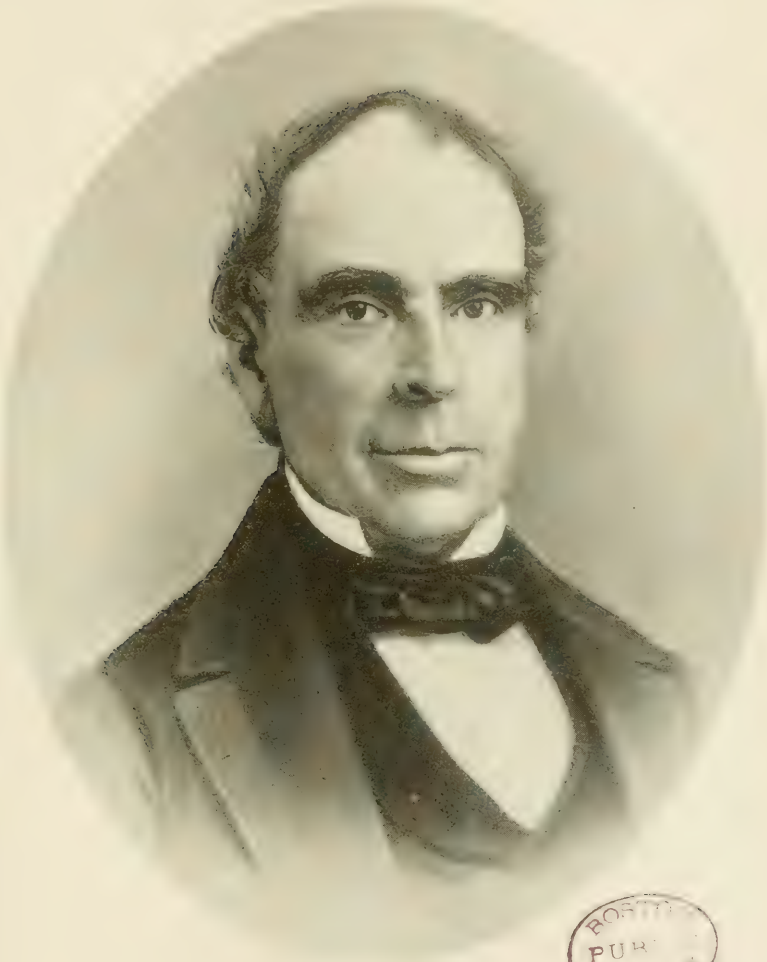
4. Jesse, b. 1761; remained in Mansfield, Conn., until 1775, when he moved to Woodstock and opened the first general store in that place. He is said to have been at the battle of Bunker Hill when only fourteen years of age. Jesse Williams, son of Captain Phinehas, was left with his uncle, Amariah, at Mansfield, when his father removed to Vermont. He has told his grandson, Dr. Edward H. Williams, that he was with the Mansfield company when it marched on the Lexington alarm, and was at Bunker Hill. In mentioning the name of his aunt and mother-in-law it should be written Lucy, and not Lucia. The last is a modification given to Williams' descendants. Jesse Williams was the first merchant in Woodstock. He also extensively raised thoroughbred horses. He was elected associate judge of the county court, and served for a number of years. He pur-

chased in Hartford, Conn., the first bell for the county court house. It was the first bell of the kind in the state. In 1803 he was appointed presiding judge; but declined the office and was appointed judge of probate for the Hartford district, which he held till 1815, when he resigned. He had retired from business with a considerable fortune, and was afterward interested in numerous projects more or less connected with the growth of the town. Among them was the manufacture of the first enclosed stoves from soapstone slabs, held together by iron clamps at the corners, the stone coming from his quarry. He died at Woodstock, Jan. 27, 1842. He married his cousin, Hannah, daughter of Lieutenant Gershom, Jr., and Lucy (Field) Palmer, of Woodstock, who was born at Mansfield, Conn., April 1, 1769, and died at Woodstock, Vt., Jan. 27, 1837. Lieutenant Palmer served during the Revolution, and his grave is one of those decorated yearly by the G. A. R. He was descended from Capt. George Denison, of Stonington, Conn., who commanded the Connecticut troops at the storming of the Narragansett fort and captured Miatonomo. Ch.: (p) Norman, b. Nov. 6, 1791. Norman, eldest son of Hon. Jesse and Hannah (Palmer) Williams, was b. at Woodstock, Vt., Nov. 6, 1791. He fitted for college at home and at the academies of Royalton and Randolph, and entered the sophomore class of the University of Vermont, in October, 1807, and at the commencement of Aug. 18, 1810, delivered a "Poem with Valedictory Addresses." For many years thereafter Mr. Williams was called upon for poems on commemorative occasions, and numerous extracts from the press show that these were highly valued. After a course of law studies at home and at Burlington, Vt., he was admitted to the bar at the latter place, and at once opened an office at home, and practiced till October, 1831. During this period he held the offices of Register of Probate of the Hartford district (his father being judge), State Auditor of Accounts, 1819-1823, and Secretary of State, 1823-1831—in each case declining re-election. He then, unfortunately, formed a partnership with his brother-in-law in the hardware business in Montreal, and remained till 1834, when foreseeing the coming of the rebellion, in which his partner was engaged, he returned to Woodstock and resumed legal practice. He was secretary of the State Senate in 1835-1839; and thence till his death, in 1868, he was clerk of the courts of Windsor county. During this interval he was one of the commissioners to revise the State statutes; twice was a State Senator; and was one of the commission to prepare plans for a new State house. He was one the incorporators of the Vermont Medical College, and during the greater part of its life dean of its faculty, and from 1849-1853 a trustee of his alma mater. Had he been desirous of political preferment there was no office in the state which he could not have secured. Many of the offices he held were conferred upon him by his political opponents, and he declined the treasurership of the state to which he had been elected against his wishes, as well as nominations for higher state offices. The highly laudatory resolutions adopted by the bar at his decease tell how much he was esteemed

throughout the state, and in the printed lives of many prominent Vermonters, as an evidence of their prominence and worth, it is stated that they held the friendship of "Norman Williams, of Woodstock." He married, Dec. 11, 1817, Mary Ann Wentworth, eldest child of Henry Barlow, Esq., and Rebecca (Appleton) Brown, of Woodstock, and formerly of the New Brunswick bar. Mrs. Brown's mother was a cousin of Sir John Wentworth, last royal governor of New Hampshire, and also descended from Lieut.-Gov. John Wentworth, who served under Anne. On her father's side she descended from leaders in colonial history, one of them, Maj. Richard Waldron, commander of the New Hampshire troops, who was murdered by Indians at Dover, when over eighty years old, with circumstances of unusual cruelty. Mrs. Williams was highly cultured and refined, and has left traces of a gifted pencil in the seals of various courts, and in the present arrangement of the great seal of Vermont. A recent writer on Woodstock, states, "fifty years ago it contained the best medical school in the state, and it had a local aristocracy that controlled society and intelligence, and its women were so cultivated and refined that one of them had a salon to which every distinguished guest of the town was invited, and which far and near was talked of as the one place to visit if you went to Vermont. The site of the old homestead where Mrs. Williams held high carnival in society is now used for a public library, and this brilliant woman herself is able to look down upon its habitues as graciously from her portrait as she once smiled on the saints and sinners who crossed her threshold." She was b. at St. Andrews, N. B., Nov. 24, 1794, and d. at Montclair, N. J., Nov. 6, 1879. Mr. Williams d. at Woodstock, Jan. 12, 1868.

Their children: 1. Henry Brown, b. Jan. 24, 1820; m. June 2, 1846, Mary, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Welch) Cooke, of Providence, R. I., b. there June 27, 1823; living in San Francisco, Cal. Henry Brown Williams was a merchant in New York City and San Francisco, and for many years agent for the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. He was knighted by the King of the Sandwich Islands. He d. at Santa Barbara, Cal., Feb. 8, 1890. Ch.: 1. Joseph Henry, b. Nov. 9, 1847; d. Aug. 9, 1851, at Brooklyn, N. Y. 2. Mary Louise, b. Feb. 16, 1850, at Brooklyn; m. April 11, 1871, Alfred, son of Joseph Henry and Sarah Susannah (Wood) Poett, b. Concepcion, Chile, March 3, 1839; she d. Santa Barbara, Cal. Living (1899) at Santa Barbara; civil engineer. Their four children are living, and the third, Alfred Reddington Poett, is one of the California volunteers on detached duty with the United States signal corps, at Manila, Philippines.

2. Mary Ann Wentworth, b. May 10, 1822; living (1899) at Evanston, Ill.; m. Dec. 29, 1851, Wm. Merritt Campbell, of St. Albans, Vt., who d. at Sumter, S. C., Oct. 11, 1862; merchant. Ch.: 1. Mary Wentworth, b. Oct. 20, 1852; m. Sept. 5, 1875, Wm. H. Bartlett; res. at Evanston, Ill. 2. Stephen Henderson, b. Sept. 20, 1854; m. and d. s. p. 3. William Norman, b. Aug. 13, 1856; with Adams & Westlake Manufacturing Co., Chicago;



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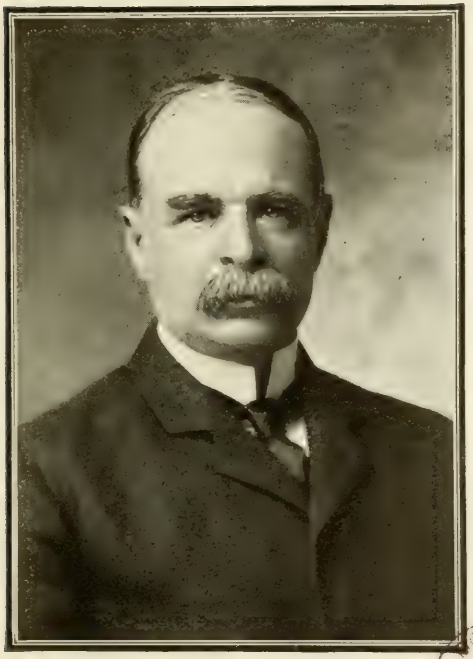
wife deceased; one surviving daughter, Marion. 4. Charles, b. Nov. 7, 1858, unm. 5. Julia Riley, b. Sept. 19, 1862; d. Aug. 16, 1863.

3. Edward Higginson, third child of Hon. Norman and Mary Ann Wentworth (Brown) Williams, of Woodstock, Vt., was b. there June 1, 1824, and now resides at his country place, "Wentworth," near Rosemont, Penn. After the usual course in the high grade private schools of his native town he decided to become an engineer, and all subsequent work tended in that direction. While studying the classics with his father he began a course in higher mathematics with Hosea Doton, well known throughout Vermont as a mathematician and engineer, and supplemented this by work with his uncle, Rev. Dr. George Palmer Williams, at Pontiac, who lately died full of years and honors as Emeritus Professor of Physics of the University of Michigan. Here Mr. Williams became acquainted with Col. John N. Berrien, state engineer, who was locating the Michigan Central railroad, and during his stay at Pontiac was constantly with the corps. He was now suffering from what was thought to be a severe attack of asthma, which defied all remedies, and lasted a number of years, but which was caused by the lodgment of part of a beechnut burr in the vocal chords—afterwards ejected in a fit of coughing—when the trouble entirely disappeared. This affliction resulted in his abandoning the life of an engineer, by the advice of his physicians, and he reluctantly began the study of medicine and graduated at the Vermont Medical College in 1846.

The following year was again passed at Pontiac in the open air with the construction corps of the railroad, but in 1847 he began the practice of medicine at Proctorsville, Vt. Mr. Doton, his old instructor, was then building the Rutland & Burlington railroad through the place, and Dr. Williams was with the corps as often as possible, and fortunately on one occasion when he was able to treat successfully one of the foremen who had a three-foot tamping bar blown through his head, behind the left eye. He removed his practice to Northfield, where he became acquainted with the management of the Vermont Central road, which had its headquarters there, and thus added to his railroad experience. The relief from his bronchial troubles now turned his mind back to his long cherished life work, and in October, 1851, he became assistant in building a railroad from Caughnawaga, Canada, to Plattsburg, N. Y., and, within a few months, the death of the engineer left him in charge of the work, which he finished. From 1855 to 1865 he was in charge of railroad work as superintendent in the west, and generally on the pioneer road into the wilderness, so that he acquired abundant experience. In the latter year he became general superintendent of the Pennsylvania railroad at Altoona, where he remained till 1870, when he was invited to bring his experience of eighteen years to the Baldwin Locomotive Works, and became a partner. Since that date he has resided in and about Philadelphia, and "Dr. Williams," as he is known throughout the world among railroad men, has introduced American locomotives throughout South America,

Australia, Japan, India and Europe. While in Australia for the second time he was appointed United States Commissioner to the Sydney Exposition. In 1861 he received the honorary degree of M. A. from the University of Vermont, and in 1876 was created by the King of Sweden a Knight of the North Star, and also elected a member of the Swedish Royal Society. Dr. Williams erected, in 1895, for the University of Vermont, a building for the applied sciences and furnished it throughout, at a cost of a quarter of a million dollars, in memory of his wife. He had previously erected a similar building for Carleton (Minn.) College, and also given it a sixteen-inch equatorial telescope. The work most pleasing to Dr. Williams was the erection on the family homestead of a beautiful granite free library, in memory of his parents, which he has fully endowed for maintenance and book fund, and this fall (1899) he is to add to it an extension of nearly the same size, as the original building is full of books. He married June 15, 1848, Cornelia Bailey, youngest daughter of John A. and Sarah (Bailey) Pratt, of Woodstock, born Jan. 16, 1827; died at Rosemont, Pa., July 16, 1889. Mr. Pratt was one of the leading citizens in Woodstock, holding many county and state offices, and was one of the incorporators and trustees of the Vermont Medical College. Mrs. Williams possessed her father's love for flowers, and left a large collection of ferns gathered in all parts of the world, and successfully cultivated at home. Dr. Williams died in Santa Barbara, Cal., since the above was written, in December, 1899.

Their children were: 1. Edward Higginson, b. at Proctorsville, Vt., Sept. 30, 1849; living (1899) at Bethlehem, Pa. He fitted for Yale College at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., 1865-68, and graduated at New Haven in the class of 1872. Inability to use his eyes forced him to join an engineering corps of the Pennsylvania railroad during the ensuing year as chainman; but from 1873 to 1876 he studied the profession of mining engineering at the Lehigh University, South Bethlehem, Pa., graduating with the class of 1875 as valedictorian. From 1876 till 1879 he was connected with the mining corps, and in the latter year became chemist for a company at Danville, Pa., and on the change of the firm in the following year became its mining engineer. For a few months, in 1880-1881, he was principal assistant mining engineer of the Cambria Iron Co, at Johnstown, and in charge of examination of properties in Canada and the United States. A severe attack of malaria forced him to resign, and after a few months' rest he was elected professor of mining engineering and geology at his second alma mater, which chairs he still holds. Professor Williams is a member of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, and was one of the original Fellows of the Geological Society of America. He is also a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and of the American Philosophical Society. He has been three times elected president of the associated alumni of Lehigh. His principal geological work has been the mapping of the Kansan glacial deposits across the state of Pennsylvania. He has published



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numerous papers on this and kindred subjects and a few books. Since 1867 he has been engaged in compiling the records of the descendants of his ancestors, Robert Williams, of Roxbury, Mass. He married, at Roxbury, Mass., June 19, 1883, Jennie Olive, youngest daughter of Augustine S. and Ophelia (Leland) Bemis, of Boston, Mass., b. April 2, 1861, and living (1899). Ch.:

1. Olive Bemis, b. July 10, 1884.
2. Cornelia, b. at Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 26, 1885.
3. Elizabeth, b. April 13, 1888.
4. Edward Higginson, 3d, b. June 18, 1889.
5. Norman, b. Aug. 19, 1891.
6. Amory Leland, b. Dec. 14, 1892.
7. Wentworth, b. at Rosemont, Pa., Sept. 7, 1895.

2. William, b. at Lachine, Canada, March 9, 1854, and d. at Barnard, Vt., July 10, 1872, when a student at the University of Pennsylvania.

3. Anna, b. at Janesville, Wis., July 25, 1858; m. June 22, 1887, William Frederick Dreer, of Philadelphia, Pa. They have adopted two children, Charlotte and Florence. Res. Rosemont, Pa., "Wentworth."

4. Charles Storrow, b. Dec. 25, 1827; d. at Surrounded Hill, Ark., June 20, 1890; University of Vermont, 1847; civil engineer; residing in the South, where he constructed and had charge of several railroads, and was also in charge of the engineers who located the southern boundary of Tennessee. During the Civil war he had charge of military transportation for the Confederate government in the district where he resided, and a number of times attempted to come North; but was prevented, as his services were valuable to the South.

5. Louisa Jane, b. Aug. 25, 1830; d. Dec. 30, 1841. She was a precocious child, acquiring a command of the organ when quite young and able before her death to conduct the services of the church.

6. Norman, b. Feb. 1, 1835, at Montreal, Canada, the only one of the children born out of Woodstock; m. Dec. 11, 1867, Caroline Caton, dau. of Hon. John Dean Caton, of Ottawa, Ill. Res. 1836 Calumet Av., Chicago, Ill. He d. June 19, 1899. Ch.: 1. Laura, b. April 6, 1871; m. Gen. Wesley Merritt, Oct. 24, 1898. Maj.-Gen. Wesley Merritt was born in New York City, June 16, 1836. He was graduated at the United States Military Academy, July 1, 1860, and assigned to the dragoons; was promoted first lieutenant May 13, 1861, and captain April 5, 1862. He took part in Gen. George Stoneman's raid toward Richmond, in April and May, 1863, and was in command of the reserve cavalry brigade in the Pennsylvania campaign of the same year, being commissioned brigadier general of volunteers in June. For gallant and meritorious services during the battle of Gettysburg he was brevetted major. Still in command of his brigade, he took part in the various engagements in central Virginia in 1863-64, and was brevetted lieutenant-colonel and colonel in the regular army, and major-general for volunteers for gallantry at the battles of Yellow Tavern, Hawes' Shop and Winchester respectively. On

March 13, 1865, he was brevetted brigadier-general and major general in the regular army for bravery at the battle of Five Forks, and his services during the final Virginia campaign, and on April 14th was commissioned major-general of volunteers. After the war he was employed chiefly on frontier duty until 1882, when he was placed in charge of the United States Military Academy, at West Point. In June, 1887, he was ordered to Fort Leavenworth. He became lieutenant-colonel of the Ninth cavalry in 1866, colonel of the Fifth cavalry in 1876, and in 1887 became brigadier-general. Later commanded the department of the Atlantic until assigned, in May, 1898, to command the United States forces in the Philippine Islands. In 1899 he commanded the department of the East into headquarters at Governor's Island, and in 1900, if arrangements are satisfactorily perfected will be retired with the rank of lieutenant-general. 2. Norman, b. Feb. 23, 1873. 3. Caroline Caton, b. May 8, 1875; d. May 25, 1876. 4. Mary Wentworth, b. May 13, 1878.

Norman Williams was a lawyer and a man of large affairs. He was born in Woodstock, Vt. His father, Norman Williams, was one of the prominent citizens of the Vermont town, as had been his grandfather, Jesse Williams, who was interested in public affairs and was a man of much influence in the state. His mother was Mary Anne Wentworth, whose family had contributed members who had served in important colonial offices before the Revolution, and more than one member of which served as governor of New Hampshire. When the Revolution came they remained loyal to the crown, and when the English troops evacuated Boston they were compelled to leave also, as were all the prominent Tories of that time. When young Norman Williams had finished in the public school of his native town he was sent to Kimball Union Academy at Meriden, N. H., where he prepared for college. He entered the University of Vermont, from which he was graduated in 1855. He then entered the Albany Law School. He continued his studies in the office of the law firm of Tracy, Converse & Barrett, at Woodstock, Vt., until he was admitted to practice. After being enrolled as a member of the bar he concluded to come West, and in October, 1858, he was located in Chicago, and with an office as a lawyer. For two years he continued to practice alone, but in 1860 he formed a partnership with King & Kales, and the new firm became King, Kales & Williams. This partnership continued until 1866, when Mr. Williams withdrew and became a law partner of Gen. John L. Thompson, under the firm name of Williams & Thompson. This partnership continued until the death of General Thompson, in 1888. The firm later became Williams, Holt & Wheeler. Mr. Williams had not been in Chicago long before he won a reputation as a business lawyer, and from that time was identified with some of the largest business enterprises in the city. As legal adviser he assisted in the formation of the Pullman Palace Car company, and became a member of the first board of directors of the company. The organization of the Western Electric company was due to Mr. Williams' efforts.

The first telephone for public use in Chicago was brought here by him. The formation of the Chicago Telephone company and the efficient management of it, making it one of the important business institutions in Chicago, were due to the wisdom and business foresight of Mr. Williams. For many years he took a keen interest in electrical matters. He became an expert in the theory and also in the mechanics of electrical engineering. He was also the first legal authority on subjects related to electrical undertakings. When the Paris electrical exposition was held, in 1881, he was made United States Commissioner to it. For many years he was connected with the Western Union Telegraph company in an advisory legal capacity, and also managed the more important part of the litigation of this company in the west. His business ability was rewarded with such success that he became rated among the wealthy men of Chicago before he had reached the prime of life. During all of the business years of Mr. Williams' life he was a busy man and occupied with large affairs of both legal and commercial nature, yet he found time to devote to public matters. He contributed largely to the formation of the first regiment of colored soldiers in Chicago during the Civil war and to the arming of them. He also found time for literary affairs. In connection with his brother, Edward H. Williams, he founded the "Norman Williams Public Library," in Woodstock, Vt., this name being given to it in honor of his father. When the late John Crerar made the bequest by which Chicago was given the Crerar Library Norman Williams and Huntington W. Jackson were named in the will as the trustees. He was also a trustee of the Crerar estate. Mr. Williams was made the first president of the library and the work of organizing the big institution was placed in his hands. He was for many years a director of the Chicago Public Library and one of the most active members of the directory. He was always alert in educational matters. He was a member of the Chicago, the Calumet, the Literary, and the University clubs. He was a student traveler who had passed many seasons in European travel and study, and as a result of these travels he acquired a large and most valuable library. In addition to other business affairs Mr. Williams was trustee of many large estates and served as executor and guardian in some of the largest. His name was identified with every public enterprise of a big kind in which the people of Chicago have been interested in the last twenty years. Mr. Williams was a member and trustee of the Second Presbyterian church of Chicago. For years he took an active interest in the affairs of this congregation. He also was deeply interested in the affairs of the Chicago Orphan Asylum and was president of the institution. In politics he was a Republican. He always took a part in political affairs, but was never an office seeker, nor did he ever concern himself with machine politics. He was one of the organizers and promoters of the Irish-American Republican club, which became a strong and influential organization in political affairs. Mr. Williams was married in Ottawa, Ill., to Miss Caroline Caton, daughter of the late John Dean Caton, chief justice of the Supreme

Court of Illinois. Three children survive him. They are two daughters, Laura and Mary, and a son, Norman. The elder daughter, Laura, is the wife of Maj. Gen. Wesley Merritt. Their marriage took place in London, England. on Oct. 24, 1898. General Merritt had just returned from the Philippine Islands, where he had commanded the land forces in the reduction of Manila. He was sent then to Paris to attend the convention engaged in preparing the treaty of peace with Spain and the United Stntes. Miss Williams met him in London, and there the wedding took place at the Hotel Savoy. In recent years Mr. Williams had not been engaged actively in business, except with the more important affairs with which he had been identified previously.

Charles S. Holt. for many years a law partner of Norman Williams, speaking of the latter, said: "I cannot talk about him now. We were most intimately associated for twenty-three years. No man ever had more friends or was more loyal to them. His whole nature was genial and sweet and he delighted in sacrificing himself for those he loved. Above all his mental power and professional success he will live in the memory of those that knew him as a man of great and affectionate love."

7. Susan Arnold Williams, b. Jan. 1, 1838; d. June 18, 1842.

(q) Lucy, b. Oct. 30, 1794; d. Nov. 4, 1794. (r) Charles, b. Oct. 27, 1796; d. s. p. Oct. 6, 1829. (s) Hezekiah, b. July 29, 1798; m. May 23, 1826, Eliza Patterson, of Belfast, Me. He graduated at Dartmouth College in 1820; was a lawyer by profession and member of Congress from Maine, 1845-49. He d. Oct. 23, 1856. She d., Dixon, Ill., Aug. 19, 1866. Ch.:

40. Hezekiah, b. March 10, 1827; d., s. p., May 14, 1872. He was a physician and medical director of the army of the Tennessee in the Civil war.

41. Margaret, b. Feb. 5, 1829; d. Jan. 14, 1844.

42. Lucia Field, b. May 9, 1831; m. Goodwin; res. Chicago.

43. Edward Patterson, b. Feb. 26, 1833; d. Jan. 24, 1870. He entered the navy as midshipman; was in command of one of the monitors during the Civil war, and at its close was captain of the United States Steamship Oneida, which was run down by the English steamer Bombay in the harbor of Yokohama, Japan, at the above date. Captain Williams after sending off all who could be crowded into the boats, with the remainder of his men went down with his ship. He left two sons, one is Edward Patterson, purchasing agent at the Baldwin Locomotive Works, in Philadelphia.

44. Martin Henry, b. Feb. 24, 1835; d., s. p., July 19, 1878.

45. Charles, b. Sept. 9, 1836; d., s. p., Feb. 14, 1873.

46. Mary Field, b. and d. Aug., 1840.

47. Mary Field, b. May 7, 1842.

(t) Mary Field, b. May 11, 1800; m. Charles Henry, of Bradford; three children. (u) George Palmer, b. April 13, 1802. He was a minister of the Episcopal church, tutor at Kenyon College, first professor at the University of Michigan, and at his death professor and professor emeritus of Physics; there m. Elizabeth Edson, dau. of General Joseph, of Randolph, Sept. 22, 1829. She

d. Ann Arbor, Mich., June 24, 1850; m., 2d, Mrs. Richards. Two ch.: Mary and Louise, both married. (v) Lucia, b. April 5, 1804; m. Dr. Willard P. Gibson; five children. (w) Frederick Augustus. He lived upon the old Phinehas Williams place, in West Woodstock; moved to Michigan; m. Miss Sue and had two children.

5. Bennett, b. 1763; d., s. p., 1798.

6. Roger, b. 1769. He went to Woodstock with his father. The accidental death of his brother affected him through life, so that he was of a quiet and melancholy disposition. He m. Irene Ransom and had two children. Laura, b. ——; m. Judge Hammond. Caroline b. ——; m. Capt. John Orcutt, of Randolph, where they resided. Roger; m., 2d, Mrs. Ely.

7. Hezekiah, b. 1770; d. Sept. 4, 1778. He was accidentally shot by his brother while going after cows. It was the day that the Hiram Powers house was raised, and as all the men in the town were assisting, Experience rode to the village to bring his father home.

8. Elizabeth, b. Nov. 30, 1775; m. March 15, 1795, Dr. Stephen Drew, who studied with Dr. Powers. From them descended the families of Drew, French, Willard, Kendall, Storrs, McConnell, Bowen, Lovell, Hayes and Wood.

559. ii. BETSEY, b. Aug. 10, 1737; m. Sept. 22, 1763, William Gurley, of Mansfield; d. Nov. 16, 1776. He d. Aug. 16, 1814.

560. iii. LUCY, b. Feb. 11, 1739; m. March 8, 1760, Gershom Palmer, of Mansfield.

561. iv. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 26, 1740; m. Sept. 24, 1761, Thomas Root, of Coventry and Westminster, Vt.

562. v. HULDAH, b. Feb. 24, 1743; m. Moses Bicknell.

563. vi. SARAH, b. Aug. 9, 1744; m. May 22, 1766, Zebulon Gurley, of Mansfield. She d. Jan. 1, 1793. He d. Jan. 1, 1800.

564. vii. BETHIA, b. April 8, 1746; m. April 17, 1767, Seth Pierce, of Mansfield, Conn.; res. Berlin, Vt. He was son of Seth (Samuel, Samuel, Thomas, Thomas), b. Sept. 12, 1744; d. Homer, N. Y., in 1835. She d. Sept. 18, 1807, and he m., 2d, Patty Rindge. Ch.: 1. Sarah, b. Nov. 20, 1767; m. Royal Storrs. 2. Lucinda, b. Sept. 14, 1769; m. Thomas Welch. 3. Bennett, b. Sept. 12, 1771; d. March, 17, 1773. 4. Gordon, b. Aug. 31, 1773; m. Thirsa Smally. 5. Samuel, b. May 23, 1777; d. Aug. 26, 1778. 6. Samuel, b. May 20, 1779; m. Persis Barrows. 7. Elijah, b. April 27, 1781; m. Patty Moulton. 8. Seth, b. Feb. 17, 1784. 9. Daniel, b. March 16, 1786. 10. Elizabeth, b. Sept. 12, 1788; m. Chester Collins. 11. Bela, b. April 13, 1792.

565. viii. HANNAH, b. May 26, 1748; m. Stephen Brigham.

566. ix. AMOS, b. April 20, 1750; m. Zeriah Baldwin.

567. x. BENNETT, b. April 12, 1752; m. Elizabeth Pierce.

568. xi. SAMUEL, b. May 6, 1754; m. Eunice Dunham.

569. xii. ELIJAH, b. April 20, 1756; m. Tanison Crane.

308. JOHN FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Sept. 14, 1700; m. in 1733, Editha Dickinson, b. Aug. 23, 1707, dau. of Ebenezer and Hannah (Frary); d. Dec. 25, 1740; m., 2d, there Ann

Bagg. Mrs. Edith Field was granddaughter of Samuel Dickinson, b. July, 1638; m. Martha Bridgeman, b. 1649, dau. of James, of Springfield, Mass, who removed to Northampton. Samuel was son of Nathaniel, who came from England and located at Weathersfield in 1637; town clerk, 1645; representative, 1646 to 1658; removed to Hadley, Mass., in 1659; was a deacon and d. June 6, 1676. He d. May 26, 1762; res. Hatfield, Mass.

570. i. MEDAD, b. Aug. 8, 1734; m. Martha Morton.

571. ii. EDITHA, b. June 15, 1737; m. Jan. 22, 1760, Augustus Fitch, of Windsor, Conn.

572. iii. HANNAH, b. Oct. 5, 1740; m. Silas Graves, son of Elnathan, b. Feb. 8, 1732, of Hatfield.

311. AMOS FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., June 24, 1708; m. Aug. 30, 1739, Mehitable Day, dau. of Thomas, of Hartford, Conn. He d. Oct. 10, 1759; res. Hatfield, Mass.

573. i. ZECHARIAH, b. Jan. 6, 1744; m. Mehitable Dickinson and Rachel Clark.

574. ii. MEHITABLE, b. 1746.

575. iii. AMOS, b. 1748.

312. ELIAKIM FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Nov. 27, 1711; m. in 1752, Esther Graves, of Whately, dau. of David and Abigail (Bardwell), b. Nov. 29, 1732. David Graves, b. Dec. 1693, m. June, 1720, Abigail Bardwell, dau, of Robert of Hatfield, who served in the "Falls Fight" under Capt. Turner in King Phillip's war. Robert m. Mary Gull, dau. of William Gull, of Weathersfield, who on coming from England, located at Hadley, Mass., 1663; d. 1701. David Graves was son of Samuel, b. 1665; m. 1687, Sarah ——; res. Sunderland, Mass., and she d. Oct. 15, 1734. Samuel was son of John Graves, who m. Mary Smith, b. 1630, dau. of Samuel Smith, and wife Elizabeth from England. John Graves was killed by Indians in Sept., 1677. She d. Dec. 16, 1668. His father was Thomas Graves, who came from England with his wife Sarah to Hartford, Conn.; removed to Hadley, and d. in 1662. His wife Sarah d. in 1666. He d. Feb. 8, 1786; res. Hatfield, Mass.

576. i. ZENAS, b. Aug. 10, 1753; m. Sarah Burroughs and Lydia Cathcart.

577. ii. SARAH, b. April 22, 1755; m. David Scott (his second wife), of Whatley.

578. iii. ZILPAH, b. Nov. 13, 1756; m. Abner Loomis. He was of Colchester, Conn. Res. Whately, Mass. He d. April 2, 1812, aged 62. She d. March 22, 1847. Ch.: 1. Sally, b. Aug. 24, 1783. 2. Jonathan C., b. Oct. 18, 1785. 3. William, b. Sept. 26, 1789. 4. Leonard, b. July 30, 1797. 5. Luther, b. Nov. 20, 1798.

579. iv. RHODA, b. Oct. 26, 1758; m. Elisha Waite, of Hatfield. He d. June 29, 1816; she d. Jan. 19, 1819.

580. v. JOHN, b. Aug. 25, 1760; m. Lucy Look.

581. vi. ABIGAIL, b. July 21, 1762; m. Roger Dickinson, of Whately; she d. Feb. 9, 1809.

582. vii. DAVID, b. April 11, 1764; m. Tabitha Clark.

583. viii. ESTHER, b. April 4, 1767; an invalid; d. unm.

584. ix. HANNAH, b. June 21, 1769; m. May 10, 1796, Samuel Grimes, b. 1771; d. March 24, 1816, in Whately, Mass.; m., 2d, probably, April 25, 1823, Oliver Cooley, of South Deerfield. She d. May 13, 1843. Oliver Cooley was a trader and innholder; Hannah was his second wife, s. p.

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318. LIEUT. JOHN FIELD (Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Jan. 12, 1718; m. July 10, 1738, Hannah Boltwood, dau. of Samuel and Hannah (Alexander), of Amherst. John Field, son of Zechariah and Sarah (Clark), b. in Hatfield, Mass. He removed in 1736 to Amherst, where he d. His res. was where some of the college buildings now stand. He was a prominent man in town, holding various town offices. He held a lieutenant's commission under the king, and at first refused to take the side of the colonies. At a meeting of the Council of Safety, held at Northampton, Nov. 10, 1776, he was cited to appear before the Colonial authorities, when he renounced his allegiance to the king, and became a firm supporter of the colonial cause. Res. Amherst, Mass.

585. i. JOHN, bap. May 18, 1740; m. Elizabeth Henderson and Mrs. Rachel (Waite) Wells.

586. ii. ABIGAIL, bap. July 11, 1742; d. in infancy.

587. iii. MARTHA BOLTWOOD, bap. Oct. 2, 1743; m. Col. Nathan Allen, of Amherst, and Thomas Bascom. Res. Amherst and Hatfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Joel, b. Sept. 18, 1773. 2. Nathan, b. June 22, 1775. 3. Martha, b. Aug. 12, 1777. 4. Nathan, b. April 8, 1779. 5. David, b. Aug. 8, 1780.

588. iv. MARY, bap. July 27, 1746; m. in 1765, Joel Billings, of Amherst; she d. Aug. 18, 1813. He was son of Deacon John, b. April 1, 1747; d. Nov. 4, 1825; his second wife was Mrs. Lombard. no more

589. v. ABIGAIL, bap. June 5, 1748; m. in 1770, Gideon Dickinson, Jr., of Amherst. They removed to Washington, Vt.; she d., and he m., 2d, Lydia Dickinson; six children.

590. vi. SARAH, bap. May 27, 1750; m. in 1774, Timothy Clapp, of Amherst; she d. Feb., 1799. He was bap. May 21, 1749; son of Preserved and Sarah (West); res. Amherst, Mass.; he left one dau., Patty, who m. Nov. 26, 1801, Elihu Belding, of Amherst.

591. vii. EBENEZER, b. March 22, 1752; m. Sarah Gould.

592. viii. SAMUEL, bap. Jan. 20, 1754; m. Meriam Nash.

593. ix. JEMIMA, bap. May 25, 1755; m. Jan. 15, 1775, Oliver Bridgman, of Belchertown.

594. x. JONATHAN, bap. Dec. 9, 1759; m. Sally Smith and —— Johnson.

595. xi. ZECHARIAH, b. in 1757. Field, Zechariah, Amherst. Return of men drafted from Hampshire county militia to march to Horse Neck under command of Col. Samuel How (year not given), but who failed to join regiment; drafted to Amherst; drafted into Capt. Brakenridge's co. Mass., Rev. Records.

322. COL. DAVID FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Jan. 4, 1712; m. 1740, Mrs. Thankful Taylor, b. July 18, 1716, dau. of Thomas and widow of Oliver Doolittle. She d. March 26, 1803. He settled in Deerfield, where he was engaged in mercantile business, also in trading with the Indians on the Mohawk river, N. Y. From his generosity and great losses during the Revolution he failed in business, and his large landed estate was sold for a small part of its value, and from his notes and accounts never realized six cents on the dollar of their amount which was nearly twenty thousand pounds. The store in which he traded was taken down in the spring of 1877. He was a member of the first Massachusetts Congress that met in Concord in 1774; also in the Congress that met in Cambridge in 1775. He was a member of the Massachusetts Council of Safety, who gave a commission signed May 4, 1775, of colonel to Benedict Arnold for raising four hundred men from the Berkshire regiments for the capture

of Fort Ticonderoga. They also gave him an order on Col. Thomas W. Dickinson, of Deerfield, dated May 5, 1775, for him to procure for the army to be raised for the capture of Fort Ticonderoga fifteen thousand pounds of beef cattle, and deliver them at or near said fort, which order he gave Mr. Dickinson on the morning of the 6th at the tavern of Major Salah Barnard, where he took breakfast. Col. Dickinson purchased the cattle and started them on the morning of the 7th, taking with him his younger brother Consider, then a lad of fourteen, and reached Castleton, Vt., on the 12th, the same day the troops from Berkshire arrived, where he met an order from Arnold to turn all the cattle but four yoke which were to be used by the troops for transportation, the fort having been already captured on the morning of the 10th by Col. Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain boys. He was commissary-general under Gen. Stark at the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, and was in command of a regiment for a short time. He was a very active and influential man in town and received from his townsmen many important offices. He was in the confidence of John Hancock and other leading men of the times.

The Massachusetts State Rev. Records has this! "Field, David. Official record of a ballot by the House of Representatives dated Jan. 31, 1776; said Field chosen colonel of 5th Hampshire Co. regt. of Mass. militia; appointment concurred in by Council Feb. 8, 1776; reported commissioned Feb. 8, 1776; also colonel; return dated Boston, April 8, 1777, signed by Brig.-Gen. Timothy Danielson, of companies of militia from Hampshire Co., which turned out as volunteer under Col. David Leonard and Lieut. Col. Nay to reinforce the army at Ticonderoga, agreeable to order of Council of Feb. —, 1777; two companies raised from said Field's regt.; also, resignation dated Deerfield, Feb. 14, 1778, signed by said Field, stating that he had been appointed to the 'first commission' in 5th Hampshire Co. regt., that he had served in that capacity to the best of his ability, but owing to old age was no longer able to fulfill the duties of his office, and asking that his resignation be accepted; resignation accepted by General Court, Feb. 20, 1778."

From Deerfield town records;

"The uncertainty of Success in this our attempt (should the season prove favorable) by reason of our Remoteness from market. The scarcity of Money Amongst us and the apprehension of an Heavier Tax this year so influenced the Town, that we had not a vote for a Representative and Caused us to Hope should this our State be laid before your Honours, you would not lay a fine upon us (who are scarce 100 families) for not Complying with the precept sent us in all which is submitted to your Honrs Wise Consideration by your Honrs obedient Humble Servants—Wm. Williams, David Field, Jonath Hoit."

"To the Honble House of Representatives in Gen. Court Assembled May 29, 1751: We the Subscribers Selectmen of the Town of Deerfield and at the request of sd Town on our and their behalf Humbly Desire In excuse for not sending any Person this year to Represent us in the Great and General Court; To offer the following reasons: That we have been great sufferers in the last war, in being Drove from our improvements so that we have been obliged to buy pork of our neighbors and have had befor the War, more fat Cattle in our Stalls in May, than has been fatted in Town any year since the War Commenced, and what few we fatted the last year take the Town together did not fetch what they cost in the Fall by which our Time, Hay and Provender was entirely lost to us. That through Difficulty we have Repaired our Fences that were not Burnt and made Such new as were; and at the desire of Many and particularly some Gentlemen in Boston, have laid ourselves out to our utmost by Clearing, Fitting and Sowing some Hundred acres of Wheat; for an Experiment whether we cannot raise as good as the other Governments. In doing of which we have unavoidably expended what little money we had, which

will in no poor Degree be evidenced by the Acts of the Committee Appointed to give Certificates (to) such as had any money to Exchange for the Dollars."

He d. April 19, 1792; res. Deerfield, Mass.

596. i. MARY, b. Oct. 31, 1741; m. Sept. 1, 1755, Rev. James Taylor, of Norwalk. He was the son of John; was b. 1729; was graduated at Yale College in 1754, and was schoolmaster at Deerfield in 1755. Studied theology with Parson Ashley, settled as minister in New Fairfield in 1758. In 1764 he was tried for holding doctrines of Sandemanianism by the Association, and was deposed from the ministry. He returned to Deerfield, but soon settled in Buckland. He held to his new doctrines through life, and was killed by a limb falling upon him July 7, 1785. Was the first person buried in the Buckland graveyard. She d. Dec. 29, 1779. Ch.: 1. Mary, bap. Oct. 27, 1755; d. young. 2. Mary, b. June 29, 1758; m. Daniel Trowbridge. 3. John James Stewart, b. Jan. 30, 1761; m. Mary E. Hawks. 4. Tirza, b. Jan. 11, 1764; m. Seth Hawks, Jr. 5. David Field, b. Jan. 19, 1767; m. Rhoda Thompson. 6. Hannah, b. June 16, 1772; m. Col. Elihu Hoyt. 7. Betty Filena, b. July 8, 1774; m. Hezekiah Hurlburt. 8. Gratia, b. June 17, 1777; m. Daniel Hurlburt. 9. Sarah Amarilla, b. Dec. 27, 1779; m. Zechariah Dutton. 10. Samuel Edwards, b. ——; a teacher at Buckland and Conway, and d. at latter place, Feb. 13, 1793.

597. ii. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 14, 1743; m. Sarah Childs.

598. iii. RUFUS, b. July 20, 1745; d. July 23, 1746.

599. iv. DAVID, b. May 4, 1747; m. Hannah Childs.

600. v. TIRZA, b. April 16, 1749; m. Nov. 28, 1771, Jonathan Ashley, and Aug. 27, 1792, Rev. Jonathan Leavitt, of Heath. Ashley was son of Jonathan, Jr., b. 1739; was graduated at Yale in 1758; was a lawyer with a large practice; was a Tory, in consequence of which he got into trouble. After the Revolution he lived in Shelburne; was there in 1785-86; sold his house in Deerfield in 1786. He d. May 30, 1787; she d. Nov. 22, 1797. Ch.: 1. William, b. Sept. 28, 1772; d. Oct. 7, 1772. 2. Harriet, bap. Oct. 24, 1773; m. Eliel Gilbert. 3. Tirza, b. Nov. 19, 1774; m. Rufus Saxton. 4. Dorothy, b. March 3, 1776; m. Roswell Leavett. 5. Abigail, b. Sept. 7, 1777; m. David White. 6. Elizabeth Matilda, bap. May 1, 1780; d. on Dark Day, May 19, 1780.

601. vi. OLIVER, b. Sept. 13, 1751; m. Ketura Hoyt.

602. vii. ELIHU, b. Oct. 16, 1753; m. Hepzibah Dickinson.

603. viii. THANKFUL, b. March 25, 1758; m. Jan. 25, 1775, Col. Thomas Wells Dickinson, son of Thomas, b. 1751; lived on lot No. 1; was a farmer; captain of militia company May 3, 1776; major May 22, 1778; lieutenant-colonel June 19, 1794; Whig in Revolution; appointed assistant commissary under Col. Arnold, May 4, 1775. For several years he did valuable work in patriot cause in that department; in 1780 was in the continental army as lieutenant, under Capt. Isaac Newton in Col. Murray's regt.; was at West Point and vicinity when the treason of his old commander was discovered, and saw Washington when he arrived on the scene from Hartford. He d. May 16, 1835; she d. Jan. 21, 1836. Ch.: 1. Pamelica, b. Dec. 5, 1775; d. July 21, 1778. 2. Jonathan, b. May 8, 1778; m. Nancy Paine, dau. of Gen. Edward. 3. Pamelica,

b. May 23, 1780; m. Robert Bardwell. 4. Thankful, b. Jan. 23, 1782; m. Pliny Arms. 5. Thomas W., b. March 26, 1784; m. Lucy Hoyt. 6. Rev. Rodolphus, b. June 27, 1786; m. Nancy Hoyt. 7. David, F., b. April 12, 1793; m. Fanny Hoyt and Mrs. Amelia (Jones) Ware. 8. Clarissa, b. Dec. 29, 1794; d. unm. Feb. 27, 1862. 9. Richard, b. Nov. 23, 1798; d., s. p., July 30, 1871.

604. ix. FILANA, b. Sept. 5, 1761; m. about 1785, Consider Dickinson. He was b. 1761; was several times out in the continental service; was at Fort Griswold, whence he was discharged the day before it was captured by Arnold, and later at Newburgh. After the war he spent some years in Canada hunting and trading in furs. He was a noted character and a prominent figure in Deerfield in his day, and especially noted for his exhaustless fund of humorous anecdotes and song. He lived on the house lot which the proprietors voted Rev. John Williams when he went there to preach in 1686; the last lineal descendant of Parson Williams there sold it in 1789 to Mr. Dickinson, after living on the place for sixty-five years. "Uncle Sid," as he was universally called, d. Dec. 4, 1854, aged 94. By industry, good judgment and economy he had accumulated what was a large property for the times, which was left without reserve to his wife; but there is evidence of a mutual understanding that it was to be eventually used for some public purpose; this fund was impaired by some unfortunate investments, but by the most scrupulous economy and conscientious frugality "Aunt Esther" was able to leave a largely increased amount to a board of trustees for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a free academy and public library on this old historic ground; the building erected for these institutions probably covers the very spot where stood the house of Parson John Williams, Feb. 29, 1703-4, and whence he and his family were carried to death or captivity. Filana d. Oct. 31, 1831, and he m., 2d, 1840, Esther Harding.

327. CAPT. MOSES FIELD (Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Feb. 16, 1722; m. Sept. 15, 1748, Rebecca Cooley, dau. of Jonathan and Joanna; d. Feb. 14, 1783; m., 2d, Nov. 1, 1783, Mrs. Lydia Champion, widow of Dr. Reuben, of West Springfield; she d. May 1, 1809. He served five years in the Revolutionary army, and was promoted to the rank of captain. He d. March 7, 1815; res. Longmeadow, Mass.

605. i. REBECCA,, b. Nov. 29, 1748; m. Nov. 25, 1773, Amariah Woolworth, of Longmeadow; d. Dec. 20, 1836.

606. ii. ELIJAH, b. Dec. 23, 1750; d. Dec. 31, 1767.

607. iii. OLIVER, b. Nov. 15, 1752; m. Ann Cooley.

608. iv. MOSES, b. Feb. 9, 1755; m. Lydia Champion.

609. v. DIADEMIA, b. Oct. 9, 1756; m. March 4, 1788, Stephen Williams. She m., 2d, June 25, 1793, Jacob Kibbe, of Monson, and she d. there.

610. vi. AARON, b. June 24, 1761; m. Flavia Burt.

611. vii. ALEXANDER, b. Feb. 5, 1764; m. Flavia Colton and Jerusha Burt.

612. viii. SARAH, b. Feb. 24, 1766; d. July 12, 1777.

613. ix. NAOMI, b. May 22, 1777; d. July 31, 1777.

614. x. AARON, b. June 24, 1759; d. Aug. 30, 1760.

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328. DR. SIMEON FIELD (Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., April 25, 1731; m. Dec. 29, 1763, Margaret Reynolds, dau. of Rev. Peter and Elizabeth, b. July 16, 1742; d. Feb. 9, 1796. He graduated at Yale College as a physician. He settled in Enfield, Conn., where he was very celebrated, and had an extensive practice. He also kept a tavern which is now, 1900, still standing, and is known as the old Field tavern. He also was an active and influential man during the Revolution, and during his time was easily the most important man in his town.

Rev. Nathaniel Collins, of Enfield, sued Simeon Field, one of the principal inhabitants of Enfield, and of the first church society, and the rest of the inhabitants, but was defeated, April 29, 1771—Public Records of Connecticut.

He d. Jan. 7, 1801; res. Enfield, Conn.

615. i. SIMEON, b. June 3, 1765. He graduated at Yale College in 1785, a physician. He settled in Somers, Conn., but after his father's death returned to Enfield, where he died unmarried March 1, 1822.

616. ii. MARGARET, b. Feb. 27, 1768; m. Dec. 19, 1791, Rev. Joshua Leonard, of Ellington, Conn, and removed to New York. He d. in Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 18, 1843, aged 75. Ch.: 1. John Adams Leonard, b. Elington, Conn., Jan. 16, 1799; m. Alton, Ill., Annis Armitage, d. there 1858; he d. Chicago, Jan. 13, 1886. Ch.: (a) Margaret, dead. (b) Laura Annis, dead. (c) Maria. (d) Flora, dead. (e) Simeon Field, d. two years old. (f) Simeon Field, b. Sept. 4, 1852; m. Sept. 11, 1879, Louise Adele Chandler, b. Nov. 5, 1853; res. 212 So. Grove avenue, Oak Park, Ill. Ch.: i. John Chandler Leonard. ii. Laura Francis Leonard. iii. Edward Simeon Leonard. iv. Robert Weston Leonard. v. Dean Rollins Leonard. vi. James Chandler Leonard and vii. Louise Chandler Leonard, twins. viii. Margaret Elizabeth Leonard. (g) Elizabeth, dead. Margaret d. March 5, 1824.

617. iii. MARY, b. Feb. 22, 1771; m. Oct. 15, 1801, Hon. William Dixon, of Enfield, Conn.; she d. Oct. 23, 1845. He was b. about 1775; d. about 1839; res. Enfield, Conn. He was b. in Killingly, Conn., and while a young man settled in Enfield; there for some time he taught school; another brother being engaged in a similar profession in the same building, only in another room. He studied law and practiced there until his death. As will be noticed in the picture of his residence, the one-story addition at the left of main part was used as his law office. He was representative to the General Court, and for twelve years was the trusted and honored town clerk. He erected the bridge in that town that spans the Connecticut river, by the aid of a lottery, in 1832. This toll bridge which several years ago was condemned as unsafe for use is now the property of William Dixon Marsh, of Evanston, Ill., having been willed to him by his father, whose wife was a daughter of Mrs. Dixon. The children of Hon. Wm. Dixon were: 1. Simeon Field Dixon. He was graduated at Yale College; studied law; practiced his profession, and d. unm. 2. William E., m. Elizabeth Johnson; he was a Congregational clergyman; two ch.: William J. and Charles, both res. Cimeron, Kan.

3. James, b. in Enfield, Conn., Aug. 5, 1814; d. in Hartford, March 27, 1873. He was graduated at Williams with distinction in 1834; studied law in his father's office, and began practice in

Enfield; but soon rose to eminence at the bar, removed to Hartford, and there formed a partnership with Judge Wm. W. Ellsworth. Early combining with his legal practice an active interest in public affairs, he was elected to the popular branch of the Connecticut legislature in 1837 and 1838, and again in 1844. In 1840 he m. Elizabeth L., dau. of the Rev. Dr. Jonathan Cogswell, professor in the Connecticut Theological Institute. Mr. Dixon at an early date had become the recognized leader of the Whig party in the Hartford congressional district, and was chosen, in 1845, a member of the United States House of Representatives. He was re-elected in 1847, and was distinguished in that difficult arena alike for his power as a debator and for an amenity of bearing that extorted the respect of political opponents even in turbulent times following the Mexican war, and the exasperations of the sectional debate precipitated by the "Wilmont Proviso." Retiring from Congress in 1849, he was in that year elected from Hartford to a seat in the Connecticut Senate, and having been re-elected in 1854, was chosen president of that body, but declined the honor, because the floor seemed to offer a better field for usefulness. During the same year he was made president of the Whig State Convention, and having now reached a position of commanding influence, he was in 1857 elected United States senator, and participated in all the parliamentary debates of the epoch that preceded the civil war. He was remarkable among his colleagues in the Senate for the tenacity with which he adhered to his political principles, and for the clear presage with which he grasped the drift of events. Six years afterward in the midst of the Civil war he was re-elected senator with a unanimity that had had no precedent in the annals of Connecticut. During his service in the Senate he was an active member of the Committee on Manufactures, and during his last term was at one time appointed chairman of three important committees. While making his residence in Washington the seat of an elegant hospitality, he was remarkable for the assiduity with which he followed the public business of the Senate and for the eloquence that he brought to the discussion of grave public questions as they successively arose before, during and after the Civil war. Among his more notable speeches was one delivered June 25, 1862, on the constitutional status created by the so-called acts of secession, a speech that is known to have commanded the express admiration of President Lincoln, as embodying what he held to be the true theory of the war in the light of the constitution and of public law. To the principles expounded in that speech Mr. Dixon steadfastly adhered during the administration alike of President Lincoln and of his successor. In the impeachment trial of President Johnson he was numbered among the Republican senators who voted against the sufficiency of the articles, and from that date he participated no longer in the councils of the Republican party. Withdrawing from public life in 1869, he was urged by the President of the United States and by his colleagues in the Senate to accept the mission to Russia, but refused the honor, and without returning to the practice of his profession, found occupation for his scholarly mind in European travel, in literary studies, and

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(Now the property of William Dixon Marsh, of Evanston, Ill.)

in the society of congenial friends. From his early youth he had been a student and lover of the world's best literature. Remarkable for the purity of his literary taste and for the abundance of his intellectual resources, he might have gained distinction as a prose writer and as a poet, if he had not been allured to the more exciting fields of law and politics. While yet a student at college he was the recognized poet of his class, and even his graduation thesis was written in verse. His poems, struck off as the leisure labors of a busy life, occupy a conspicuous place in Everest's "Poets of Connecticut," while five of his sonnets, exquisite for refinement of thought and felicity of execution, are preserved side by side with those of Bryant, Percival and Lowell in Leigh Hunt's "Book of the Sonnet." He was also a frequent contributor to the "New England Magazine" and to the periodical press. Trinity College conferred upon him in 1862 the degree of LL.D. Deeply imbued with classical letters, versed in the principles and the practice of law, widely read in history, and possessing withal a logical mind, Mr. Dixon always preferred to discuss public questions in the light of a permanent political philosophy instead of treating them with paramount reference to the dominant emotions of the hour.

.4. Mary Reynolds, m. Dr. Asa Leffingwell Spalding. He was the son of Stephen and Molly (Leffingwell), and was b. in Enfield, Conn., Sept. 18, 1800. He first married in 1834, Mary Reynolds Dixon, of Enfield, Conn. She was the dau. of William Dixon, lawyer, and sister of Hon. James Dixon, of Hartford, Conn., United States senator from Connecticut. She d. in 1841. His second wife, Sarah Howe Field Spalding (which see) d. March 7, 1864. He d. Jan. 7, 1864. His parents moved from Colchester, Conn., soon after his birth. There he fitted for college at Beacon Academy. He relinquished, however, the idea of a collegiate education and entered upon the study of medicine, which he pursued in part under the instruction of Dr. North, of Hartford, Conn., and subsequently in the medical school at Yale College, from which he received his degree in 1832. He also received the same from the Berkshire Medical School in 1833. He began the practice of his profession in Marlboro, Conn; thence he moved to East Haddam, Conn., continuing but a short time in each of these places. He went in the spring of 1839 to Enfield, Conn., where he spent the remaining twenty-five years of his life, constantly engaged in the duties of his profession. He was a man of marked energy of character—a quality which showed itself in the vigorous support he rendered in church and religious matters, no less successful than his professional life. His two oldest sons are graduates from Williams College. Ch.: 1. William Dixon, b. Oct. 7, 1836; graduated Williams College, 1860; was four years in the civil service in the office of the Senate at Washington; since then has been in journalism and resided most of the time since 1867 in London, England and New York City. 2. James Field, b. Dec. 5, 1839; m. April 28, 1864, Mary Harper; res. Concord, Mass. He was fitted for college and graduated at Williams in 1862, and there was tutor in Greek for one year, and later one of the principals at the

Round Hill school for boys at Northampton, Mass.; admitted to deacon's orders in the Episcopal church in 1869, and at once began ministerial work in Northampton; was rector there in 1869, and held the same position at St. John's parish in Ithaca, N. Y., in 1870; was rector in Portland, Conn., 1872-79; Cambridge, Mass., 1879-91. He withdrew from the Episcopal church in 1892, and joined the Roman Catholic church the same year. A period of ecclesiastical uncertainty in his life must be noted, extending over nearly four years, from the spring of 1892. He is now leading a literary life. He has written and published "The Ordinances of Confirmation" in 1880, and in 1886 "The Teaching and Influence of St. Augustine." His children are: (a) Mather Raymond, b. May 22, 1865; graduated at Harvard in 1887; M.A. there in 1888; taught Latin and Greek in St. Mark's, Southboro', to 1892; studied music in Paris and in Munich, 1892-5; became instructor in music in Harvard, 1895; is m. and res. Cambridge, Mass. (b) Henry Dixon, b. July 15, 1869; educated at high school in Cambridge; is in business in St. Paul. (c) Philip Leffingwell, b. June 27, 1871; graduated at Harvard in 1892; took M.A. there in 1893, and B.S. in 1894. He is an electrical engineer with Bell Telephone Co.; res. 406 Market street, Philadelphia, Pa. 3. Sarah L., b. May 24, 1844; d. July 11, 1865. 4. John Edward, b. Jan. 27, 1847; he was in the regular army; address, 29 Liberty street, New York.*

5. Eliza, b. 1806; m. April 5, 1837, Rev. Ezekiel Marsh. He was b. in Danvers, Mass., Oct. 5, 1808; was fitted for college at Exeter, and was graduated at Bowdoin in the class of 1831. At Brunswick he was industrious and faithful. He was a man of good capacity and common sense, having excellent judgment. He had an amiable temper, well expressed by his handsome face. Later he graduated at Andover Theological Institute and went to New Haven to put on a finishing touch. In 1835 he was ordained and settled in the pleasant town of Ellington, Conn., and remained there until his decease Aug. 30, 1844. His children were: (a) Elizabeth Taylor, b. Jan. 7, 1838; m. in 1892, Dr. Frank Kinzel; res. Lake Worth, Fla. (b) William Dixon, b. Feb. 7, 1840; m. Aug. 25, 1884, Lora E. Campbell, b. Jacksonville, Ill., June 26, 1846. She is the dau. of William Hamilton Campbell and Emelina Parsons; is a member of the Chicago Society Daughters of the Revolution, joining the same as a descendant of Major Joseph Parsons, who enlisted in the Revolutionary war as a drummer boy, but before peace had been declared had risen rapidly to the rank of major for meritorious service. She is a remarkably handsome and vivacious woman, and an excellent conversationalist, and traces her descent from Rev. John Hancock, of Lexington, Mass., the grandfather of Gov. John Hancock, the signer of the Declaration of Independence; the first governor of Massachusetts after the adoption of its State constitution; chairman of the Provincial Congress, and "the founder of civil liberty in Massachusetts." Mrs. Marsh is also descended from Gov. Oliver Ellsworth, of Connecticut, Rev. Peter Reynolds, Rev. Thomas Whitfield, and Rev. Thomas Hooker.

* Sarah Howe was not the daughter of Dr. Simeon Field as stated on page 604 of the Spalding Genealogy, but of Salathiel, as I have from her sister, who certainly ought to know.

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WILLIAM DIXON MARSH.

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She is particularly interested in colonial and historical furniture and bric-a-brac, and her handsome home, "Enfield Place," is filled with these articles, many of which antedate the Revolution. William Dixon Marsh was b. in Ellington, Conn., and by the death of his father when only four years of age was left to the care of his mother. He received an excellent education under his mother's supervision, at the public schools of his native town and at Edward Hall's boys' school. When only nineteen years of age he had decided to go west, and in 1859 located in Chicago. For some five years he secured an excellent insight into business in one of the largest wholesale houses in the city, and at the end of that engaged in business on his own account. In 1868-70 he was assistant assessor of internal revenue, and at the expiration of this office at once engaged in the fire insurance business with Fred. D. James & Co., and the co-partnership has continued since that time. This company is one of the best known in the city in this line of business and stands in the front rank of fire insurance agencies in the west.

618. iv. PETER RAYNOLDS, b. Feb. 28, 1774; m. Hannah Pruden.

619. v. EDWARD, b. July 1, 1777; m. Sarah Baldwin and Esther Baldwin.

329. DR. SAMUEL FIELD (Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Oct. 10, 1725. He graduated at Yale College in 1745. A physician; he settled in Saybrook, Conn., where he d. Sept. 25, 1783. He was a true patriot, and took a very active part during the war of the Revolution.

"In memory of Dr. Samuel Field stands this monument, teaching us to live in view of death. He departed this life Sept. 25, 1783, in the fifty-sixth year of his age."

"In memory of Mrs. Hannah Field, consort of Dr. Samuel Field, who died Oct. 9, 1783, in the forty-eighth year of her age. Having survived her consort but fourteen days.

"Lovely and pleasant in their lives,
In their death they were not divided."

Res. Saybrook, Conn.

In May, 1751, Samuel Field, of Saybrook, petitioned the Connecticut Assembly that he was with another at an expense of £83 16s. for support of one Pegg, an Indian woman, when she was sick and in custody of the law, and that he was without remedy unless the legislature interposes. The county court at New London took charge of the matter and settled the same. Samuel Field was deputy to the General Court of Connecticut in May, 1771, for Saybrook.—Connecticut Public Records.

Samuel Field was third son and fourth child of Thos. Field, of Hatfield and Longmeadow, Mass. His mother, Abigail Dickinson, was a sister of Jonathan and Moses Dickinson (Y. C. 1706 and 1707). He settled in Saybrook (now Old Saybrook), Conn., as a physician, and became a leading man in that community. In 1771, 1774, 1775, 1776, 1780, and 1781, he was one of the representatives in the General Assembly. He was also justice of the peace, and was in sympathy with the patriot cause in the Revolution. His services were interrupted by his early death in Saybrook, Sept. 25, 1783, aged 58. He m. in 1745, his second cousin, Abigail, dau. of Deacon Joseph Field, Jr., and Mary (Smith) Field, of Sunderland, Mass. His second wife, Hannah, d. on the 9th of the next month after his death in her forty-eighth year. He m. Hannah Lord, b. 1735; d. Oct. 9, 1783, in her forty-eighth year.

620. i. SAMUEL, b. 1759; m. Margaret Shipman.

621. ii. HENRY, b. 1761. The following is copied from his tombstone in Saybrook, Conn.: "Sacred to the memory of Mr. Henry Field this Monument is erected, teaching the Traveler to remember a sudden fate. He died ye 11th day of May, 1787, in ye 27th year of his age."

621½. iii. WILLIAM, bap. May 13, 1764; he d. at sea of West India fever, Sept. 15, 1790.

622. iv. FRANCES, bap. Aug. 3, 1766; d. young. "Without a moment's warning Death's Angel comes. Demands Dispatch. There's no resistance. Tell not your wife or your children you may love them. Tis the Almighty's will."—Copied by Henry Hart, Saybrook.

623. v. FRANCES, b. June 20, 1776; m. Dorrance Kirtland. He was son of Ambrose and Eliza (Gibson), b. July 28, 1770; d. May 23, 1840; she d. Feb. 1, 1818, at Coxsackie, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Ambrose Kirtland, b. April 9, 1797; d. June 21, 1846; buried at Coxsackie, N. Y.; m. Charlotte McCarty, Sept. 16, 1818; she was dau. of Gen. Richard McCarty and Eliz. Van Berger. Ch.: (a) Frances Kirtland, b. July 3, 1819; d. Oct. 4, 1858; m. Maj. Gen. Nath'l Michler, U. S. A., in June, 1848; he was son of Peter S. Michler and Mary Howell. Ch.: i. Francis Michler, colonel, U. S. A.; b. 1849; m. Jan. 14, 1900, Marion Lowry. ii. Ambrose K. Michler, b. 1851; m. about 1888 to Emily Hunt. iii. Peter Sykes Michler, b. 1853. iv. Richard McCarty Michler, b. 1856. (b) Elizabeth Kirtland, b. May 15, 1822; d. Nov. 14, 1889; m. Theodore Cozzens, April 16, 1846; he was son of Wm. Brown Cozzens and Mary Greene. Ch.: i. Wm. Brown Cozzens, b. Sept. 24, 1848; d. Feb. 27, 1884, unm. ii. Charlotte (Sharlie) Kirtland Cozzens, b. April 22, 1853; d. Nov. 15, 1881, unm. (c) Charlotte Ellen Kirtland, b. Feb. 7, 1832 (?); d. Oct. 6, 1897; m. Feb. 13, 1849, Nath'l Ripley Cobb; he was son of Nath'l Ripley Cobb and Sarah Kendall. Nath'l Ripley Cobb graduated at the University of New York, at New York City, in 1844, and was educated for a physician. He never practiced; was a member of the Board of Brokers until he came West, and has since been interested in real estate. Ch.: i. Charlotte Kirtland Cobb (Lottie), m. Capt. D. A. Lyle, U. S. A.; she d. March 1, 1884; one living child, Anna Lyle. ii. Nath'l Ripley Cobb, Jr., d. in infancy. iii. Frances Michler Cobb; unm.; res. Sioux City, Iowa. iv. Eleanor Hermance Cobb, m. Hon. E. H. Hubbard. Hon. E. H. Hubbard graduated at Yale College, 1872 (I think). He is now State senator from the Thirty-second district, at Des Moines, Iowa, from Woodbury county. His ch. are: 1. Elbert Hamilton Hubbard, Jr., b. in Sioux City. 2. Charlotte Hubbard, b. in Sioux City. 3. Lyle Hubbard, b. in Sioux City. 4. Eleanor Hermance Hubbard, b. in Sioux City. v. Elizabeth Cozzens Cobb, d. aged 15 years and 3 weeks. vi. Sarah Kendall Cobb, m. Dr. Willard B. Pineo, M.D. (d) Richard McCarty Kirtland, b. 1838; m. twice, 1st, Mattie Firth, of LaGrange, Tenn. Ch.: i. Julian. ii. One girl. iii. Others unknown. 2. William D. Kirtland, b. Feb. 9, 1803; d. 1851; m. Elinor Eliza McCarty, Oct. 1, 1833, sister

of Charlotte. Ch.: (a) Eliz. (b) Dorrance. (c) William. 3. Harriet Kirtland, b. June 2, 1804; d. 1873; m. Henry Manderville, Aug. 9, 1827. Ch.: (a) Dorrance Kirtland Manderville, M.D., d. recently in Brooklyn, N. Y.

331. CAPTAIN SETH FIELD (Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Sept. 28, 1712; m. in 1741, Susanna Doolittle, dau. of Rev. Benjamin and Lydia (Todd), b. Wallingford, Conn., June 13, 1726; d. Nov. 15, 1787. He was graduated at Yale College in 1732. He was for many years the leading spirit in religious, civil and military affairs in his town. In 1738 Seth Field purchased lot No. 5 of the home lots in the third settlement of Deacon Mattoon. He was a soldier in the French and Indian wars, and for some time was stationed at Fort Dummer. When the proprietors of the second division organized in 1756, Seth Field was elected clerk. In 1728 he was employed as teacher and was probably the first person so employed in that town. In 1753 he was lieutenant in the Northfield company, and in 1756 was elected captain. He was town clerk and treasurer for forty years, and schoolmaster for nearly as many. The town voted in —— to pay him ten shillings a week for teaching school and board himself. He was a commissioner and justice of the peace for many years. He served under Capt. Joseph Kellogg against the Indians in 1733. He was a lieutenant in Capt. Elijah Williams' company, Col. Israel Williams' regiment, to Crown Point, from June 12 to Nov. 21, 1757, and captain in Col. Israel Williams' regiment at Ticonderoga and Crown Point in 1759, and on the frontier to the close of the Indian war in 1760. He was a lieutenant in Capt. Israel Williams' company, Col. Ephraim Williams' regiment, in the memorable fight with the French and Indians near Lake George, Sept. 8, 1755, where Col. Williams was killed. The Indians were noted for their skill in capturing animals in traps and wonderfully expert with their divers ways and rude yank-ups. The latter was nothing more than a stout oak or hickory staddle, bent over and fastened to a notch cut in another tree. The animal when caught in the snare at the end, by struggling would loosen the catch, and the staddle would spring upright, with the game dangling in the air. Capt. Field's old mare once strayed into the woods and got into a trap of this kind set for deer. The squire was astonished when an Indian came running breathless to tell him that "his squaw-horse was caught in a yank-up."

July 25, Seth Field writes: "Since the disastrous tidings from Ohio and the delay of the Crown Point forces, the mischief done above us together with our circumstances, has so discouraged the hearts of our people that they are almost ready to give up all and care only for their lives. A fine harvest is on the ground, and likely to be lost for want of a guard. The few soldiers we have are constantly on duty, and not half sufficient to guard the laborers." Asks that one of the companies of Rangers that are between the Connnecticut. and the Merrimack rivers may be sent to scout for a few weeks to the northward of Northfield; says Capt. Rice of Rutland is ready to come.

What was going on nearer home will appear from the following letters.

"Northfield, June 7, 1756.

"This evening a post from Winchester informs that the Indians have taken Josiah Foster, his wife and two children from the Bow in Winchester, about 10 o'clock in the morning as 'tis conjectured; though not discovered till the sun about two hours high this evening. The house is rifled and a hog killed at the door. The man and a child tracked from the house with the Indians. The numbers cannot be ascertained, but supposed to be about 6 or 8 in all.

"Seth Field."

Aug. 20, Zebediah Stebbins and Reuben Wright went up from Northfield to work on their lots near Stebbins' Island. Just as they started to return, they were assaulted by a small party of Indians in ambush. The leading facts of the encounter are given in a letter written the next day:

"Northfield, Aug. 21, 1756.

"To Major Williams, Deerfield.

"Sir: As two of our Northfield men, viz Zebediah Stebbins and Reuben Wright, were returning from their labor last night about sun half an hour high, a little below Joseph Stebbins' Island, an Indian laying in the path 6 or 7 rods before them fired, shot Wright through the right arm between the shoulder an elbow. They turned and rode 3 or 4 score rods and halted, when the enemy immediately came up and fired a second gun at them. The men then perceived that there were not more than 3 or 4 Indians; but still rode back a few rods and stopped to have the Indians come up (though they had but one gun). In a minute an Indian came in sight in the path, when Stebbins fired, and the Indian fell and cried out. Stebbins and Wright made off as fast as they could. The Indians were after Joseph Stebbins as 'tis supposed, who was at work at his house, and who saw 3 of the enemy follow our men. Some of our farmers had in too much haste got out to their homes, but we see that we are still in danger, and I hope we shall take warning and stand better on our guard. "Ye humble servt,

"Seth Field."

The Fall of Oswego —While Gen. Winslow was delayed in his intended movement on Crown Point, the French under Montcalm invested the English fort at Oswego, on the south side of Lake Ontario; and after a short siege, took it, Aug. 14. Our loss was 1,700 men; Shirley's and Pepperell's regiments, 7 armed vessels, carrying from 8 to 18 guns each, 200 bateaux, 107 cannons, 14 mortars, 730 muskets, besides stores. Many of the prisoners were massacred by the Indians, and the rest were sent to France. Anxiety about the plans of the victorious Montcalm led the Massachusetts authorities to issue orders about October 1, impressing men from the militia to go to the support of the army under Maj. Gen. Winslow. The following were impressed out of the Northfield foot company: Corporal Thomas Alexander, Moses Evens, Ebenezer Field, Samuel Field, Eliphaz Wright, Amzi Doolittle, Samuel Stratton, Philip Mattoon, Alexander Norton, Asahel Stebbins, Jona Hunt, Samuel Orris, Daniel Brooks, Amasa Wright, Benj. Miller, Reuben Wright, Thomas Elgar. As soon as the draft was completed, Capt. Seth Field wrote the following letter to Col. Israel Williams:

"Northfield, Oct. 5, 1756.

"Sir: The men impressed are the strength and support of the town; many of them with great families, and under the most difficult circumstances to leave, especially in the frontiers; but I am obliged to take such or none. Our people are in the utmost distrest at the thought of having this town stripped of the first men in it, and there is a general backwardness amongst the men to go and leave their families in such situation and under their difficult circumstances; for as soon as they leave the town we shall be able to make but a faint resistance against the enemy and must lie at his mercy. We have indeed forts, and but a few feeble men to guard and defend them. Pity and compassion cries loud for an exemption from the double burden lying on the frontiers, and especially poor Northfield who has been wasting away by the hand of the enemy these ten years past.

"Sir, begging your favor for the distressed town, I am ye humble servt,

"Seth Field."

He d. May 3, 1792; res. Northfield, Mass.

624. i. GEORGE, b. Dec. 22, 1742; m. Martha Smith.

625. ii. RUFUS, b. Nov. 24, 1744; m. Elizabeth Field.

626. iii. KATHERINE, b. Aug. 1, 1747; m. Sept. 23, 1767, Elijah Mattoon. He was son of Nathaniel; was b. 1740; d. Nov. 12, 1823; she d. Aug. 8, 1835; res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Sarah, b. Sept. 29, 1768; m. Samuel Hedge. 2. Lucy, b. Nov. 10, 1770; d. Oct. 18, 1793. 3. Susanna, b. May 6, 1773; d. unm. May 29, 1859. 4. Katy, b. Dec. 18, 1776; m. Samuel Hedge. 5. Elijah, b. Aug. 29, 1782; m. Hannah Mattoon.

627. iv. SIBYL, b. Oct. 15, 1749; m. Aug. 5, 1768, Oliver Doolittle. He was son of Lucius; was b. 1746; d. April 29, 1827; she d. Sept. 14, 1836; res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Infant. 2. Otis, b. Sept. 20, 1770 (captain); m. Sophia Shattuck. 3. Oliver, b. May 8, 1773; m. Arethusey Whitney, of Warwick. 4. Sibyl, b. Jan. 23, 1776; d. April 9, 1777. 5. Sibyl, b. Dec. 9, 1777; m. Aug. 8, 1794, Deacon Samuel Foote, b. 1770; d. Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 25, 1848.

Samuel Foote's children were: (a) Elial Todd, b. May 1, 1796, in Gill, Mass. Elial Todd Foote was presiding judge at Jamestown, N. Y., for twenty years. He m. at Jamestown, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1817, Anna Cheney, b. 1800; d. July 7, 1840. He d. in New Haven, Conn. Ch.: i. Samuel Foote, of St. Louis, not living. ii. James H. Foote, Norfolk, Conn. iii. Mary Ann Crosby, Jamestown, N. Y. iv. Horace A. Foote; res. Boulevard and Ninety-ninth street, New York city. v. Charles Cheney, b. Sept. 5, 1825; m. Amelia L. Jenkins, b. July 19, 1827. He was a physician, and d. New Haven, Conn., in October, 1872. Ch.: 1. Anna Eliza Foote, not living, no children. 2. Amelia Leavitt Foote, b. March 26, 1855; m. April 30, 1878, Edward B. Hill, b. June 2, 1853. He is a lawyer. Ch.: Amelia L. Hill, b. Jan. 4, 1884. Res. 331 West 84th street, New York city. 3. Mary Louise Foote, not living, no children. 4. Sarah Wells Foote, 26 Elm street, New Haven, Conn. 5. Charles Jenkins Foote, 26 Elm street, New Haven, Conn. 6. Horace Kenevals Foote, not living, no children. (b) Samuel, b. Aug. 22, 1798, Sherburne, N. Y. (c) Erastus, b. July 1, 1800, Sherburne, N. Y. (d) Mary Dorothea, b. April 17, 1802, Sherburne, N. Y. (e) Lydia, b. Feb. 4, 1804, Sherburne, N. Y. (f) Philena, b. Feb. 10, 1806, Sherburne, N. Y. (g) Chloe, b. April 10, 1808, Sherburne, N. Y. (h) Sedate, b. April 14, 1810, Sherburne, N. Y.; m. —— Cowing. Judge Rufus B. Cowing, 138 East Seventy-eighth street, New York city, is son of Sedate Foote Cowing. James Foote, Harlem, New York city. Horace Foote, New York city. (i) Charles Doolittle, b. Dec. 25, 1812; m. Mary Walton Arnold, b. Nov. 26, 1817; d. Nov. 29, 1883. He d. Covington, Ky., April 28, 1888; was a lawyer. Ch.: i. Kelniah, b. Aug. 7, 1850; m. Judge T. Jeff Phelps, June 25, 1878, Covington, Ky. ii. Mollie Stella, b. April 7, 1852; m. Carson B. Forse, Oct. 24, 1870; postoffice address, Newport, Ky. iii. Sybil Doolittle, b. March 19, 1855; m. Jan. 1878; Edward D. Casey, postoffice address, Cincinnati, Ohio. iv. Fannie Foote, b. April 29, 1858; m. March 30, 1883; Lewis Oliver Maddux; res. 24 East 32d street, Newport, Ky. He is a retired merchant. Ch.: 1. Rufus Foote Maddux, b. Oct. 20, 1884, Cincinnati, O. 2. Charlotte Posey Maddux, b. Dec. 16, 1885, Newport, Ky.; d. Jan. 22,

1887. 3. Louise Arnold Maddux, b. Aug. 21, 1887, in Newport, Ky; Hon. Charles Doolittle Foote, late of Covington, Ky., died there April 28, 1888, aged 75 years. He was a brother of Elial T. Foote, and was well known in the vicinity of Jamestown, where he resided for some 25 years prior to 1849, when he removed to Covington. He soon after studied law, and was for five years law partner of Hon. John G. Carlisle, Speaker of the United States House of Representatives. He served for two terms as Representative and four years as senator in the Kentucky Legislature. He was born in 1812, and was the last survivor of eleven children, nine of whom reached maturity, viz., Elial T., Samuel, Erastus, Charles D., Obed H., Mary D. (Hall), Chloe (Seymour), Sedate (Cowing), and Philena. All except Erastus were at one time well known and prominent residents of Jamestown, near which their parents, Samuel and Sybil T. Foote, settled in 1828. The father, Samuel Foote, was for many years a deacon of the First Presbyterian church until his death in 1848.—Jamestown (N. J.) Journal. (j) Obed Hyatt, b. May 18, 1817, Plymouth, N. Y. (k) Oliver Doolittle, b. July 28, 1821, Plymouth, N. Y. 6. Sara, bap. Jan. 2, 1780; d. soon. 7. Seth, b. Feb. 19, 1781; m. Eunice Wright. 8. Sara, b. July 15, 1784; m. Col. Obed Slate. 9. Charles, b Feb. 22, 1786; d. Dec. 8, 1805.

628. v. SUSANNA, b. July 10, 1751; m. March 18, 1771, Asahel Stebbins. He was son of Asahel; was b. 1750; he was in the Revolutionary war in the campaign of 1777; d. July 26, 1822. She d. April 9, 1835; res. Northfield. Ch.. 1. Eliphas, b. Sept. 26, 1771. 2. Olive, b. Jan. 20, 1774; m. Nathaniel Collins. 3. Thomas, b. Nov. 9, 1776; m. Polly Willard. 4. Susanna F., b. Jan. 13, 1779; m. Thomas Durkee. 5. Lydia, b. Oct. 8, 1781; m. Zebulon Burr. 6. Cyrus, b. Nov. 27, 1783; m. Mercy Morgan and Mrs. Orrell (Dean) Jones. 7. Asahel, b. July 27, 1786; m. Mary Scott, Lucy Rockwood and Mrs. Chamberlain. 8. Mary, b. July 27, 1786; d. Sept. 6, 1788. 9. Francis, b. March 20, 1792; d. March 6, 1860.

629. vi. FRANCIS, b. June 23, 1753; d. Feb. 1, 1770.

630. vii. OLIVE, b. Aug. 19, 1755; m. in 1779, Cotton Dickinson, of Hartford; d. Sept. 10, 1844.

631. viii. RHODA, b. Oct. 21, 1757; m. in 1780, Sylvanus Watriss. He was son of Sylvanus, was from New Windsor, and was a Revolutionary soldier in 1779. Res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Asa, b. June 10, 1781. 2. Henry, b. Oct. 1, 1782. 3. Patty, bap. Feb. 4, 1787.

632. ix. HENRY, b. Sept. 2, 1759; m. Rhoda Stratton.

633. x. SETH, b. Nov. 6, 1761; m. Martha ——.

634. xi. FANNY, b. Nov. 6, 1763; m. Feb. 15, 1786, Asa Gates, of Brimfield and Worcester; he was b. Jan. 29, 1757.

635. xii. CHARLES, F., b. Aug. 20, 1765; d. Feb. 21, 1792.

636. xiii. THEODORE, b. May 7, 1769; m. Catherine Parker.

333. GAIUS FIELD (Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., April 2, 1716; m. Sarah Holton, dau. of Eleazor and Sarah (Alexander), b. April 15, 1717. He was born on the old Field farm in Northfield, but removed to Winchester, N. H., where he died; was a soldier in the French and Indian wars. Res. Winchester, N. H.

637. i. JAMES, b. ——; m. Mary Woodcock.
638 ii. ZECHARIAH, b. April 2, 1741; prob. rem. to Keene, N. H.
639. iii. JOSHUA, b. June 5, 1746; m. Thankful Robbins.
640. iv. GAIUS, b. March 21, 1763; a revolutionary soldier.
641. v. WAITSTILL, b. Sept. 4, 1749; m. Anna ——.
642. vi. SARAH, b. April 6, 1743; m. Sept. 12, 1765, Enoch Stowell.
643. vii. RICHARD, b. 1755.
643½. viii. ELISHA, b. Sept. 6, 1752.
643¾. ix. DINAH, b. Sept. 21, 1757.

334. DOCTOR EBENEZER FIELD (Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., June 11, 1717; m. in 1743, Abigail Holton, dau. of William and Abigail (Edwards). She m., 2d, Oct. 8, 1767, Deacon Samuel Smith. She was b. Aug. 14, 1720; d. June 9, 1801. He was a physician; was a soldier in the French and Indian wars, 1748-56. He was noted in his profession and was named in the town records as Dr. Field. He had great faith in the oil and gall of the rattlesnake, and was wont to go late in the autumn before they denned for the winter, and in early spring before they scattered for the summer to hunt them on Brush mountain. The oil was applied outwardly, and was considered a sovereign remedy for rheumatism. The gall was a specific for fevers. It was mixed with chalk and made into pills. These pills were an article of regular traffic, and were kept by dealers in drugs, and were often prescribed by physicians. The pole and hook with which he captured the snakes is now in the possession of the Pocumtuck Valley Memorial Association, of Deerfield. He d. April 9, 1757. Res. Northfield, Mass.

644. i. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 25, 1744; m. Sarah Petty.
645. ii. DINAH, b. Jan. 26, 1746; m. Dec. 19, 1775, Dr. Charles Bowen, of Charlestown, N. H. Ch. b. in Northfield: 1. Lucy, b. 1784; m. William Pomeroy; d. June 13, 1813. 2. Charles, b. 1787.
646. iii. JESSE, b. Nov. 23, 1749; m. Anna Dewey.
647. iv. LUCY, b. Dec. 23, 1751; m. Hezekiah Gaylord, of Montpelier, Vt.; d. in Stanstead, L. C.
648. v. LEVI, b. April 25, 1755; m. —— ——.
649. vi. ASA, b. Nov. 9, 1757; m. Anna Diggins.

335. SAMUEL FIELD (Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., July 6, 1719; m. in 1745, Abigail Field, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Smith), of Sunderland, b. 1722; d. Nov. 2, 1803. He was a soldier in 1756 in the French and Indian wars under General Winslow. He d. June 17, 1789. Res. Northfield, Mass.

650. i. MARY, b. May 14, 1746; d. Nov. 1, 1746.
651. ii. SILAS, b. Nov. 16, 1747; m. Azubah Root.
652. iii. MERCY, b. Jan. 9, 1750; d. unm. Nov. 12, 1804.
653. iv. SUBMIT, b. April 9, 1752; d. June 26, 1762.
654. v. SAMUEL, b. March 3, 1755; m. Elizabeth Mattoon.
655. vi. ASENETH, b. Nov. 27, 1757; m. Nov. 19, 1778, Rufus Stratton, of Northfield. She d. April, 1829.
656. vii. ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 7, 1764; d. unm.

336. DEACON PAUL FIELD (Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Jan. 23, 1721; m. Christian Hubbard, dau. of Isaac, of Sunderland. She m., 2d, Landlord Ebenezer Field. She was b. Dec. 17, 1733; d. Nov. 6, 1795. A deacon and very worthy and useful man

in town. He died of smallpox June 20, 1778. He m., 1753, Christian, dau. of Isaac and Christian (Gunn) Hubbard, of Sunderland. She m., 2d, May 24, 1786, Landlord Ebenezer Field, of Northfield, whom she soon left for Unchristian treatment, and returned to her children, with whom she resided until her death. He d. of smallpox June 20, 1778. Res. Northfield, Mass.

657. i. SPENCER, b. Sept. 26, 1754; m. Betty Frink.

658. ii. ROXANA, b. May 12, 1756; m. John Stratton, of Hinsdale. He was son of Samuel; was b. 1756; drowned in the Connecticut river, at Bellows Falls, Vt., June 1, 1785. The stone that marks his grave in a cemetery in Vernon, Vt., bears the following curious elegiac, and genealogical epitaph, doubtless written by the Rev. Bunker Gay:

"MEMENTO MORI.

Here lie interred where silence reigns
Mr. John Stratton's Sad Remains
Sam'el and Ruth once happy were
In Him, Their only Son and Heir.
In January, e'er the Sun
Had Eight & Twenty Curcits run
In Seventeen Hundred Fifty Six
With Mortals here on Earth to mix,
He first began; but lost his life
In Seventeen Hundred Eighty-five
The first of June as in his Tour
Where Walpole Rapids foam and roar
He to a rock went down too nigh
To pierce the Salmon passing by.
The Rock's Smooth, Glassy, Sloping side
His feet betrayed, and let him slide
Plum down into a Watry Tomb,
No more to see his native Home
His tender Parents, lovely Spouse.
Or those bright Beauties of his House.
Three little helpless female heirs
Left to bedew his Grave with Tears
Alas, who can Their Loss repair,
Or ease the Widow's Soul of Care
Or furnish adequate Relief
To cure the Parents pungent Grief.
Father of Mercies, hear our Call,
Extend Thy Pity to them all.
Let Momentary Ills like this,
Issue in Everlasting Bliss."

His widow died in a fit in the meeting house in Hinsdale, Aug. 14, 1786, aged twenty-nine. Ch.: 1. Thankful or Gratia, b. May 9, 1776; m. John Wright. 2. Electa, b. April 10, 1779; m. Dr. Cyrus Washburn. 3. Roxana P., b. March 11, 1782; d. March 17, 1803.

659. iii. WALTER, b. Nov. 24, 1758; m. Piana Pettee.

660. iv. CHRISTIAN, b. May 20, 1761; m. Jan. 4, 1784, Hollis Taylor, of Hinsdale. He was son of Thomas; was b. 1757; removed to Hinsdale, and d. Sept. 3, 1845. She d. June 1, 1833. Ch.: 1. Harriet, b. July 26, 1784; m. Randolph Wright. 2. John, b. Jan. 1, 1786; d. March 9, 1846. 3. Alpheus, b. Aug. 27, 1787; m. Lydia Bridges. 4. William, b. July 25, 1789; m. Delia Hooker. 5. Thankful, b. April 20, 1791; m. Jason Evans. 6. Lewis, b. April 12, 1793; m. Lois Webster. 7. Seveno, b. Dec. 30, 1794; m. Mary

E. Creed. 8. Emily, b, May 16, 1797; m. Pardon H. Newell. 9. Calvin, b. June 30, 1800; scalded and d. Feb. 19, 1803. 10. Adeline G., b. Aug. 26, 1801; d. May 27, 1803. 11. Edwin H., b. Aug. 27, 1802; d. May 16, 1833. 12. Calvin, b. 1804; d. an infant. 13. Calvin, b. Sept. 9, 1805; m. Mary A. Bascom

661. v. EDITHA, b. Dec. 15, 1763; m. Dec. 21, 1784, Benjamin Doolittle, of Winchester, N. H. He was b. Jan. 12, 1764.

662. vi. SARAH b. June 7, 1766; d. May 26, 1790.

663. vii. ZECHARIAH, b. Sept. 27, 1768; m. Abigail Mattoon.

664. viii. THANKFUL, b. July 25, 1771; d. Feb. 9, 1775.

665. ix. HUBBARD, b. Sept. 20, 1775; m. —— ——.

666. x. THANKFUL, b. Sept. 25, 1777; d. Sept. 26, 1777.

341. EBENEZER FIELD (Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, June 15, 1715; m. March 27, 1746, Sarah Mattoon, dau. of Eleazer, b. 1722; d. Oct. 29, 1785; m., 2d, May 24, 1786, Mrs. Christian (Hubbard) Field, wid. of Paul, b. 1733; d. Nov. 6, 1795; m., 3d, Oct. 9, 1798, Mrs. Abigail Chapin, of Orange, b. 1728; d. June 7, 1801. He was an innkeeper and tailor. He settled in Northfield, where he kept a tavern, and the tailoring business, where he d. He m. Sarah, dau. of Eleazer and Elizabeth (Boltwood) Mattoon, of Northfield, b. Feb. 21, 1723; d. Oct. 29, 1785; m,. 2d, May 24, 1786, Christian, dau. of Isaac and Christian (Gunn) Hubbard, of Sunderland, and wid. of Deacon Paul Field. She soon left him for Unchristian treatment, and returned to her children, with whom she resided until her death, Nov. 6, 1795; m., 3d, wid. of Abigail Chapin, of Orange, Mass. She d. April 7, 1801, aged seventy-three. He d. Aug. 12, 1801. Res. Northfield, Mass.

667. i. LYDIA, b. Sept. 12, 1742.

668. ii. EBENEZER, b. Oct. 11, 1744; m. Eunice Wright.

669. iii. SARAH, b. Nov. 4, 1747; m. April 29, 1784, David Allen, of East Windsor, Conn.

670. iv. ABNER, b. May 27, 1750; m. Mary Mattoon.

671. v. LUCY, b. Sept. 20, 1752; m. at Northfield, Oliver Watriss. He was a blacksmith from Connecticut; was in Northfield in 1769; was a Revolutionary soldier, and was at the surrender of Burgoyne; d. July 22, 1825. Ch. by Lucy (no ch. by his first wife, Rhoda Wright): 1. Lucy, b. June 1, 1775; d. Nov. 28, 1791. 2. Rhoda, bap. Aug. 13, 1776; d. young. 3. Rhoda, bap. July 28, 1777; m. Simeon Boyden. 4. Richard, b. Nov. 12, 1779; d. Dec. 13, 1779. 5. Richard, b. May 10, 1782; m. Fanny Smith. 6. Harris, b. Dec. 21, 1783; m. Hannah Whiting. 7. Oliver, b. March 10, 1790.

672. vi. KEZIAH, b. Feb. 3, 1755; d. Feb. 3, 1755.

673. vii. KEZIAH, b. Oct. 24, 1756; m., 1st, July 13, 1806, —— Stiles, of Gill, m., 2d, July 3, 1806, James King, of Guilford, Vt.; she d. in Boston. He died in Northfield.

343. ENSIGN MOSES FIELD (Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Feb. 19, 1719; m., 1st, Aug. 20, 1740, Ann Dickinson, b. Aug. 6, 1721; d. Oct. 16, 1755; m., 2d, Aug. 12, 1756, Martha Root, of Sunderland. She m., 2d, Dec. 24, 1793, Enoch Bardwell, of Montague. She was b. Feb. 20, 1724; d. March 3, 1813.

He settled in Northfield, where he d. Nov. 27, 1787. He was a famous hunter and trapper of wolves. Once when the bounty was $20 he caught two at a time. On this occasion Seth Field, Esq., told him that Providence had fairly smiled upon him

that day. On the day of the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, he was at work in the meadow with his youngest sons, and hearing the sound of the guns distinctly, said he could not work, for a battle was going on and "I have three boys in it, I must go home." The next day the news of the defeat and death of General Baum arrived, and the information that his sons had gone through the battle and escaped uninjured. He d. Nov. 22, 1787. Res. Northfield, Mass.

674. i. ANN, b. Jan. 6, 1741; d. same day.

675. ii. MOSES DICKINSON, b. Feb. 10, 1742; m. Patience Smith.

676. iii. ANN, b. Nov. 12, 1744; m. Deacon Eli Root, of Philadelphia, Pa.

677. iv. SOLOMON, b. June 28, 1746; m. Mary Wright.

678. v. ELIZABETH, b. March 30, 1748; m., 1764, Rufus Field, of Northfield.

679. vi. NOAH, b. Nov. 29, 1750; m. Mary Brown.

680. vii. REBECCA, b. Aug. 13, 1752; m. —— Benton, of Surrey, N. H.

681. viii. MEDAD, b. Oct. 5, 1755; d. Oct. 17, 1756.

682. ix. MARTHA, b. June 11, 1757; m., 1781, Squire Howe. He was taken captive at Fort Bridgman in 1755. He was son of Caleb; b. 1751. When he was captured by the Indians he was terribly abused, for in 1790, the scars on his head bore testimony to the brutality he had received then. Res. Northfield, Mass., and Fabius, N. Y. He d. Nov. 20, 1807. She d., Prattsburg, N. Y., 1839. Ch.: 1. Rodolphus, b. 1782; m. Clarissa Hill. 2. Squire, b. 1785; m. Mary Townsley. 3. Martha, b. May 20, 1787; m. Horace Fowler. 4. William, b. 1790; m. Polly Griffith. 5. Anna, b. 1792; m. Levi Fowler. 6. Susan, b. April 19, 1794; m. Horace Fowler. 7. Clarissa, b. April 17, 1797; m. Robert Weld. 8. Caroline, b. July 17, 1798; m. Harvey Downs. It was, I think, Fort Sartwell, and not Fort Bridgman, where Caleb and Jemima Howe were captured. Sawtelle is the modern spelling and pronunciation. There is a piece of the wood of the fort in the Deerfield "Hall," and it was built by Jemima Howe's father. Others have told me that the "Bridgman" was a mistake.

683. x. MEDAD, b. April 25, 1759; m. Phebe Gould.

684. xi. PHINEHAS, b. Nov. 29, 1760; m. Diadama Morgan and Eunice Lyman.

685. xii. JOHN MONTAGUE, b. July 2, 1764; m. Martha Harris and Olive Clark.

344. AARON FIELD (Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., March 17, 1721; m. May 26, 1743, Eunice Frary, dau. of Nathaniel, b. Nov. 30, 1721; d. Oct. 28, 1813. He was a soldier in the French and Indian wars. Settled in Bernardston about 1753. His father, Nathaniel Frary, was son of Sampson and Mary (Daniel), and grandson of John Frary, who came from England with his wife, Prudence, and settled in Dedham, Mass., where he was one of the founders of the church. Sampson was born in Dedham, and moved to Hatfield, settling in that part called Deerfield. He escaped the massacres of King Phillip's war, but his home was burned. He was selectman in 1704, and was killed by the French and Indians, under Hertel de Rouville. The old house he erected in 1698 is still standing, being undoubtedly the oldest house in Deerfield Valley.

Aaron settled in Bernardston about 1753, on "Huckle Hill," which has ever been the home of the Fields since the house he built was just north of the present

John B. Field place, and has been burned. The Deacon Sheldon Fort was located very nearly opposite. He m. Eunice, dau. of Nathaniel Frary, of Deerfield. He was soldier in French and Indian wars; his name appearing on John Burke's roll, ending Nov. 30, 1758. On committee of correspondence, 1775; constable in 1762; warden in 1763; fence viewer in 1763-74; selectman in 1765-70-76-80-84. Was also surveyor of highways in 1767-75-78; tithingman in 1768, and town treasurer six years.

On May 18, 1676, occurred what has been known as the "Falls Fight." Captain Turner, with a comparatively small body of men, fell upon and destroyed hundreds of Indians at the Falls, in the Connecticut river, since known as Turner's Falls, in honor of the commander of the day. The retreat from this massacre was accomplished with great difficulty, and with a sad loss of life, Captain Turner himself being among the victims. It was not until sixty years after this event, namely, on Jan. 21, 1736, that the general court acknowledged the important and perilous service rendered on this occasion, by an appropriate grant of land. It then granted to the survivors of the fight, and the descendants of the others, a township, which was called in honor of the fight on which the grant was based: "Falltown," and which has since been incorporated with the name of Bernardston.

He d. March 17, 1800. Res. Deerfield and Bernardston, Mass.

686. i. EUNICE, b. Dec. 29, 1743; m. about 1760, Joseph Wells, b. 1731. He settled in Greenfield; d. Dec. 22, 1804. She d. Dec. 10, 1785. Ch.: 1. Joseph, b. May 11, 1761; Revolutionary soldier; d. Oct. 31, 1831. 2. Eunice, b. March 27, 1763; d. Dec. 8, 1783. 3. Anna, b. June 6, 1765; m. Eleazer Wells. 4. Aaron Field, b. June 25, 1767; m. Abigail Burnham. 5. Roswell, b. Sept. 9, 1769; m. —— White. 6. Thankful, b. Sept. 14, 1773; m. Ebenezer Corse. 7. Cephas, b. Nov. 30, 1775; d. Sept. 14, 1777. 8. Cephas, b. March 24, 1778; m. Cynthia Corse. 9. William, b. Jan. 24, 1780; d. June 2, 1802. 10. Eunice, b. Dec. 4, 1785; d. Sept. 3, 1789.

687. ii. CHLOE, b. Dec. 29, 1743; m. November, 1764, Samuel Shattuck, of Greenfield. He was son of Samuel, and was b. 1741; was a soldier in the French and Indian wars; was at Bunker Hill; was a miller at Greenfield; went to New York and d. Sept. 1, 1827, aged eighty-seven. She d. April 10, 1781, aged thirty-eight. Ch.: 1. Samuel, b. Aug. 15, 1765; m. Prudence Healey, of Vermont. 2. Chloe, b. Nov. 22, 1766; m. Ephraim Leach; res. Enosburg. 3. Consider, b. Feb. 7, 1768; m. Anne Atherton. 4. Seth, b. Jan. 24, 1770; m. Sylvia Chapin and Anna Smith. 5. Lydia, b. Oct. 8, 1771; d. Dec. 8, 1772. 6. Lydia, b. Feb. 15, 1774; m. Arad Root, of Montague. 7. Jesse, b. May 16, 1775; d. Aug. 27, 1777. 8. Jesse, b. Sept. 21, 1777; m. Mary E. Sargent, of Dummerston. 9. Robert, b. Dec. 17, 1780; name changed to Chester; m. Miriam W. Stocker.

688. iii. IRENE, b. Sept. 11, 1745; m. in 1769, Lieut. Daniel Newcomb. He was b. in Leyden, Mass., Nov. 18, 1741. When but three years of age his parents were driven from their home by the Indians and compelled to leave the county. They went to Lebanon, Conn. He d. in 1794. She d. in Winhall, Vt., in 1816. He was lieutenant in the Revolutionary war; was on the committee of correspondence; chairman of the committee of safety. Ch.: 1. Luther, b. April 12, 1770; m. Milessent Conant and Lucretia

Martin. 2. Jerusha, b. Nov. 3, 1771; m. 1788, Capt. Charles Hunt. She d. Lebanon, N. Y., 1834. 3. Irene, b. Oct. 28, 1773; d. Dec. 17, 1789. 4. Daniel, b. June 14, 1776; m. Electa Day. 5. Ephphatha, b. Aug. 12, 1778; m. Annis Clark. 6. Lucinda, b. Sept. 12, 1780; m. Capt. Allen Wood. Res. Lebanon, N. Y. 7. Aurelia, b. Sept. 18, 1782; m. Dudley Beebe, of Winhall, Vt. 8. Tirzah, b. Oct. 12, 1784; m. John Burlin; he d. a prisoner of the war of 1812; m., 2d, —— Paddock. 9. Irene, b. June 24, 1788; m. Col. Simeon Stearns. Res. Winhall, Vt. 10. Mehitable, b. Nov. 13, 1790; d. December, 1790.

689. iv. ANNA, b. in 1747; m. August, 1786, Ziba Allen, of Bernardston. He d. July 10, 1798, and she m., 2d, Salmon Clapp, of Montague. Clapp was son of Lieut.-Col. Amasa Clapp, of Northampton, who removed to Chesterfield. Amasa's line was as follows: Seth, Samuel, Preserved, Roger.

690. v. JESSE, b. March 15, 1749; m. Sarah Burke.

691. vi. RACHEL, b. in 1751; m. 1774, Dr. Polycarpus Cushman, of Bernardston. She d. Sept. 1, 1812.

692. vii. OLIVE, b. ——; m. Reuben Sheldon, of Leyden. He was b. 1749. Revolutionary soldier; was in company of Capt. Agrippa Wells at siege of Boston; served also under Capt. Thomas Alexander and marched to Quebec, arriving there April 27, 1776; was in the Burgoyne campaign under Capt. Lawrence Kemp, and removed from Deerfield to Leyden. Ch.: 1. Horace, b. ——. 2 Salmon, b. ——; m. Rebecca Bigelow. 3. Socrates, b. 1784, m. Experience Allen. 4. Ora, b. 1786; m. Mehitable Sheldon and Lydia Sheldon. 5. Mandana, b. 1789; m. Samuel Wright. 6. Reuben, b. 1797; was first postmaster at Leyden; representative 1838-9. Res. Rochester, N. Y. 7. Alva, b. ——. 8. Olive, b. ——; m. Elias Perry.

693. viii. AZABA, b. in 1762; d. unm. Jan. 6, 1831.

694. ix. MARIA, b. ——.

695. x. DECIMA, b. ——; m. Aug. 1, 1790, Shubal Fuller, of Windhall, N. J., and removed to Ohio.

695½. xi. MEHITABLE, b. about 1748; m. Deacon Jonathan Sheldon. She d. Jan. 16, 1797.

346. JOSIAH FIELD (Josiah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Feb. 24, 1723; m. Sarah ——. He settled in Somers, Conn. He was a soldier in the expedition to Havana, Oct. 6, 1762. Res. Somers, Conn.

696. i. EXPERIENCE, b. Nov. 13, 1760.

351. DANIEL FIELD (Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Joshua and Elizabeth (Cooley), b. in Springfield, Mass., 1723. He settled in Enfield, Conn., in 1748; removed to Bolton, Conn.; in 1785 to Vernon, Conn., where he d. in 1802. He m. May 26, 1753, Sarah Wells, of Bolton. Joshua Field's deed, given soon after 1754, to his son, Daniel Field, of Bolton, "consideration, love and affection," dated Bolton, Sept. 15, 1755. Daniel d. in 1828. Res. Bolton, Conn.

697. i. SARAH WELLS, b. Jan. 15, 1755; m. Daniel Loomis, of North Coventry, Conn.

698. i½. SAMUEL, b. Oct. 25, 1756; m. Huldah Millard.

699. ii. MARY, b. Nov. 8, 1758; m. Nov. 18, 1784, John Ensworth.
700. iii. DANIEL, b. May 1, 1761; m. Mary ——.
701. iv. THOMAS, b. Nov. 13, 1763; m. Lucy Bissell.
702. v. DAVID, b. April 1, 1766; m. Betty Squires.
703. vi. NATHANIEL, b. Nov. 23, 1768; m. Clarinda King.
704. vii. BETTIE, b. Jan. 31, 1771; m., 1st, Samuel Baker, of Bolton; m., 2d, Benjamin Talcott, his third wife, d. March 5, 1854.
705. viii. MARGARET, b. April 1, 1773.
706. ix. ROXANNA, b. June 1, 1775.
707. x. EUNICE, b. March 27, 1780.

353. NATHANIEL FIELD (Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Springfield, Mass., in 1727-28; m. Feb. 23, 1748, Mary Goodrich, in Bolton, Conn. She d. and he m., 2d, Experience. She d. in Phelps in 1834, aged ninety-five. Craft Goodrich, deed to Nathaniel Field, of Enfield, Conn., land with mansion house, etc.; consideration £400; dated, Bolton, March 23, 1761. He d. in Phelps in 1803, aged seventy-five. Res. Enfield and Bolton, Conn.

707½. i. JAMES, b. 1750; m. —— ——, and removed to Phelps, N. Y.
707¾. ii. FRANCES, b. Nov. 29, 1757; m. Naomi Wakeley.
708. iii. GEORGE, b. 1758; m. Eunice ——.
708½. iv. MARY, b. Feb. 10, 1760.

354. ENSIGN ELISHA FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., July 1, 1717. He removed, in 1761, to Bennington, Vt., and was one of the first settlers of that town. He was liberal in his religious opinions, which it is said was one of his reasons for removing from Sunderland. On account of the troubles with the New York claimants to the lands in Bennington, he sold, in 1781, and removed to Pittsford, Vt.; in 1782 to Cornwall, Vt., where he died Jan. 18, 1791. At the first town meeting held in Bennington, March 31, 1762, he was chosen one of the tithing men, and held other town offices. On the organization of a company of militia, Oct. 24, 1764, he was chosen ensign, and was in command of the company at the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, and was charged with the care of the captured Hessians from the battleground to the meeting house, in Bennington, beside other guard duties. He m. Jan. 11, 1753, Betty, dau. of John and Bathsheba Pratt, of Hardwick, Mass., b. in Westboro, Mass., May 6, 1726; d. Feb. 18, 1809.

709. i. JOSEPH, b. April 10, 1754; d. April 12, 1754.
710. ii. PERSIS, b. Sept. 21, 1756; d. April 16, 1758.
711. iii. ELISHA, b. Sept. 1, 1758; d. Oct. 17, 1758.
712. iv. LYDIA, b. May 19, 1760; m., 1st, 1781, Benjamin Stearns, of Cornwall, Vt.; m., 2d, December, 1815, Ezra Allen; d. Dec. 10, 1847; no issue.
713. v. ELISHA, b. March 13, 1763; m. Ruth Kirkham.
714. vi. ELIJAH, b. March 13, 1763; d. Jan. 15, 1769.
715. vii. ASAHEL, b. March 25, 1765; m. Martha Field and Betsey Parker.

357. JOSEPH FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., Dec. 8, 1723. He was a useful man in town and was held in esteem by his neighbors. He m. April 26, 1753, Ruth, dau. of Isaac and Mary Parker, b. in Groton, Mass., Jan. 27, 1734; d. Sept. 1, 1796. He d. Oct. 6, 1798. Res. Sunderland, Mass.

716. i. ELIJAH, b. Feb. 2, 1754; m. Tryphena Cooley.
717. ii. LUCY, b. Nov. 6, 1755; m. April 27, 1780, Rennah Wain Cooley, of Sunderland.

718. iii. REBECCA, b. Dec. 24 1758; d. Aug. 8, 1773.
719. iv. THOMAS, b. March 9, 1762; d. April 5, 1762.
720. v. MARY, b. March 30, 1764; m. Jan. 4, 1786, Heman Farnham, of Sunderland.
721. vi. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 24, 1766; d. Sept. 12, 1766.
722. vii. MARTHA, b. March 11, 1768; d. unm. Oct. 29, 1848, aged eighty.
723. viii. RUTH, b. May 27, 1770; d. insane October.
724. ix. JOSEPH, b. May 6, 1772; m. Sabra Emerson.
725. x. SUBMIT, b. June 17, 1774; m. Jan. 18, 1797, Gaius E. Lyman, of Northampton; d. in Hartford, April 27, 1846. He was b. Nov. 24, 1769; son of Elias and Hannah (Clapp) Lyman. Ch. 1. Elhanan Winchester. 2. Christopher Columbus. 3. Orra Almira. 4. Julia Etta. 5. Emma Submit. 6. Jane Rachel. 7. Hannah Submit. 8. Theodore.
726. xi. THOMAS, b. Aug. 16, 1777. He was quite a business man; was a colonel of militia; he removed to Oriskany, N. Y.; d. unm. Aug. 30, 1847.

362. DEACON JONATHAN FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., July 30, 1737. He settled in 1752 in Leverett, on Long Plain, so called, where he d. May 21, 1814, aged 77. He was a deacon of the Congregational church in Leverett many years. He was a soldier in Capt. John Hawks' company from April 15 to Nov. 16, 1758, and was under Gen. Abercrombie in his disastrous attack upon Fort Ticonderoga, July 8, 1758, where he lost in killed, wounded and missing, eight thousand men. He was very active during the Revolution, being one of the Council of Safety to see that the resolves of Congress were carried out regarding Tories and all inimical to the colonial cause.

Field, Jonathan. Private, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Wells' regiment; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 mo. 1 day, travel included, on expedition to the Northwest. Roll dated Leverett.—Mass. State Rev. Records.

He m. 1764, Elizabeth, dau. of—— and —— Cooley, of Sunderland, b. 1745; d. May 7, 1838, aged 85.

727. i. PARIS, b. Sept. 16, 1765; m. Cynthia Lee.
728. ii. CLARINDA, b. Nov. 20, 1767; d. unm. April 14, 1859.
729. iii. ELIHU, b. April 27, 1770; d. Sept. 27, 1780.
730. iv. MARIANNA, b. April 22, 1772; d. unm. Sept. 19, 1842.
731. v. SILAS, b. April 22, 1775; m. Mary Elizabeth Woodbury.
732. vi. REBECCA, b. April 22, 1778; d. Sept. 19, 1789.
733. vii. ELISHA, b. Feb. 19, 1781; m. Persis Hubbard.
734. viii. WALTER, b. March, 1788; m. Elizabeth G. Wiley and Mrs. Fanny (Stebbins) Woolcott.
735. ix. ELIHU, b. May 24, 1790; d. unm. July 20, 1862.

363. ISRAEL FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., March 27, 1741. He settled in Brattleboro, Vt. His name is signed to a petition to the town clerk to call a meeting to see if the town will join with Guilford to invite the Rev. Abner Reeve, of Hadley, to preach two Sabbaths, one in Brattleboro and one in Guilford, on trial. The meeting was held July 5, 1770, but Guilford did not come into the arrangement, although two of its citizens, Jasper Partridge and William Nichols, signed the petition. In

1776 he removed to Northfield, Mass., and in 1781 returned to Brattleboro. No further information to be found. He m. Martha ——.

Brattleboro was settled by Deerfield people, and Israel Field was one of its early settlers. It is not generally known that the first settlements in Brattleboro, outside the limits of Fort Dummer, were made on property now owned by the Brattleboro retreat. In 1757 the first settlement was made by Benjamin Moor upon the present site of the retreat farm-house. One year later he was killed by the Indians, and his wife and children carried captives to Canada. Five years afterward, in 1762, John Arms, of Deerfield, subsequently Maj. Arms, and Brattleboro's first postmaster, established a tavern on the same site, which afterward became famous. Col. Ethan Allen is said to have made this old inn his headquarters when he came here with a detachment of Green Mountain boys to enforce obedience to the authority of Vermont, while Gen. John Stark was probably a guest of the house just after the Bennington battle. Maj. Arms was killed by the kick of a horse in 1770, leaving a widow and son, who continued in the hotel business for several years thereafter. While repairs and renovations were going on at the farm-house during the past summer, a broken rusty sword, consisting of hilt and 18 incnes of blade, every part of which was hand-made, was unearthed, and near by an old-fashioned iron door-knocker was found. The second settlement was made in 1762 by Samuel Wells, also of Deerfield, who later became both a colonel and judge. He built a log-house half a mile west of the present Linden lodge, the cellar of which is still to be seen. The house was completely surrounded by a dense growth of stately oaks and pines. The first clearing was made north of the house, and was subsequently known and referred to as the "Log'us" lot, meaning, of course, "log-house lot." Ten years later, about 1772, he built the substantial and commodious three-story house which now forms the front part of Linden lodge, one room of which, elaborately paneled and filled with solid sliding window shutters, evidently designed as a means of protection against outside invasion, is carefully preserved. Massive timbers were used in the construction of this building, and, notwithstanding their service of 126 years, are apparently as sound as when framed. Hand-made wrought iron nails were used exclusively, and may still be seen projecting from the cupboards. This is now the oldest house in Brattleboro. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

736. i. MARTHA, b. 1768; m. Oct. 31, 1788, Asahel Field, of Cornwall, Vt.; she d. in childbirth Oct. 31, 1759.

737. ii. LUCINDA, bap. Aug. 11, 1776, in Northfield.

738. iii. JOSIAH, bap. Dec. 3, 1779; m. Sarah Graves and res. in Brattleboro.

738¼. iv. ALTHEA, b. Oct. 25, 1764, in Sunderland.

738⅓. v. MERCY, b. March 6, 1767, in Sunderland.

738½. vi. SUBMIT, b. March 6, 1767, in Sunderland.

368. SETH FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, Wiliam, William), b. Sunderland, Mass., March 13, 1741; m. May 26, 1764, Mary Hubbard, of Sunderland, dau. of Israel and Abigail (Smith), b. 1747; d. Aug. 3, 1803; m., 2d, Dec. 15. 1805, Mrs. Margery (Knowlton) Lotheridge, of Pelham, Mass., b. Ireland, 1754; d. Silver Creek, N. Y., in 1833. He went with his father to Leverett, when, becoming of age, he purchased a farm near his father, where he died. Mary Hubbard, his first wife, was a lineal descendant of John Hubbard, who, in company with Samuel Smith and Zechariah Field, withdrew from the Connecticut churches and came up the river and settled in Hadley and Hatfield in 1659.

Will of Seth, of Leverett, 1813, June 22, probated. Sons: Roswell, Rufus, Martin, Spencer, Orlando. Dau.: Polly Adams.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. March 3, 1813; res. Sunderland and Leverett, Mass.

739. iii. MARTIN, b. Jan. 12, 1773; m. Esther Smith Kellogg.
740. i. ROSWELL, b. Dec. 29, 1767; m. Sarah Graves.
741. ii. RUFUS, b. 1771; m. Sarah Field.
742. iv. POLLY, b. 1776; m. 1795, Eliphalet Adams; d. in 1811, and removed to Adams, Jefferson county, N. Y., where she, her husband and infant child d. the same week of spotted fever in the winter of 1811, and were buried in one common grave.
743. v. SPENCER, b. Jan. 20, 1782; m. Hannah Cutler.
744. vi. ORLANDO, b. May 28, 1787; m. Dolly Field and Fanny Baker.

369. WILLIAM FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Aug. 27, 1745. He settled in Leverett where he was a successful farmer and a valued citizen, holding various town offices. He d. Jan. 24, 1824. He m., 1st, 1770, Dorothy, dau. of Ephraim and Dorothy (Hawley) Kellogg, of Amherst, bap. Feb. 28, 1746; d. Aug. 6, 1773; m., 2d, Feb. 17, 1780, Editha, dau. of Phinehas and Mary (Billings) Frary, of Hatfield, b. April 27, 1756; d. in Amherst Oct. 7, 1855, aged 99 years, 5 months, 10 days.

Field, William, Leverett. Private, Capt. Reuben Dickenson's co. of Minutemen, Col. R. Woodbridge's regt.; which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 16 days; also, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Wells' regt.; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 13, 1777; service, 26 days, travel included, on an expedition to the Northward.—Mass. State Rev. Records.

745. i. LUTHER, b. Sept. 1771; m. Beulah Broad.
746. ii. ERASTUS, b. July 22, 1773; m. Salome Ashley.
747. iii. DOLLY, b. Jan. 21, 1781; d. June 18, 1790.
748. iv. PHINEHAS, b. Jan. 23, 1783; m. Caroline Hubbard, dau. of Wm.; d. Nov. 4, 1808.
749. v. MARTHA, b. Oct. 6, 1785; m. May 3, 1803, Abner Ball, of Amherst; d. March 2, 1857.
750. vi. CYNTHIA, b. Oct. 15, 1787; m. 1805, Sylvanus Field, of Leverett; d. April 20, 1854.
751. vii. HEMAN, b. April 6, 1790; m. Achsah Abbott.
752. viii. DOROTHY, b. April 22, 1794; m. July 13, 1813, Orlando Field, of Leverett; d. July 22, 1817.
753. ix. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 4, 1796; m. Roxanna M. Kellogg.
754. x. GILES FRARY, b. May 18, 1799; d. March 10, 1804.

371. JONATHAN FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Aug. 15, 1750; went with his father to Leverett, where he was a successful farmer; d. Nov. 22, 1833. At a town meeting held Jan. 26, 1775, Elisha Clary, Jonathan Field, 3d, and Jonathan Field, Jr., were chosen a committee of safety to see to it that the resolves of Congress were strictly adhered to. He m. Sept. 6, 1773, Sarah, dau. of Ephraim and Dorothy (Hawley) Kellogg, of Amherst; bap. Sept. 30, 1753; d. Jan. 14, 1832. Res. Leverett, Mass.

755. i. LUCIUS, b. May 31, 1774; d. Feb. 8, 1775.
756. ii. SYLVANUS, b. Feb. 26, 1776; m. Cynthia Field.
757. iii. LUCIUS, b. Jan. 6, 1778; m. Virtue Ashley.
758. iv. LEVI, b. Feb. 13, 1780; m. Rachel Kingsley.
759. v. SARAH, b. June 23, 1782; m., 1st, Rufus Field, of Leverett; m., 2d, Jonathan Conant, of Leverett; d. Apr. 20, 1844.
760. vi. ALPHEUS, b. June 26, 1786; m. Caroline Adams.

373. MOSES FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Sept. 17, 1754. He res. on the old homestead, a respected citizen and farmer; d. June 30, 1832.

Field, Moses. Private, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Leonard's regt.; enlisted Feb. 25, 1777; discharged April 10, 1777; service on expedition to Ticonderoga; also, Capt. Joseph Slarrow's co., Col. David Wells' regt.; enlisted Sept. 23, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 mo., 1 day, travel included, on expedition to the Northward; roll dated Leverett.—Mass. State Rev. Records.

Moses, of Leverett, 1832, Dec. 18; rec. wife Mary. Ch.: Jonathan, Lovina Sanderson, Electa Ball, Mary Field, single woman; Seth, Ransom, Moses.—Franklin Co. Probate.

He m. 1780, Mary Spellman, of Conn., b. 1753; d. July 23, 1843; res. Leverett, Mass.

761. i. LOVINA, b. Jan. 30, 1781; m. Lucius Sanderson, of Sunderland; d. 1844.

762. ii. ELECTA, b. Jan. 5, 1785; d. Feb. 28, 1788.

763. iii. JONATHAN, b. Jan. 25, 1786; m. Elizabeth Lotheridge and Ruth F. Dustan.

764. iv. ELECTA, b. Oct. —, 1788; m. Dr. Silas Ball, of Montague, Leverett, Amherst and Chicopee; d. July 1, 1826.

765. v. MOSES, b. Feb. 25, 1791; m. Dolly Russell, Almira Hubbard and Rhoda C. Putnam.

766. vi. SETH, b. Jan. 15, 1793; d. Oct. 15, 1794.

767. vii. MARY, b. March 30, 1795; m. 1815, Clark Rowe, of Sunderland; d. Nov. 7, 1853.

768. viii. SETH, b. March 20, 1797, Leverett, Mass.; a physician; he settled in Barre, Vt.; removed in —— to Lodi, Cataraugus county, N. Y., where he d.; he represented the county of Cataraugus in the legislature in 1843; he m. ——; no issue.

769. ix. RANSOM, b Feb. 28, 1799; m. Eliza Russell and Louise Stevens. (Written underneath in pencil, "4 more to be added.")

378. JOHN FIELD (John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Feb. 27, 1704; m. 1726, Mary Howard, dau. of Ephraim, of Bridgewater. She m., 2d, April 29, 1738, Hon. Elisha Pierce, of Scituate. Deacon Pierce was b. in Scituate, Nov. 24, 1699, son of Benjamin and grandson of Capt. Michael, who was first lieutenant in Capt. Myles Standish's Plymouth company of militia. His first wife was Sarah Edson, dau. of Capt. Josiah. She had one child, Sarah, and d. in 1735. By Mrs. Field he had Elisha, Calvin, Mary and Persis (see Pierce Gen. No. 4, by Frederick C. Pierce). Mitchells—Widow settled his estate, 1729, and she afterwards m. Elisha Pearce, of Scituate, Mass. John Field gave most of his property in Providence to his two grandsons, John and James, and that was probably the cause of their moving there.

7657. John Field, Jr., of Bridgewater. Mary Field, his widow, appointed administratrix Jan. 16, 1729. No will.—Plymouth Co. Probate.

He d. Sept. 28, 1729; res. Bridgewater, Mass.

770. i. JOHN, b. 1727; m. Lydia Warren.

771. ii. JAMES, b. 1729; m. Sarah Burkett.

380. ZEBULON FIELD (Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Aug. 23, 1707; m. Nov. 14, 1733, Anna Williams (Joseph, Joseph, Richard, of Taunton), b. Jan. 18, 1710; her mother's name was Mary Gilbert, m. April 7, 1707; m., 2d, Norton, Mass., Feb. 22, 1749-50,

Patience Wetherell, of Norton, dau. of Nathaniel and Mary (White) b. Sept. 3, 1728.

From the division of the estate of Anna, the first wife of Zebulon Field, it appears that the committee appointed in 1797 to make the division, first "made inquiry to know how much of said estate or what parts of shares had been transferred from the original heirs, to-wit: Richard Field, Zebulon Field, Elizabeth Presho, Mary Knap, Zibiah Dean and Anna Woodward." They found that Elizabeth Presho had sold three-sevenths of her share in the two farms, and all her share in the cedar swamps to Zebulon Field, and four-sevenths of her share in said farms to Nathaniel Field; that Richard Field had sold to James Leonard, of Taunton, then deceased, all his share in the two farms, which was two-sevenths thereof, he being the eldest son and entitled to a double share; that said James Leonard had sold one-half of said double share to his son, James, who had sold to Nathaniel Field one-half of what he bought from his father; that Mary Knap had sold one-half of her share in the entire estate to Zebulon Field, and the other half to Nathaniel Field. The persons who owned the estate at the time of the division and the proportions in which they held it were as follows: In the two farms, Zebulon Field, by inheritance and purchase (seventeen forty-ninths) 17-49; Nathaniel Field, by purchase, 14½-49; heirs of James Leonard, deceased, by purchase, 7-49; James Leonard, by purchase, 3½-49; Anna Woodward, by inheritance, 7-49. In the cedar swamps, Zebulon Field, by inheritance and purchase, 21-49; Richard Field, by inheritance, double share, 14-49; Nathaniel Field, by purchase, 7-49; Anna Woodward, by inheritance, 7-49. The estate was divided in the above proportions, and the division recorded in the probate office at Taunton. It is evident that of the eighteen children of Zebulon Field, only six were by his first wife. Wealthy, who has been claimed as a daughter of Anna, was born about seven years after Zebulon's second marriage, and probably was the fourth child of his second wife, Patience. James Leonard, who bought the double share of Richard Field in the two farms, was a son of William and Sarah (Bolton) Leonard; b. in 1716; m. in 1737, Jemima Heiford; d. in 1787, leaving a widow, Jemima; James, the son, m. in 1770; Eunice Smith, his wife (Eunice) signed the deed which he gave to Nathaniel Field in 1792. Neither James could have been the husband of Wealthy Field.

As will be seen by the will, his wife Patience was appointed executrix, but she declined, and Ephraim Wilbor, of Norton, settled the estate as administrator with the will annexed.

Will—In the name of God, Amen. I, Zebulon Field, of Taunton, in the County of Bristol, in the State of Massachusetts Bay, yeoman, being sick and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks being given unto God; calling unto mind the mortality of my body, and knowing it is appointed once for all men to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally and first of all, I recommend my soul unto Almighty God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executrix; nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again, by the mighty power of God, and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to give me in this life, I give, devise and dispose in the following manner and form:

First. I give and bequeath to Patience, my truly beloved wife, whom I likewise constitute, make and ordain the sole executrix of my last will and testament, all and singular, my horned cattle and my sheep and my household goods, and my pew in the Baptist Meeting House, by her freely to be enjoyed.

Also I give to my well beloved son, Richard Field, one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to him out of my estate by my executors in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my son Zebulon Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my son Nathaniel Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to him out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my son, James Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my son, John Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to him out of my estate, by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also to my son, Jude Field, I give the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix at the age of twenty-one.

Also I give to Solomon Field, my son, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix at the age of twenty-one.

Also I give to Elizabeth Presho, my daughter, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my daughter, Anna Woodward, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to her out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my daughter, Zibiah Dean's heirs or legal representatives, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my daughter, Mary Knapp, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my daughter, Hannah Wilbore, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix, in one year from my decease.

I give to my daughter, Wealthy Leonard, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix in one year from my decease.

Also I give to my daughter, Rachel Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix when she is twenty-one years of age.

Also I give to my daughter, Sarah Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid out of my estate by my executrix at the age of twenty-one.

Also I give to my daughter, Lydia Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to her out of my estate, at the age of twenty-one, by my executrix.

Also I give to my daughter, Patience Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money to be paid to her at the age of twenty-one out of my estate by my executrix.

Also I give to my daughter, Ruth Field, the sum of one shilling, lawful money, to be paid to her out of my estate at the age of twenty-one years by my executrix.

Also I give and bequeath unto my aforesaid wife, Patience, after my just debts are paid, all the residue of my estate, dues or demands, monies, or whatever of the estate I die seized of or in any way belongs to me, to her, freely to the profit and enjoyment, and I do hereby utterly disallow and revoke all other and former testaments, wills, legacies and bequests by me in any way before named, willed and bequeathed, ratifying and confirming this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24th day of January, in the year of our Lord 1778. Zebulon Field.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Zebulon Field, as his last will and testament in the presence of us, who, in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names.

Daniel Bassett,
Jacob Smith,
William Burt, 3rd.

August 5, 1797, approved.
Bristol ss. August 1st, 1797.

Then before me, the Honorable Seth Padelford, Esq., Judge of the Probate of Wills, came Daniel Bassett, Jacob Smith and William Burt, 3rd, the three witnesses to the foregoing instrument, who made oath that they saw Zebulon Field, who has since deceased, sign, seal, and heard him declare said instrument to be his last will and testament, and that they who subscribed their names together as witnesses to this will in each other's presence, declare he was then of sound and disposing mind.

Seth Padelford.

He d. in 1797. Res. Taunton, Mass.

772. ii. ZEBULON, b. the second son; m. Charity Lincoln and Hannah Hall.

773. i. RICHARD, b. ——; the elder son; m. Rachel Clapp.

774. iii. NATHANIEL, b. Jan. 3, 1751; m. Sarah Leonard.

775. iv. JAMES, b. ——; m. Mary Drew.

776. v. JOHN, b. about 1740; m. Hannah ——.

777. vi. JUDE, b. ——; m. Abigail Carpenter.

778. vii. SOLOMON, b. 1767; m. Lucy ——.

779. viii. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Aug. 18, 1755, Peter Presho; res. Taunton. He was of Raynham, and had ch.: 1. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 3, 1760. 2. Peter, b. Nov. 19, 1761. 3. Joseph, b. May 22, 1768; and probably others.

780. ix. ANNA, b. ——; m. Elkanah Woodward; res. Taunton; she was living 1797.

781. x. ZIBIAH, b. ——; m. Abiel Dean; res. Taunton.

782. xi. MARY, b. ——; m. Nov. 27, 1766, Daniel Knapp; res. Norton.

783. xii. HANNAH, b. ——; m. April 24, 1772, Ephraim Wilbore (Wilbur), of Raynham, and had ch.: 1. Hannah, b. March 5, 1773; d. April 12, 1778. 2. Abiah, b. Oct. 15, 1774; d. April 17, 1778. 3. Ephraim, b. Oct. 15, 1776; d. Dec. 29, 1777. 4. Patience, b. Jan. 12, 1779; d. Oct. 1, 1786. 5. Elizabeth, b. Aug. 1, 1781; m. Samuel Wetherell. 6. Field, b. Oct. 25, 1783. 7. Hannah (again), b. March 4, 1786. 8. Reuben, b. July 17, 1788. 9. Varsina or Barsina, b. June 24, 1790. 10. Ephraim (again). 11. Calvin.

784. xiii. WEALTHY, b. ——; m. James Leonard; res. Taunton. Pub. Sept. 21, 1779, Nathaniel Britton, of Raynham. She d. Jan. 10, 1829, aged 72 years.

785. xiv. RACHEL, b.——.

786. xv. SARAH, b. ——; m. March 30, 1780, Elisha, son of Andrew and Abigail Gilmore, of Raynham. Their children were: 1. Sally, b. Jan. 3, 1781. 2. Olive, b. July 23, 1782. 3. Elisha, b. Oct. 7, 1785. 4. Serena, b. Aug. 1, 1788. 5. Twins, b. Feb. 23, 1792; d. soon after birth. 6. Adna, b. Feb. 15, 1793. 7. Diademia, b. March 2, 1795. 8. Sidney, b. Oct. 12, 1796. 9. William, b. March 27, 1798; d. Jan. 14, 1802. 10. Ansel, b. April 11, 1801. 11. Zerviah Spencer, b. Sept. 30, 1803.

787. xvi. LYDIA, b.——.

788. xvii. PATIENCE, b. ——.

789. xviii. RUTH, b. ——; m. Oct. 18, 1787, Daniel Austin, and had ch.: Abner, Stimpson and others. m., 2d, Aug. 30, 1832, Capt. Timothy White, of Taunton; d. in Mansfield, Mass., in 1857.

383. JABEZ FIELD (Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Sept. 29, 1713; m. Feb. 25, 1745, Mary Fobes, dau. of Ephraim.

7653. Jabez Field, of Bridgewater, yeoman, left a will written Feb. 6, 1800. Legatees mentioned in the will—son William Field, son Fobes Field, son Daniel Field, son Barzillai Field, son Bethuel Field, son Richard Field, son Ephraim Field, son Waldo Field, daughter Susanna Cary, wife of Moses Cary. The will was proved and sons Fobes and Daniel appointed executors, Jan. 7, 1805.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. 1804, aged ninety-two. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

790. i. JABEZ FOBES, b. March 25, 1747; d. unm. 1826. Field, Fobes, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's company of Minutemen, Colonel Bailey's regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, four days; also private, Capt. Nathan Packard's company, Col. Edward Mitchell's regiment; service five days; company ordered to Squantum, March 4, 1776, on an alarm; also Captain Snell's company, Colonel Mitchell's regiment; marched Dec. 8, 1776; service two weeks, two days; company marched to Providence, R. I., on the alarm of Dec. 8, 1776; also Capt. David Packard's company, Colonel Cary's regiment; service eleven days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

7651. Fobes Field, of North Bridgewater, left a will written Aug. 5, 1826. Legatees mentioned in will: Daniel Field, Jr., and George Field, sons of Lieut. Zopher Field; Melinda Field, brother Daniel Field, widow Rebecca Field, widow of his brother, Richard, deceased. To her he gives land and buildings, which he (Fobes) owns in Claremont, N. H. He mentions children of his brother, Richard, but no names. He mentions brothers Barzillai, Bethuel and Waldo, and sister Susanna Cary. He mentions children of his brother, William, deceased (names not given), and three children of his nephew, Waldo Field, deceased (their names not given). The above named Melinda was unmarried at that time, but her relationship to the deceased not given. Executor appointed Sept. 5, 1826.—Plymouth County Probate.

791. ii. SUSANNA, b. Nov. 9, 1748; m. April 13, 1773, Moses Cary, son of Jonathan, b. 1744; d. 1839. Ch.: 1. Lucius, b. 1776. 2. Barzillai, b. 1780. 3. Susannah, b. 1783. 4. Polly, b. 1785. 5. Cassandana, b. 1788.

792. iii. RICHARD, b. July 22, 1751; m. Rebecca Harris.

793. iv. WILLIAM, b. July 28, 1753; m. Jemima Keith.

794. v. EPHRAIM, b. Oct. 19, 1755; m. Ruby Brett.

795. vi. DANIEL, b. Sept. 20, 1758; m. Hannah Snell.

796. vii. BARZILLAI, b. Dec. 6, 1760; m. Patty Packard.

797. viii. BETHUEL, b. Aug. 28, 1763; d. unm. in 1849. 7643. Bethuel Field, of North Bridgewater, yeoman, left a will written Sept. 6, 1831; codicil written Aug. 27, 1832; legatees mentioned, John Field, Lucius Field and Chloe Field, children of his brother Barzillai. Executor appointed April 3, 1849.—Plymouth County Probate.

798. ix. WALDO, b. ——; went west.

392. DOCTOR DANIEL FIELD (Daniel, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Oct. 5, 1712; m. July 3, 1733,

Susanna Thayer. He made his will in 1737. Went into the French war and d. prob. at Crown Point.

7646. Daniel Field, of Bridgewater, physician, "being in sound mind & good health, thanks be to God, but bound in the expedition against Crown Point have dependence on living no longer than divine providence shall wisely order," etc. Legatees mentioned: Wife Susanna, three daughters, Rachel, Anna and Susanna (last names not given). Will written May 7, 1756; proved and widow Susanna appointed executrix Jan. 11, 1757. His estate was thought to be "greatly insolvent" at first, but proved to be otherwise.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. in 1756. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

799. i. ANNA, b. about 1734; m. Jan. 30, 1769, Eleazar Hill, b. 1729; d., s. p., 1791. Res. Bridgewater.

800. ii. SUSANNA, b. about 1736; m. 1769, Capt. Jesse Perkins. Ch.: 1. Zadock, b. 1771. 2. Rachel, b. 1776; m. Shepherd Perkins. Susanna d. about 1777-89, and he m., 2d, Bliss Phinney.

801. iii. RACHEL, b. ——.

395. JOSEPH FIELD (Daniel, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass.; m. 1748, Rachel Pray. 7661. Joseph Field, of Bridgewater, yeoman, left a will written March 11, 1754. Legatees mentioned in the will: Wife Rachel, eldest son John, a minor; youngest son Joseph, a minor, and daughter Abigail Field. Will proved June 3, 1754. Charles Biswick was one of the witnesses. In an account filed in this case the executor charges himself with legacies paid Daniel and Everton Beswick, but the will does not mention these.—Plymouth County Probate.

7660. John Field et als. Isaac Packard was appointed guardian of John Field and Abigail Field, minor children of Joseph Field, of Bridgewater, deceased. Appointment made Dec. 1, 1755.—Same.

He d. 1754. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

802. i. JOHN, b. 1750.

803. ii. ABIGAIL, b. 1752; m. 1776, Elkanah Palmer.

804. iii. JOSEPH, b. 1753.

398. ZACHARIAH FIELD (Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1706; m. in Rehoboth, Mass., Sept. 20, 1727, Lydia Titus, of Rehoboth. Res. Providence, R. I.

805. i. EZRA, b. Sept. 21, 1730, in Rehoboth.

806. ii. ZACHARIAH, b. ——.

807. iii. JOHN, b. April 10, 1728.

808. iv. ELIZABETH, b. ——.

399. CAPTAIN JOHN FIELD (Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., 1708; m. there Jan. 12, 1735; Elizabeth Snow, dau. of Joseph. Administration of his estate was granted his widow, Elizabeth, July 15, 1738. Admitted freeman in 1734. His widow afterward, Sept. 13, 1743, m. Ezra Dean, of Plainfield, Conn., and had two daughters. She d. before Jan. 12, 1765.

B. 9, 18. From Daniel Abbott, Oct. 26, 1731, son of Zachariah Field, Jr., deceased, land near Waybosset bridge, originally Daniel Brown.

B. 9, 139. From Joseph Brown, Oct. 6, 1732, land "on the neck of land near Waybosset Hill, being a little Northerly of the place called the Ship Yard."

Probate Records 3, p. 244. Widow Elizabeth. Book 3, p. 246. Inventory £668 12s. taken July 25, 1738, by John Field and Eleazer Metcalf. Book 4, p. 149. Ezra

Dean appears and reports that his wife (who was widow of John Field) had paid out Dec. 24, 1744, the sum of £580, and had £88 left.

He d. St. Eustaceus, April 5 1738. Res. Providence, R. I.

809. i. JOHN, b. 1738; m. Abigail Corey.

400. JOSEPH FIELD (John, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1715; m. July 3, 1768, Susannah Hambleton.

42. Joseph Field, Jr., cordwainer, in deeds; b. about 1715-23; d. after 1754.

Arnold 10, 162. Married Susannah Hambleton, July 3, 1768.

Council Records. Feb. 3, 1737-38. Father John, dead, he chooses Richard Waterman, Jr., for guardian.

B. 11, 246. To Uncle Joseph (16), Oct. 1, 1744; interest in Uncle James estate; no wife.

B. 11, 331. To Uncle Joseph (16), March 14, 1745; interest in Uncle James estate; no wife.

B. 12, 365. From Edward Manton (34). 1750. To Benjamin Waterman, 1750.

B. 13, 327. To Anthony Olney, Dec. 21, 1753, wife Susannah.

B. 14, 149. From Edward Tripp, March 10, 1753.

B. 14, 203. To William Lockwood, Oct. 13, 1753.

B. 15, 80. To Anthony Olney, Nov. 4, 1754, wife Susannah.

B. 14, 149. Land bought of Edward Tripp.

He d. after 1754. Res., s. p., Providence, R. I.

401. CAPTAIN ISAAC FIELD (Joseph, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Nov. 18, 1743; m. Aug. 9, 1764, Martha Hartshorn, b. 1745; d. Oct. 10, 1828. Administration allowed to widow, Martha Feb. 19, 1781.

B. 18, 432. To Gideon Comstock, March 15, 1771, Archibald Young's land.

Cranston, B. 6, 308. Probate Records, March 31, 1781; inventory £117; widow Martha administrator.

Providence, B. 19, 535. Sept. 10. 1785, Martha Field, widow, of Providence, to town of Providence, land at Hawkins' Cove, for pest house.

He d. June 8, 1780. Res. Providence, R. I.

810. i. MARY, b. May 6, 1766; m. July 17, 1783, Isaac Manchester. She d. November, 1865. He was b. July 28, 1760. Ch.: 1. Lydia Sheldon, b. February, 1791; d. unm. 2. Joseph Field, b. March 2, 1793; d. unm. 3. Patty, b. Nov. 17, 1795; d. young. 4. Mary A., b. April 4, 1798. 5. Sally M., b. Feb. 19, 1800; d. young. 6. Cyrus B., b. Jan. 11, 1802. 7. Albert H., b. Dec. 18, 1808. 3. Abby W., b. Sept. 6, 1806. 9. Roby W., b. January, 1809; m. Caleb Whipple. Ch.: Martha.

811. ii. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 24, 1768; d. 1786.

812. iii. ISAAC, b. Aug. 3, 1770; d. in infancy.

813. iv. ISAAC, b. Sept. 12 1772; d. Aug. 3, 1790, in North Carolina.

814. v. GEORGE, b. 1774; m. Mary Green.

815. vi. SARAH b. prob. 1775-76; m., 1st, Jan. 9, 1783, Samuel Waters; m., 2d, Jeremiah Eddy. Ch.: 1. Abby Waters. 2. Isaac Waters. 3. Eunice Eddy. 4. Barnard Eddy. Res. Providence, R. I. Sarah Eddy, wid. of Jeremiah Eddy; she was a United States pensioner as wid. of Samuel Waterous. At the time of her death the record says her only living children were Eunice Shaw, widow, and Abby Hoes, wife of Lucas Hoes, of Kinderhook,

N. Y. Arnold 10, 206. M. Aug. 23, 1795, Jeremiah Eddy and Sarah Field.

816. vii. ABIGAIL, b. Dec. 4, 1777; d. in infancy, aged six months.

403. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I , about 1696; m. there Abigail ——. In 1742 Thomas Field, Jr., speaks of his grandfathers, Thomas Field and William Hopkins. He is then forty-six years old. In 1752 Thomas Field asks for a summons to cause his mother, Abigail Fields (stepmother), to appear before the administrator. He was freeman of colony in 1720.

B. 8, 500. From Thomas Field, June 7, 1725.

B. 9, 414. From Thomas Field, Feb. 13, 1734-5.

B. A10, 399. From Thomas Field, 1738-39.

B. A10, 400. To Richard and Phebe Knight, land in lot of father Thomas, 1741.

B. A11, 264. To son Silas, 1743-44, half of farm.

B. A13, 22. From Elisha Brown, 1750.

B. A13, 203. To Jeremiah, May 12, 1753.

B. A13, 353. From Peter Bateman, 1754.

Scituate Probate 2, 309. Will of Thomas Field, dated April 21, 1774, proved May 20, 1777. To daughter Phebe Knight. To heirs of son Silas. To daughters Lois Field, six acres. To son Chad Field, residue. Stephen Leach, executor.

He d. in 1777. Res. Scituate, R. I.

817. i. THOMAS, b. 1723; m. Abigail —— and Sarah Manchester.

818. ii. SILAS, b. ——; m. Freelove Barnes and Sarah Collins.

819. iii. PHEBE, b. ——; m. Richard Knight, Jr. Will of Thomas Field, 1774, leaves Phebe Knight pewter platter.

820. iv. LOIS, b. ——; n. f. k.

821. v. CHAD, b. after 1762, before 1769; m. April 20, 1783, Urana Robbins, gr. dau. of Samuel.

Scituate Probate. Asked, March 24, 1783, to have Benjamin Wight his guardian, he being a minor.

Scituate 8, 108. Oct. 23, 1788. To James Andrews, wife Urana, and mother Abigail, release dower.

Scituate 8, 109. Oct. 23, 1788, from James Andrews.

405. JEREMIAH FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., before 1706; m. Dec. 27, 1725, Abigail Waterman, dau. of Justice Richard. In 1752 Jeremiah Field and William Dean are sureties to Mrs. Abigail Field, widow of Thomas (3). Freeman in 1720.

B. A10, 105. From Thomas Field, March 30, 1737.

B. A10, 266. From Timothy Carpenter, Feb. 21, 1738-39.

B. A10, 407. From Edward Arnold, Jan. 12, 1740, Starve Goat Island.

B. A10, 408. From Elisha Arnold, 1740, Starve Goat Island.

B. A10, 409. From Joseph Williams, Jr., 1740, Starve Goat Island.

B. 10, 145. From Nathaniel (10), Nov. 3, 1743, Ponagansett Neck.

B. 10, 137. From Nathaniel (10), Thatch at Ponagansett Neck.

B. 11, 2. From Toleration Harris, Sept. 6, 1740, Starve Goat Island.

B. 11, 51. From Silas Carpenter, March 10, 1741-42, Starve Goat Island.

B. 11, 54. From Benj. Carpenter, March 1, 1741-42, Starve Goat Island.

B. 11, 147. From Waterman Bros., 1742-43, Starve Goat Island.

B. 11, 162. From Waterman Bros., 1743, Starve Goat Island.

B. 11, 147. To William Carpenter, 1743.

B. 11, 187. To Archibald Young, Aug. 9, 1743.
B. 11, 303. From Thomas, May 21, 1744.
B. 11, 260. From Amaziah Waterman, 1744.
B. 11, 273. To Joseph Field, 1744.
B. 11, 306. To Elisha Baker, 1744.
B. 12, 186. Mortgage, Thomas, 1746.
B. 13, 203. From Thomas, quitclaim, May 12, 1753.
B. 13, 138. From Nathaniel, 1752, homestead.
B. 13, 140. To Nathaniel, May, 1753.

B. 13, 282, 283, 286. Will, dated Dec. 5, 1765; proved at Cranston, Sept. 29, 1768.

B. 13, 289. First wife, Abigail; second, William; third, James; fourth grandson, Pardon, son of James; fifth sons Daniel and Jeremiah; sixth son Thomas; seventh Hannah; eighth Sarah; ninth James, Thomas, Daniel, Jeremiah, Abigail, Gorman and Hannah.

Smithfield, 6-20. April 26, 1763, to Jeremiah Smith, 13 acres; no wife.
Smithfield, 6-33. Dec. 11, 1762, to James Brown, 15 acres; no wife.
Scituate 3, 409. May 17, 1744, to Job Randal, 120 acres; no wife.
Scituate 3, 451. March 2, 1749, to Joseph Slater; no wife.
Scituate 4, 41. Aug. 9, 1750, to son William, near Sunhangansett river.
Scituate 4, 300. Dec. 2, 1751, to Henry Harris, 55 acres; no wife.
Scituate 5, 265. Nov. 26, 1763, to son Thomas, 150 acres; no wife.
Scituate 5, 314. Oct. 27, 1763, to Charles Walker; no wife.

Jeremiah Field made his will Dec. 5, 1765, and d. Sept. 2, 1768; will proved Sept. 29, 1768. By first item he provides for support of his widow, in lieu of her dower, but the widow declines to accept the will. By fifth item he gives his homestead farm in Cranston to his sons, Daniel and Jeremiah, in equal shares, "but as my son Daniel Field is now absent on a voyage at sea, and at present unheard of, and in case my said son, Daniel, should never return home from said voyage, then my will is, and I do hereby give and devise what I have herein given to my said son Daniel unto my son Jeremiah he providing for and maintaining his mother in manner and under the restrictions as aforesaid and to be and remain unto him my said son Jeremiah his heirs and assigns forever." By another clause he gives the "farming tackle" and cows and sheep and horses to Daniel and Jeremiah, or to Jeremiah alone in case Daniel does not return. And by another clause gives some furniture, etc., to Daniel, but to go to Jeremiah in case Daniel does not return; and finally divides the residue among his children, including Daniel, but Daniel's portion to be divided among all sons in case Daniel does not return. There is no record of a Daniel Field at this period on the Cranston land and probate records. Son William was named as one of the executors, but declined to act. The widow declined to accept the conditions of the will. There is no record of any division of the property. But on April 1, 1777, appear some important real estate transactions, in relation to the homestead farm, which was given to Daniel and Jeremiah. Jeremiah appears to be sole possessor, as Abigail, widow of his father, conveys to him her right of dower in that farm, and in another piece of property in his (her son's) possession. Jeremiah gives bond for £1,300 to his mother, conditioned on his agreement to pay her £39 annually during her life. Jeremiah (and wife Lydia) conveys for £1,950 the homestead farm and other lands to his brother William. April 2, 1777, William Field mortgaged the homestead farm to Zephaniah Brown.

He d. Sept. 2, 1768. Res. Providence and Cranston, R. I.

822. i. WILLIAM, b. April 30, 1728; m. Waite Westcot.
823. ii. ABIGAIL, b. Jan. 27, 1730; m. Oct. 7, 1743, Benjamin Gorham,

who was son of Jabez, son of Capt. John Gorham, of Gorhamburg, England, and Desire Howland, who came to America in the Mayflower. Ch.: 1. Bethia, b. 1761; d. unm. 2. Amey, b. 1762. 3. Abigail, b. 1769. 4. William, b. 1771; d. young. 5. Samuel. 6. Benjamin. 7. Jabez. Arnold Vit. Sta. has it: Prov. Oct. 4, 1753, Jabez Gorham m. Abigail Field. This I think is correct.

824. iii. SARAH, b. March 16, 1735; d. in Chester, Vt.; m. January, 1758, George Rounds. Ch.: 1. One dau.; m. —— Greene. 2. Oliver. 3. Jeremiah. 4. William had ch.: George, William, Nathan and two daus. Sarah received by will from her father but $1. B. 20, 23. To Jeremiah Field, 1772.

825. iv. JAMES, b. July 31, 1738; m. Hannah Stone and Jane Stone.

826. v. THOMAS, b. Sept. 7, 1741; m. Deliverance Hammon.

827. vi. DANIEL, b. Aug. 30, 1743; m. Hannah Whitman.

828. vii. JEREMIAH, b. July 14, 1746; m. Lydia Colwell.

829. viii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 13, 1749; m. Jeremiah Randall. She d. in Cranston, R. I.; had ch.; a desc. is Dudley Randall.

406. CAPTAIN NATHANIEL FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., before 1702; m. in Rehoboth, Mass., Dec. 11, 1729, Margaret Barstow, of Rehoboth. Admitted freeman in 1723.

B. A10, 255. From Thomas (3), April 14 ,1737, homestead estate.

B. A10, 145. To Jeremiah (9), Nov. 3, 1743, Ponagansett Neck.

B. A10, 137. From Jeremiah (9), Thatch at Ponagansett Neck.

B. A11, 194. To R. Waterman, Jr., 1743.

B. A11, 339. To John Thornton, 1745, Thatch.

B. A11, 339. From Joseph Brown, 1746; wife Abigail.

B. A12, 186. From Thomas (3), 1740, assignment of mortgage.

B. A13, 140. From Jeremiah (9), May, 1753, mansion house.

B. A13, 138. To Jeremiah (9), 1752, homestead.

B. 4, 313. Probate records; inventory, £1,448 16s., but insufficient to pay his debts; widow Margaret administratrix.

He d. Jan. 31, 1753. Res. Providence, R. I.

830. i. MERCY, b. Nov. 3, 1739; m. June 12, 1763, William Warner.

831. ii. SUSANNA, b. Sept. 21, 1742.

832. iii. MARGARET, b. April 11, 1744.

833. iv. LYDIA, b. Oct. 7, 1746; m. Nov. 3, 1769, Lieut. Samuel Carpenter, of Rehoboth; d. in Rehoboth, Feb. 1, 1786.

834. v. MOLLY, b. July 22, 1736; d. May 9, 1748.

835. vi. MOLLY, b. Jan. 22, 1748; d. May 9, 1758.

407. ANTHONY FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., before 1712; m. June 12, 1732, Mehitable Whipple. She was living in 1774. Admitted freeman in 1732.

B. A10, 205. From Jonathan Sprague, March 3, 1737-38.

B. A12, 132. Power of attorney, Oct. 22, 1745, to wife, Mehitable.

B. A12, 132. Mehitable to William Autram, 1747, Sprague lot.

B. A13, 84. From Roger Williams, 1752, Scituate lands.

B. A13, 365. Mehitable to O. Sprague, 1754.

Probate 3, p. 246. Ridley Cady, of Stonington, apprenticed to Anthony Field, mariner, for one year.

Probate 5, 348. Will mentions children; see below.

Providence 9, 109. From father Thomas, April 2, 1732, land in Scituate and Smithfield.

Scituate 4, 123. Dec. 1, 1750, to Joseph Field, land which was grandfather Thomas (2); wife Mehitable.

Will of Anthony Field.—Providence Probate Docket, vol. i, No. A816; will book 5, p. 348.—In the Name of God Amen I Anthony Field of Providence in the County of Providence and Colony of Rhode Island &ct. in New England Housewright, being Sick and weak in body, but (blessed be God) of sound mind and memory and now Considering my Mortality and the Uncertainty of Humane Life, do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following vizt—

Principally and first of all I Commend my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to the Earth, to be Decently Interred at the Discretion of my Executrix herein after Named

And all the Worldly Estate God hath blessed me with in this Life I Give and Dispose of the Same as Follows vizt

Imprimis my Will is that all my Just Debts and funeral Expenses be first Paid by my Executrix out of the Rents arising on my Dwelling house in Said Providence wherein I Now Dwell which I hereby order to be Let by my Executrix for that Purpose, till the whole is Discharged saving to her Self a Convenient appartment in said House

Item I Give unto my beloved Wife Mehitabel Field the Possession Issues And Profits of all my Dwelling House Situate in said Providence for Ten full years Commencing as Soon as my Debts are Discharged by the Rents thereof as is above expressed. Together with the Use of All my Household Goods and Furniture for her Life, if she Remains my Widow. But if she Marries again, my Will is that the above Rents Be thenceforward null and void, and instead thereof I give her in Lieu of Dower the Occupation Issues and Profits of one Third Part of my said House for the Term of her Natural Life, and one half of all my Household Goods and Furniture forever

Item I Give and Devise to my Daughter Lucy Sterrey Mehitabel Hawkins Amey Field and Ruth Field and to their Heirs and Assigns respectively forever, by equal Portions or Dividens, all my Estate Real and Personal Whatsoever not herein before Disposed of, to be by them entered upon as Soon as my said Wife shall be divested thereof, either by her Death or Intermariage, according to the Tenor of the Bequests made unto her as above Expressed

Item I Constitute appoint and make my said Wife Mehitabel Field Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament

And I do hereby utterly revoke disannul and disallow all former and other Wills, Testaments, Legacies & Devises by me heretofore made Given or Devised, ratifying and confirming this and no other as my Last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Twenty Ninth Day of March in the Second year of his Majesty's Reign George the Third King of Great Britain &ct. AD: 1762

Signed sealed Published pronounced and Declaired by the sd Anthony Field as his Last Will and Testament in Presence of us

Samuel Thurber — Anthony Field seal
Benjamin Thurber
Geo: Taylor

Proved January 31st. 1763.

He d. April 19, 1762. Res. Providence, R. I.

836. i. LUCY, b. about 1740; m. Oct. 22. 1759, Thomas Sterry.
837. ii. MEHITABLE, b. ——; m. —— Hawkins.
838. iii. AMEY, b. ——; m. May 15, 1768, Stephen Carpenter.
839. iv. RUTH, b. between 1735 and 1740; m. Thomas Page.

410. JOSEPH FIELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1720; m. there April 1, 1750, Sarah Harding. He was a cooper.

Scituate 5, 701. May 30, 1766, to daughter Sarah, wife of Thomas Lindsay, of Providence, no wife, land in Scituate.

Providence B. 12, 331. To Stephen Hopkins, Nov. 30, 1749, interest in Nathan's land. This deed recites "Joseph, son of William, deceased," land given by Father William, to Brother Nathan, "also supposed to be dead;" no wife named.

B. 13, 324. To Paris Hernden, of Newport, May 27, 1754, lot on S. Main street; wife Sarah.

Probate. Inventory of Joseph Field (cooper) taken Sept. 9, 1789, £41 2s. 6d.; Christopher Sheldon and James Arnold appraisers.

B. 23, 20. Daniel Cooke, administrator of Joseph Field (cooper), to William Harding and Joseph Field (cooper) land on Powers Lane, which Joseph Field bought of Joseph Whipple; dated March 29, 1791.

B. 14, 161. From Joseph Whipple, Jan. 10, 1756, land on Power street.

B. 25, 42. Asher Robbins, administrator of Joseph Field (cooper), April 8, 1795, to William Harding, land and dwelling on South Water street.

In 1794 Sarah Field willed the house she then lived in to her granddaughter, Sarah Hopkins, subject to life interest to her daughter, Zerviah Charlotte Wheaton. Sarah died before May 4, 1795, leaving will, dated July 1, 1794; proved May 4, 1795, in which she gives to "daughter Zerviah C. Wheaton, "the house where I now dwell and land on which it stands," and after her decease "to go to my granddaughter Sarah Hopkins."

He d. 1791 to 1795. Res. Scituate, R. I.

840. i. SARAH, b. ——; m. Capt. Thomas Lindsay, of Providence. He was probably master of the "Hannah," who led the "Gaskee" aground. Scituate 5, 701. May 30, 1766. Mrs. Brownell says, 176—, Joseph Field, of Providence, deeds to daugher Sarah, wife of Thomas Lindsay, seventy-five acres of land, laid out to Thomas Field, deceased, in first division of land, northerly on Punagansett river and southerly on land purchased of Anthony Field.

840½. ii. JOSEPH, b. —— (cooper).

840¾. iii. ZERVIAH C., b. ——; m. August, 1781, Samuel Hopkins. He was lost at sea in December, 1782; son of Com. Ezek Hopkins. m., 2d, 1789, Calvin Wheaton; m., 3d, in 1804, Samuel Staples. She d. Oct. 26, 1848. Ch.: 1. Sarah Hopkins, b. 1782; m. Gen. Joseph Harris; d. Oct. 30, 1860.

413. WILLIAM FIELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., after 1708; m. there Jemima ——. She was living in 1774. He was a cooper. Administration of his estate was granted to his widow, Aug. 10, 1742. Jemima outlived her son. I think her name was Bentley, as her administrators were Caleb Bentley and Caleb Greene, who m. a Bentley. Probate records, B. 4, 47; inventory, £133 15s. 6d. Probate records, B. 4, 48; Jemima appointed administratrix. Not of age when his father's will was made, Oct. 16, 1729.

A10, 296. To John Crawford, April 19, 1739, east side Main street.
A10, 350. From Thomas, Aug. 23, 1740, father's mansion.
A10, 360. Trom Thomas, Oct. 21, 1740, one-half of homestead lots.
A10, 397. To John Angell, Nov. 4, 1740.
A10, 415. To brother John, June 9, 1741, homestead.
A10, 416. From John Angell, quitclaim.
A11, 6. To Thomas Harding, 1741.
A11, 187. Widow Jemima, from Charles (15), January, 1742-43.
A11, 188. Widow Jemima, from Charles (15), January.
A20, 276. Widow Jemima to Joseph Brown, July 10, 1774.

A8, 241. Probate Records. Jemima Field, inventory, Feb. 4, 1800; estate insolvent. Caleb Bentley, of Warwick, Caleb Greene, of East Greenwich, appointed administrators. Inventory, $2,979.16, including dwelling and lot, which is valued at $2,800.

He d. April 15, 1742. Res. Providence, R. I.

841. i. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 30, 1740; prob. d. unm. 1772.

Record Deeds, B. 17, 274. To Stephen Hopkins, Aug. 4, 1762, Snailes' Hill.
B. 18, 461. To Joseph Brown, April 16, 1771.
B. 19, 130. To J. Burrows Hopkins, April 11, 1771.
B. 20, 50. To Joseph Brown, March 31, 1772.
B. 20, 50. To Joseph Brown, Feb. 12, 1772.
B. 21, 113. From Munro and Allen, June 3, 1784.

Will of William Field.—Providence docket, vol. i, No. A917. Will Book No. 6, p. 42.—In the Name of God Amen I William Field of Providence In the County of Providence and Colony of Rhode Island &c. Spermicite Manufactor being indisposed in Body but of sound mind and Memory calling to mind the uncertainty of this life, Do make this my last Will and Testament, in manner Following, And first of all I Resign my Soul unto God the great Author of Nature, and my body I Resign to the Earth to be buried within convenient time after my Decease at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter Named, Jtem, I give and devise unto my Honrd Mother Jemima Field and to her Heirs and Assigns forever, all my Estate both Real and personal I Constitute and make my said Mother and Joseph Brown of said Providence Joint Executors of this my Last Will and Testament I do hereby revoke and Disannul all former Wills Testaments Legacies and Devises by me heretofore made

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal the Twenty Fifth Day of March one Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Two

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and Declared by the said William Field as his Last Will and Testament In Presence of us who at the same time Subscribed as Witnesses in the presence of the Testator and in the presence of each Other

William Field (seal)

John Jenckes
James Angell
Jabez Bowen

Proved April 21, 1772.

414. THOMAS FIELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. about 1708; m. Margaret ——. Austin Dict., p. 275, in will of Elizabeth Arnold, of Providence, a daughter, Margaret Field receives her share of estate. Elizabeth's first husband was William Case. Freeman of Gloucester in 1742. Not of age Oct. 16, 1729, date of father's will. Settled in Gloucester.

B. A10, 216. To brother John, Nov. 17, 1738, one-half of homestead of father's estate.

B. A10, 350. To brother William, Aug. 23, 1740, mansion of father's estate.

B. A10, 360. Oct. 21, 1740, one-half of homestead lots.

B. A11, 346. From Joseph Brown, April 15, 1746.

B. A12, 152. To Stephen Hopkins, interest in Nathan's land.

B. A12, 105. To John Applin, 1746, Brown lot.

He d. after 1746. Res. Gloucester, R. I.

842. i. CHARLES, b. 1730; m. Mrs. Amy (Winsor) Colwell.

415. JOHN FIELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1712; m. before Oct. 12, 1738, Deborah ——; she m., 2d, Oct. 9, 1751, David Jackson, of Providence, R. I. Known as John, Jr. Austin gives date of birth as 1712.

B. 9, 341. To Daniel Smith, May 1, 1734.

B. A10, 153. To Joseph Brown, Jan. 3, 1737-38.

B. A10, 213. To Charles Field, Oct. 12, 1738; wife Deborah joins.

B. A10, 216. From Bro. William, Nov. 17, 1738.

B. A10, 374. To William Walker, Sept. 3, 1740.

B. A10, 375. To William Walker, April 9, 1740; wife Deborah joins.

B. A11, 4. To Thomas Rice (mtg.), July 11, 1741; release.

B. A11, 116. To Thomas Harding, 1741.

B. A11, 204. To Archibald Young, May, 1743.

B. A11, 209. To Stephen Hopkins, 1742.

B. A11, 210. To Stephen Hopkins, 1743.

B. A11, 257. To Daniel Abbott, 1741.

B. A11, 350. To Stephen Hopkins, 1743; lease.

B. A11, 155. From Thomas Rice, 1743.

B. A12, 520. Widow Deboorah to Stephen Hopkins, Sept. 15, 1751; interest in Nathan's estate.

He d. between 1743 and 1747; res., s. p., Providence, R. I.

416. CHARLES FIELD (William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Feb. 6, 1714; m. Aug. 6, 1741, Waite Dexter, dau. of Stephen and Susannah (Whipple), b. 1721, d. Aug. 26, 1808. He was a mariner, and d. on the Island of Jamaica, West Indies. I am unable to find much concerning Charles Field. The home lot of his great-grandfather Thomas Harris extended from Main street east to Hope street, and north of the street which now bears his name, viz., Charles Field street, in Providence, R. I. This home lot (undivided) was given to his father William by his mother Martha Harris, and from him it descended to his daughter Waitstill who m. John Brown. Said Waitstill Field was the only surviving child of Charles Field. Admitted Freeman, 1735; d. at Island of Jamaica; was a mariner. Austin gives date of birth, Feb. 6, 1714.

B. A10, 213. From John Field (Bro.), Oct. 12, 1738.

B. A11, 98. From Thomas Harding, Sept. 28, 1742.

B. A11, 187. Power of attorney to wife Waite.

B. A11, 187. Waite to Jemima, January, 1742-43; Harding lot.

B. A11, 188. Waite to Jemima.

B. A12, 152. To Stephen Hopkins, Sept. 28, 1747; Nathan's land.

Probate Records, Book 4, p. 252. Widow Waite appointed administratrix. Inventory, £4,938 19s. 8d.

He d. April 28, 1749; res. Providence, R. I.

843. i. WAITSTILL, b. in Providence, May 24, 1744; m. Jan. 25, 1772,

John Brown, son of Deputy Gov. Elisha and Martha (Smith), a descendant in the fifth generation from John Smith (miller) who came with Roger Williams. They had one child, Martha Brown, b. Sept. 5, 1772; d. Feb. 14, 1851, in Providence; she m. Oct. 17, 1793, Jeremiah Brown Howell, her second cousin. Her husband, Jeremiah B. Howell, was b. Aug. 28, 1771, and d. Feb. 6, 1822, in Providence, R. I.; he was a graduate of Brown University, class of 1789; he served one term as United States senator for Rhode Island, 1811-1817; he was son of David Howell and Mary (Brown). David Howell was one of the greatest jurists of his time. A graduate of Princeton, 1766, he came to Rhode Island with President Manning and founded what is now Brown University. He was a member of the Continental Congress, 1782-83-84-85; United States judge, district of Rhode Island; United States commissioner for settlement of the northeastern boundaries; tutor, professor and president pro tem., and for fifty-two years a member of the board of fellows of Brown University. He was b. Jan. 1, 1747, in Morristown, N. J., and d. July 31, 1824, Providence, R. I. Ch.: 1. Mary Brown, b Aug. 11, 1794; d. Jan. 10, 1795. 2. Elizabeth Bowen, b. Feb. 9, 1796. 3. Martha Brown, b. Aug. 5, 1798. 4. Mary Brown, b. Sept. 2, 1800; d. March 3, 1801. 5. Waity Field, b. Dec. 28, 1801. 6. John Brown, b. Dec. 6, 1803. 7. Mehitable Dexter, b. Feb. 17, 1806; d. Dec. 19, 1806. 8. Charles Field, b. March 23, 1807. 9. Sally Brown, b. May 14, 1808. 10. David, b. Sept. 19, 1809; d. Feb. 28, 1814.

2. Elizabeth Bowen Howell, b. Feb. 9, 1796; d. Dec. 2, 1866, in Providence; m. March 4, 1818, Benjamin Cowell, of Major Samuel and Jemima (Metcalf). He was b. Dec. 9, 1781, Wrentham, Mass.; d. May 6, 1860, Providence, R. I. He was graduated from Brown University in 1803; was collector of the port of Providence under Polk; chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas, Rhode Island; author of "The Spirit of Seventy-six in Rhode Island." Judge Cowell devoted much of his time in his later years to preparing and substantiating pension claims, which required extensive research and examination of old muster rolls, marriage records, Bibles and gravestones, and he accumulated an amount of information concerning the revolutionary history of the State of Rhode Island, greater probably than that of any man of his time. A small part of this store he incorporated in his book, and such is his reputation for accuracy, that the presence of a name on one of his lists of muster rolls is sufficient to substantiate the claim of a descendant to membership in any of the patriotic societies. Ch.: 1x. Benjamin, b. Dec. 28, 1818. 2x. Samuel, b. July 3, 1820. 3x. Elizabeth Howell, b. Nov. 22, 1821. 4x. Martha Brown, b. Feb. 27, 1823; d. March 16, 1844, unm. 5x. Sarah Dwight, b. April 30, 1824. 6x. Olivia George, b. Sept. 1, 1828.

3. Martha Brown Howell, b. Aug. 5, 1798; d. Aug. 9, 1870; m. Sept. 10, 1832, Charles Lippitt, Jr.; b. Jan. 30, 1798; d. July 15, 1856. He was a cotton broker in Providence; an uncle of Gov. Henry Lippitt, and a great-uncle of Gov. Charles Warren Lippitt, of Rhode Island. Ch.: 1O. Sarah Howell, b. April 12, 1834. 2O. Martha, b. July 16, 1835. 3O. Charles, b. March 2, 1837; d. Aug.

22, 1838. 4O. Julia, b. Oct. 8, 1842; d. Jan. 27, 1844. 5O. Frances, b. Oct. 8, 1842; d. Jan. 4, 1844.

5. Waity Field Howell, b. Dec. 28, 1801; m. Oct. 15, 1823, Appleton Walker, son of Timothy and Olive (Arnold); he was b. May 3, 1796; d. May 15, 1833; lived in New York city. She d. Jan. 6, 1828. Ch.: 1a. George Appleton, b. Feb. 26, 1825; d. June 20, 1825. 2a. George Appleton (2d), b. March 16, 1826; d. Sept. 5, 1826. 3a. Martha Howell, b. Dec. 25, 1827.

6. John Brown Howell, b. Dec. 6, 1803; d. Aug. 3, 1870; m., 1st, Nov. 24, 1847, Sarah Miller, b. May 9, 1814; d. May 27, 1848; m., 2d, April 29, 1851, Elizabeth Underhill. Ch.: Elizabeth Ida, b. March 16, 1852; unm.

7. Charles Field Howell, b. March 23, 1807; d. May 28, 1846; m. Sept. 27, 1838, Maria Valentine; no children.

9. Sally Brown Howell, b. May 14, 1808; m. May 14, 1835, Rev. Horace Alexander Wilcox, b. March 6, 1807; d. April 15, 1865. She d. March 1, 1861. Ch.: 1b. Candace Goodell, b. April 10, 1836; m. Dec. 6, 1866, Charles T. G. Tappan, who d. Dec. 31, 1881. She lives in Brooklyn; no children. 2b. John Howell, b. April 10, 1838; d. Aug. 6, 1840. 3b. Everett Pattison, b. June 22, 1839. 4b. Charles Howell, b. Aug. 13, 1842; d. June 20, 1843. 5b. Juliet Lavinia, b. July 24, 1843. 6b. Charles Field, b. Jan. 8, 1845. 7b. Henry Jackson, b. June 4, 1847; d. Sept. 12, 1848. 8b. Horace Alexander, b. Dec. 20, 1848.

1x. Benjamin Cowell, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Howell), b. Dec. 28, 1818, Providence, R. I; d. Oct. 14, 1873, Peoria, Ill.; m. Oct. 1, 1845, Providence, R. I., Amey Wilkinson Harris, of Samuel Bunker and Amey (Wilkinson). She is of Field descent as follows: John Field d. Providence, 1686; Ruth Field m. John Angell, James Angell; Ruth Angell m. John Wilkinson; Oziel Wilkinson, Abraham Wilkinson; Amy Wilkinson m. Samuel Bunker Harris. She was b. in Smithfield, now Lincoln, R. I., May 24, 1826; lives in Peoria, Ill. Benjamin Cowell was one of the "Argonauts of '49," making two trips to California during the gold excitement. In the great fire in San Francisco, May 3, 1851, it was by his advice that a successful effort was made to save the great store of Cook Brothers & Co. At the head of a few volunteers he shut himself in the building, cutting off all chance of escape, as the flames quickly surrounded them. For six hours they labored at a force pump in the cellar, with the outer iron doors and shutters often at a white heat, and by heroic exertions saved the building and themselves. In this fire more than fifty large stores and some hundreds of smaller buildings were destroyed. On his return from San Francisco in 1854, he suffered shipwreck on the ill-fated steamer Yankee Blade. In 1856 he removed to Chicago and with the late C. S. Halsey established the homœopathic pharmacy of Cowell & Halsey, the oldest in the west. He sold out in 1858, and removed to Peoria, Ill., where he lived the remainder of his life. He was one of the first stockholders and treasurers of the Peoria Street Railroad Co. Ch.: 1c. Joseph Harris, b. April 4, 1847. 2c. Elizabeth Howell, b. Oct. 18, 1848; d. April 20, 1895, unm. 3c. and 4c. Benjamin and Henry (twins), b.

May 9, 1853; the latter d. Sept. 1, 1853. 5c. Amy Adeline, b. Dec. 30, 1861; d. May 26, 1890; she m. June 19, 1889, Gardner Everett Angier; no children.

2x. Samuel Cowell, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Howell), b. July 3, 1820, Providence, R. I.; d. Jan. 15, 1892, Kenosha, Wis; m., 1st, Sept. 16, 1846, Annie Sweitzer, Brownsville, Pa.; she d. June 16, 1848; m., 2d, Oct. 5, 1852, Margaret Marshall, Washington, Pa.; she d. May, 1884; m., 3d, Oct. 25, 1885, Aletha Arnold, Wilmot, Wis. b. 1845; d. 1897. Samuel Cowell was a graduate of Brown University, class of 1840; studied in the General Theological Seminary, New York, and entered the ministry of the Episcopal church in 1844. His first parish was Brownsville, Pa. He spent the greater part of his ministerial life in Lockport, Ill. He was for a time chaplain of the Illinois State prison at Joliet. Ch. by first wife: 1d. Henry Sweitzer, b. June 16, 1848; d. Aug. 19, 1848. Ch. by second wife: 2d. Elizabeth Howell, b. Feb. 19, 1854; d. Aug. 5, 1871. 3d. Walter Marshall, b. Sept. 28, 1856; m. 1888, Vinnie Harrison; no children. 4d. Herbert, b. Oct. 7, 1858; m. Abby Harris; no children. 5d. Anna Sweitzer, b. Nov. 24, 1860. 6d. James Henry, b. March 2, 1863; m. 1888, Mattie Frazer; no children.

3x. Elizabeth Howell Cowell, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Howell), b. Nov. 22, 1821, Providence, R. I.; d. Nov. 8, 1899, Saginaw, Mich.; m. April 9, 1872, Edward Peck Knowles, of Edward and Amey (Peck); he was b. April 13, 1805; d. Oct. 6, 1881; he was mayor of Providence in 1854; no children.

5x. Sarah Dwight Cowell, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Howell), b. April 30, 1824; d. March 2, 1855; m. Oct. 10, 1848, Rev. Andrew Mackie, of Dr. Andrew and Hettie (Bradford); he was b. Feb. 21, 1823; graduated at Brown University, 1845; graduated General Theological Seminary, New York, and entered the ministry of the Episcopal church. His first parish was at Glassboro, N. J. He preached in Schuylkill Falls, near Philadelphia, in Newark, N. J., and at the Church of the Advent, Boston. At the time of his death in 1878 he was rector of St. Paul's church, La Porte, Ind., and dean of the Northern Deanery. Ch.: 1e. Olivia Hitchcock, b. Oct. 13, 1850. 2e. Andrew, b. Aug. 29, 1852; d. Jan. 30, 1853.

6x. Olivia George Cowell, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Howell), b. Sept. 1, 1828; d. Feb. 19, 1865; m. July 20, 1847, Charles Hitchcock, an artist, son of Prof. Samuel Hitchcock, of New Haven; he was b. 1823, and d. Dec. 10, 1858, New York. Ch.: 1f. Charles, b. May 12, 1848, Providence. 2f. George, b. Sept. 29, 1850, Providence. 3f. Amelia Swift, b. Aug. 7, 1852.

1O. Sarah Howell Lippitt, dau. of Charles and Martha B. (Howell), b. April 12, 1834; d. Oct. 1, 1873; m. Oct. 21, 1857, Asa Arnold, Brown University class of 1853. Ch.: 1g. Isabelle, b. July 7, 1858; res. Red Bank, N. J. 2g. Charles Lippitt, b. Jan. 5, 1861; d. June 24, 1870.

2O. Martha Lippitt, dau. of Charles and Martha B. (Howell), b. July 16, 1835; d. Dec. 16, 1887, Providence; m. Oct. 27, 1858,

Eben Knight Glezen, his second wife; he d. Oct. 27, 1868; they had one son, Frank Lippitt, b. May 13, 1862.

3a. Martha H. Walker, dau. of Appleton and Waity Field (Howell), b. Dec. 25, 1827; d. Nov. 25, 1893; m. June 12, 1856, Robert Sterry Burrough, b. Dec. 13, 1814; d. Sept. 28, 1877. Ch.: 1h. Waity Howell, b. and d. Sept. 30, 1863. 2h. Martha Walker, b. Dec. 10, 1867.

3b. Everett P. Wilcox, son of Rev. Horace Wilcox and Sally B. (Howell), b. June 22, 1839; m. July 31, 1872, Maria M. Owens, who d. without issue; he m., 2d, June 23, 1880, Lucy E. Mills. Ch.: 1i. Susan Everett, b. Sept. 29, 1881; d. Aug. 17, 1883. 2i. Reina Elizabeth, b. Dec. 14, 1885; d. Dec. 8, 1888. 3i. Grace Nesta, b. Oct. 23, 1889; d. Nov. 2, 1898; res. in Boston, Mass.

5b. Juliet L. Wilcox, dau. of Horace and Sally B. (Howell), b. July 24, 1843; m. Dec. 6, 1866, James P. Reynolds, who d. Jan. 11, 1880. Ch.: 1j. James William, b. Oct. 18, 1867. 2j. Sarah K., b. Oct. 18, 1869. 3j. Annie E., b. Oct. 24, 1872. 4j. Candace W., b. Feb. 7, 1875. 5j. Everett P., b. April 29, 1877; lives in Walton, Eaton county, Mich.

6b. Charles F. Wilcox, son of Horace and Sally B. (Howell), b. Jan. 8, 1845; m. April 2, 1868, Lucy Wilson, of George Wade and Lucy (Wilson) Smith; she was b. Aug. 6, 1841. Ch.: 1k. Sarah Brown, b. March 23, 1869. 2k. Alice Wilson, b. June 25, 1871. 3k. Edith Field, b. Nov. 3, 1872. 4k. Howell George, b. Jan. 7, 1877. Mr. Wilcox is an architect; lives in Providence.

8b. Horace A. Wilcox, son of Horace and Sally B. (Howell), b. Dec. 20, 1848; removed in 1868 to Melbourne, Australia; m., 1st, July 30, 1873, Louisa E. Owen; she d. July 27, 1874; m., 2d, Aug. 16, 1877, Emma Nodin; she d. Oct. 23, 1884; m., 3d, Alice M. Maplestone, half sister of Emma Nodin, Aug. 5, 1886. Ch. by first wife: 1l. Nellie Henrietta Owen, b. June 29, 1874; m. March 24, 1898, Frederick Stokes, and has a son, b. Jan. 7, 1899. Ch. by second wife: 2l. Charles Gilbert, b. Feb. 15, 1883. 3l. Emma Nodin, b. Oct. 8, 1884. Ch. by third wife: 4l. David Howell, b. Nov. 20, 1888. 5l. Harold, b. June 9, 1892. 6l. Marian Frances Howell, b. Aug. 5, 1895.

1c. Joseph Harris Cowell, son of Benjamin and Amey W. (Harris), b. April 4, 1847, in Providence, R. I.; removed to Peoria, Ill., 1858; United States military service, 1864; graduated, A.B., Brown University, 1869; M.D., University of Michigan, 1871; professor of Pathology, Lansing Homœopathic Medical School, 1871-73; member State of Michigan Homœopathic Medical Society; member American Institute of Homœopathy; physician and surgeon, Saginaw, Mich.; m. May 23, 1878, Clarissa, dau. of Mark A. and Hannah J. (Stark) Child; she was b. May 29, 1849. Ch.: 1m. Mary Child, b. June 17, 1880, Saginaw, Mich. 2m. Elizabeth Howell, b. Aug. 20, 1883, Saginaw, Mich. 3m. Amey, b. June 16, 1886, Saginaw, Mich.

3c. Benjamin Cowell, son of Benjamin and Amey W. (Harris), b. May 9, 1853, Providence, R. I.; removed to Peoria; graduated at Peoria High School with valedictory honors; a merchant in Peoria; in December, 1899, he published an historical novel of the

time of Bela I., entitled "The Hungarian Exiles; he m. Feb. 5, 1880, Mary Anne Goss, of Mark Wentworth and Mary E. (Mayo); she was b. Oct. 10, 1856. Ch.: 1n. Ruth, b. July 23, 1881, Peoria, Ill. 2n. Mark Wentworth, b. July 30, 1883, Peoria, Ill. 3n. Joseph Goss, b. Dec. 4, 1886, Peoria, Ill. 4n. Benjamin, b. Nov. 1, 1894, Peoria, Ill.

5d. Anna S. Cowell, dau. of Rev. Samuel and Margaret (Marshall), b. Nov. 24, 1860; d. Jan. 28, 1898, St. Paul, Minn.; m. June 11, 1891, Albert Edward Fortune, Chicago, Ill.; they had two children; the eldest, John Walker, b. 1893.

1e. Olivia Hitchcock Mackie, dau. of Rev. Andrew and Sarah Dwight (Cowell), b. Oct. 13, 1850; m. September, 1880, Benjamin Powell Walker. Ch.: i. Bradford Hastings, b. Nov. 11, 1882.

Charles Hitchcock, son of Charles and Olivia George (Cowell), b. May 12, 1848; graduate of Brown University, B.P., 1869; graduate of College of Physicians and Surgeons, 1872; m. Nov. 27, 1872, Fanny Lapsley, of Philadelphia; physician and surgeon, 61, W. 36th street, New York city. Ch.: 1O. Ethel, b. June 27, 1877. 2O. Margaret, b. April 13, 1879; d. April 14, 1879. 3O. Charles, b. Aug. 25, 1881. 4O. Howard Lapsley, b. Sept. 3, 1883. 5O. Olive, b. 1886.

2f. George Hitchcock, son of Charles and Olivia G. (Cowell), b. Sept. 29, 1850; A.B., Brown University, class of 1872; LL.B., Harvard, 1874; went abroad to study art, 1879; was a pupil of Mesdag; in 1882 he studied in Paris, "Atelier Julien," under Lefebre and Boulanger; first exhibited in oils, New York Academy of Design, 1884; in Paris, 1887, he met his first great success with his picture, "Tulip Culture," which received "honorable mention" at the Salon. He lives in Egmond am Zee, Holland; has contributed several illustrated articles to Scribner's and other journals; received the gold medal of the American Art Association in 1887; he exhibited "Tulip Culture" and "The Scarecrow" in Chicago, 1893; in 1897 the former picture was purchased for the Royal Gallery, Dresden. He m. July, 1881, Henrietta Richardson; no children.

3f. Amelia Swift Hitchcock, dau. of Charles and Olivia G. (Cowell), b. Aug. 7, 1852; m. June 24, 1884, Herbert Maynard, of Dr. John J. and Caroline. Ch.: 1p. Herbert, b. April 18, 1885. 2p. Howell Hitchcock, b. Sept. 24, 1877; live in Dedham, Mass.

1g. Isabelle Arnold, dau. of Asa and Sarah H. (Lippitt), b. July 7, 1858; m. April 30, 1878, Johann Christian Graepel; he was b. May 10, 1848, Hamburg, Germany. Ch.: 1q. Sarah Theresa, b. May 17, 1879. 2q. Johann Julius, b. Oct. 12, 1882; d. Jan. 29, 1883. 3q. Christian Adolph, b. April 9, 1885. 4q. Isabella Arnold, b. June 8, 1889. 5q. Marie Christel, b. Nov. 9, 1893; lives in Red Bank, N. J

2h. Martha Walker Burrough dau. of Robert and Martha (Walker), b. Dec. 10, 1867; m. June 17, 1890, Edward Allen Swain. Res. Charles Field street, Providence, R. I. Ch.: 1r. Leonard, b. March 18, 1891. 2r. Robert Burrough, b. March 24, 1893. 3r. Charles Field, b. May 22, 1896.

1j. James W. Reynolds, son of James P. and Juliet (Wilcox), b.

Oct. 18, 1867; m. Dec. 23, 1892, Marian Louise Dimmick. Ch.: 1s. Lila Estelle, b. March 12, 1894.

2j. Sarah K. Reynolds, dau. of James P. and Juliet (Wilcox), b. Oct. 18, 1869; m. Dec. 19, 1888, Oscar Butterfield. Ch.: 1t. Alvie Pearl, b. Oct. 11, 1893. 2t. Reynolds Hunt, b. May 9, 1898.

Providence Records give marriage, Jan. 26, 1770. Providence Gazette gives marriage, Jan. 31, 1772.

417. JOHN FIELD (John, Jeremiah, Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William), b. Bradford, England. 1701; d. Jan. 21, 1772. Administration granted at York, Feb. 22, 1772. He m. Mary, only dau. of Joshua Eamonson, of Seacroft; marriage settlement dated 1733. She d. Feb. 5, 1750, in her forty-first year, and was buried at Bradford. Res. Bradford, England.

844. i. MARY, eldest dau., d. Jan. 11, 1747, aged 16; buried at Bradford.

845. ii. ANNE, b. Aug. 2, 1735; buried at Bradford, July 2, 1736.

846. iii. JOHN, eldest son and heir apparent, bap. Aug. 25, 1738; d. unm. Dec. 16, 1758; buried at Bradford.

847. iv. ANNE, b. Jan. 18, 1739; d. unm. at Bristol, May 31, 1760, and buried in St. Augustine's church there.

848. v. SARAH, bap. Nov. 20, 1741; d. unm. Oct. 29, 1758; buried at Bradford.

849. vi. JOSHUA, of Heaton, youngest son, bap. at Bradford, Dec. 31, 1742; m. Mary Wilmer.

424. WILLIAM FIELDE (Samuel, William, William, Edward, Edward, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, Richard, Thomas, Adam, Richard, Roger), b. London, England; m. Elizabeth ——. In the Wakefield registers are recorded the following baptisms of children of William:

1656. July 1, William, son of William Field, woolen draper, and Elizabeth, St. Paul's churchyard, b. June 30.

1656-57. March 20, Elizabeth, dau. of same, b. 19th.

1657-58. March 4, Daniel, son of same, b. Feb. 25.

1659. Oct. 15, Nathaniel, son of same, b. 11th.

1661. July 2, Elizabeth, dau. of same, b. June 28.

Under the head of burials are the following:

1657. April 7, Elizabeth, dau. William Feild, woolen draper, and Elizabeth, St. Paul's churchyard.

1657. May 4, Mrs. Feild, out of St. John's chancel.

1661. July 22, Nathaniel and Elizabeth, son and dau. of William and Elizabeth Feild.

1664. April 7, Samuel, son of same.

Probably the parish registers of Wakefield, which begin in 1613, and those of Crofton, which date from 1617, may afford additional information of the Fields residing in these localities after the dates named. Those of Sandal do not commence till 1652. The writer would mention, before completing his account of the different members of the family, formerly living in these three parishes, that an old house on the south side of the street at Crofton has on it the arms of the Fields of Wakefield Manor, viz., a chevron, between three garbs. Doubtless this dwelling was the abode of one of the family, and was probably built by him. Res. London, England.

850. i. WILLIAM, b. June 30, 1656.

851. ii. ELIZABETH, b. March 19, 1657; d. April 7, 1657.

852. iii. DANIEL, b. Feb. 25, 1658.

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853. iv. NATHANIEL, b. Oct. 11, 1659; buried July 22, 1661.
854. v. ELIZABETH, b. June 28, 1661; buried July 22, 1661.
855. vi. SAMUEL, b. ——; buried April 7, 1664.

426. ELNATHAN FIELD (Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Newtown, L. I.; m. Mary Willet. Elnathan Field was named in his father's will and in that of his great-aunt, Phœbe Field, 1742. He emigrated to Middletown, N. Y., in 1760, and purchased lands there in 1762, which are still in the possession of the Field family. He was a Quaker. Res. Newtown, L. I., and Middletown, N. Y.

856. i. THOMAS, b. Jan. 18, 1760; m. Rebekah Shepherd.
857. ii. ELNATHAN, b. ——; m. ——.
858. iii. ELIANA, b. ——.
859. iv. MARY, b. ——.

427. ROBERT FIELD (Robert, Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. May 9, 1723, White Hill, N. J.; m. there Mary Peale, dau. of Oswald and Lydia. Robert Field was the son of Robert Field and Mary Taylor. He was b. May 9, 1723. He lived at "White Hill," on the Delaware river, in the county of Burlington, N. J., a plantation which had been in possession of the family from their first settlement in the State. In 1774 he was chairman of a public meeting of Burlington county, which sent delegates to the State convention held in New Brunswick in that year, to devise means to resist British oppression, and favored both a provincial and a continental congress. He m. Mary, dau. of Oswald and Lydia Peale. He d. Jan. 29, 1775. His death has always been involved in mystery. He was going down to Philadelphia from his home at White Hill, on a sloop, Jan. 29, 1775. He left the sloop for a few hours during a calm, and went on shore to call on a pioneer; when the wind arose at twelve o'clock at night, the captain sent a rowboat for him attended by one man. When the boat reached the sloop he was missing, and was never heard from again, although every effort was made to recover his body. He was distinguished for the respectability of his character and fortune, and as one of the earliest asserters of the rights and liberties of his country. He d. Jan. 29, 1775; res. White Hill, Burlington county, N. J.

860. i. ROBERT, b. April 5, 1775 (posthumous); m. Abigail Stockton.
861. ii. LYDIA, b. Oct. 10, 1766; m. Adam Hubly.
862. iii. MARY, b. Oct. 10, 1766; m. Richard Stockton. He was son of Richard Stockton, the signer of the Declaration of Independence, and Annie Boudinot, and one of a family of eight children.

Richard Stockton was b. near Princeton, N. J., April 17, 1764; d. there March 7, 1828; was graduated at Princeton in 1779; studied law in Newark with Elias Boudinot; was admitted to the bar in 1784, and began to practise in his native place. He was a presidential elector in 1792 and 1796; was chosen to the United States Senate as a Federalist for the unexpired term of Frederick Frelinghuysen resigned, serving from Dec. 6 of that year till March 3, 1799, when he declined to be a candidate for re-election. He served in the lower house of Congress in 1813-15, and again declined further candidacy. During his service in the House of Representatives he had a debate with Chas. J. Ingersoll, of Philadelphia, on free trade and sailors' rights. In 1825 he was appointed one of the commissioners on the part of New Jersey to settle a territorial dispute with New York, and he was the author of the able argument that is appended to the report of the New Jersey

commissioners. Mr. Stockton possessed profound legal knowledge and much eloquence as an advocate, and for more than a quarter of a century held the highest rank at the bar of his native state. He received the degree of LL.D. from Queen's (now Rutgers) College in 1815, and from Union in 1816. He was often called "the Duke." His son, Robert Field Stockton, was b. in Princeton, N. J., Aug. 20, 1795; d. there Oct. 7, 1866; studied at Princeton College, but before completing his course, he entered the United States navy as a midshipman, Sept. 1, 1811. He joined the frigate "President" at Newport, Feb. 14, 1812, and made several cruises in that ship with Commodore Rodgers, with whom he went as aide to the "Guerrière" at Philadelphia; but as the ship was unable to go to sea, Rodgers took his crew to assist in defending Baltimore. Before the arrival of the British, Stockton went to Washington and became the aide of the secretary of the navy, after which he resumed his post with Commodore Rodgers, and took part in the operations at Alexandria. He then went with Rodgers to Baltimore and had command of 300 sailors in the defence of that city against the British army. He was highly commended, and promoted to lieutenant Sept. 9, 1814. On May 18, 1815, he sailed in the "Guerrière," Decatur's flagship, for the Mediterranean after the declaration of war with Algiers, but he was transferred soon afterward to the schooner "Spitfire" as first lieutenant, in which vessel he participated in the capture of the Algerine frigate "Mahouda," and led the boarders at the capture of the Algerine brig "Esledio" in June, 1815. In February, 1816, he joined the ship-of-the-line "Washington," and made another cruise in the Mediterranean, in the course of which he was transferred to the ship "Erie," of which he soon became executive officer. The American officers very often had disputes with British officers, and frequent duels took place. At one time in Gibraltar, Stockton had accepted challenges to fight all the captains of the British regiment in the garrison, and several meetings took place. In one case after wounding his adversary, he escaped arrest by knocking one of the guards from his horse, which he seized and rode to his boat. Stockton came home in command of the "Erie" in 1821. Shortly after his return the American Colonization Society obtained his services to command the schooner "Alligator" for the purpose of founding a colony on the west coast of Africa. He sailed in the autumn of 1821, and after skilful diplomatic conferences obtained a concession of a tract of territory near Cape Mesurado, which has since become the Republic of Liberia. In November, 1821, the Portuguese letter of marque "Mariana Flora" fired on the "Alligator," which she mistook for a pirate. After an engagement of twenty minutes the Portuguese vessel was taken and the capture was declared legal though the prize was returned by courtesy to Portugal. On a subsequent cruise in the "Alligator" he captured the French slaver "Jenue Eugenie," by which action the right to seize slavers under a foreign flag was first established as legal. He also captured several piratical vessels in the West Indies. From 1826 until December, 1838, he was on leave, and resided at Princeton, N. J. He organized the New Jersey Col-

STOCKTON COAT-OF-ARMS.

COMMODORE ROBERT FIELD STOCKTON.

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THE LINE OF HISTORIC CATALPAS.

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onization Society, became interested in the turf, and imported fom England some of the finest stock of blooded horses. He also took an active part in politics, and became interested in the Delaware and Raritan canal, for which he obtained the charter that had originally been given to a New York company, and vigorously prosecuted the work. His whole fortune and that of his family were invested in the enterprise, which was completed, notwithstanding the opposition of railroads and a financial crisis by which he was obliged to go to Europe to negotiate a loan. He retained his interest in this canal during his life, and the work stands as an enduring monument to his energy and enterprise. In December, 1838, he sailed with Commodore Isaac Hall in the flagship "Ohio" as fleet captain of the Mediterranean squadron, being promoted to captain on Dec. 8. He returned in the latter part of 1839, and took part in the presidential canvass of 1840 in favor of Gen. William Henry Harrison. After John Tyler became president, Stockton was offered a seat in the cabinet as Sec. of the Navy, which he declined. The U. S steamer "Princeton" was built under his supervision at Philadelphia early in 1844. He was appointed to command the ship, and brought her to Washington for the inspection of officials and members of Congress. On a trial trip down the Potomac river, when the President, Cabinet and a distinguished company were on board, one of the large guns burst and killed the Secretary of State, Secretary of the Navy, the President's father-in-law, and several of the crew, while a great many were seriously injured. A naval court of inquiry entirely exonerated Captain Stockton. Shortly after this event he sailed in the "Princeton" as bearer of the annexation resolutions to the government of Texas. In October, 1845, he went in the "Congress" from Norfolk to serve as commander-in-chief of the Pacific squadron, on the eve of the Mexican war. He sailed around Cape Horn to the Sandwich Islands, and thence to Monterey, where he found the squadron in possession under Commodore John D. Sloat, whom Stockton relieved. News of the war had been received by the squadron before his arrival, and Monterey and San Francisco were captured. Stockton assumed command of all American forces on the coast by proclamation, July 23, 1846. He organized a battalion of Americans in California and naval brigades from the crews of the ships. Col. John C. Fremont also co-operated with him. He sent Fremont in the "Cyane" to San Diego, while he landed at Santa Barbara and marched thirty miles with the naval brigade to the Mexican capital of California, the city of Los Angeles, of which he took possession on Aug. 13. He then organized a civil government for the State, and appointed Col. Fremont governor. Rumors of a rising of the Indians compelled him to return to the north in September. The force that he left at Los Angeles was besieged by the Mexicans in his absence, and Stockton was obliged to sail to San Diego. He landed at that place, drove out the enemy, and sent a force to the rescue of Gen. Stephen W. Kearny, who had been defeated by the Mexicans on the way to San Diego. Gen. Kearny, with sixty dragoons, then served under Stockton's orders, and the force proceeded to Los Angeles, 150 miles distant. An

engagement took place at San Gabriel on Jan. 8, 1847, followed by the battle of La Mesa the next day, in which the Mexicans were routed. Col. Fremont had raised an additional force of Californians, by which the force under Stockton amounted to more than 1,000 men. Negotiations were opened with the Mexican governor, and the entire province of California was ceded to the United States and evacuated by the Mexican authorities. The treaty with Mexico was subsequently confirmed. Gen. Kearny raised a dispute with Stockton for his assumption of command over military forces, but Stockton's course was sustained by virtue of his conquest. On Jan. 17, 1847, he returned to San Diego, and then sailed to Monterey, where he was relieved by Commodore Wm. B. Shubrick. Stockton returned home overland during the summer. He was the recipient of honors by all parties, and the legislature of New Jersey gave him a vote of thanks and a reception. The people of California, in recognition of his services, named for him the city of Stockton, and also one of the principal streets of San Francisco. On May 28, 1850, he resigned from the navy in order to settle his father-in-law's estate in South Carolina and attend to his private interests. He continued to take part in politics, was elected to the United States senate, and took his seat Dec. 1, 1851, but resigned Jan. 10, 1853, and retired to private life. During his brief service in the Senate he introduced and advocated the bill by which flogging was abolished in the navy. He also urged measures for coast defence. After he resigned from the Senate he devoted himself to the development of the Delaware and Raritan canal, of which he was president until his death. He continued to take an interest in politics, became an ardent supporter of the "American" party, and was a delegate to the peace congress that met in Washington, Feb. 13, 1861. (See his "Life and Speeches," New York, 1856.)

He m. Harriet Maria Potter, and d. at Princeton, N. J., in 1866. His wife d. there in 1862.

In December, 1899, the United States Government built a torpedo boat at Richmond, Va., and it was named Stockton, in honor of the Commodore. The Stockton is a sister ship of the Shubrick, and is of the following dimensions: Length, 175 feet; beam, 17 feet; graft, 4 feet 8 inches; displacement on trial, 165 tons; speed expected on trial, 26 knots; diameter of H. P. Engine cylinder, 14 inches; diameter of I. P. Engine cylinder, 22 inches; diameter each L. P. Engine cylinder, 25¼ inches; stroke of engine, 18 inches; grate area of boiler, 136.8 square feet; heating surface of boiler, 7,548 square feet; indicated horse-power, 3,000; number revolutions of engine, 350; boiler pressure, 250 pounds square inch. The Stockton is to have twin screws, vertical engines, placed in separate water-tight compartments each with a condenser and bunker capacity for at least forty tons of coal. It will be lighted throughout with electricity and furnished with one searchlight of an approved pattern. It is to have two conning towers, the forward one to be of one-half inch nickel steel plates. The battery will be composed of three rapid-fire guns and mounts, weighing about two tons with three and a half tons of

ammunition. There will be mounted on deck in approved positions three 15-foot torpedo tubes with torpedoes and storage space below for two additional torpedoes and five war heads. All ordnance weights will amount in total to about thirteen tons. Berthing space will be provided for a crew of twenty-six men and three officers, and provision space for twenty days.

John Potter Stockton was son of Robert Field Stockton, and was b. in Princeton, N. J., Aug. 2, 1826; was graduated at Princeton in 1843; studied law; was licensed to practise as an attorney in 1847, and came to the bar in 1850. He was appointed by the legislature a commissioner to revise and simplify the proceedings and practise in the courts of law of the State, and was for several years afterward reporter to the court of chancery. In 1857 he was appointed United States minister to Rome, but in 1861 he was recalled at his own request. In 1865 he was chosen United States senator from New Jersey by a plurality vote of the legislature, a resolution changing the number necessary to elect from a majority to a plurality having been passed by the joint convention that elected him. On this ground, after he had taken his seat in the Senate, several members of the legislature sent to the Senate a protest against his retaining it. The committee on the judiciary unanimously reported in favor of the validity of his election, and their report was accepted by a vote of 22 to 21, Mr. Stockton voting in the affirmative. His vote was objected to by Charles Sumner, and on the following day, March 27, 1866, he withdrew it and was unseated by a vote of 23 to 21. He then devoted himself to the practice of his profession, but in 1869 was re-elected to the Senate, and served one term till 1875. While in that body he advocated the establishment of life-saving stations on the coast, and procured on the appropriation bills the first provision for their maintenance. He served on the committees on foreign affairs, the navy, appropriations, patents, and public buildings and grounds, and took part in the debate on reconstruction, and in the discussion of questions of international law. In 1877 he was appointed attorney general of New Jersey, and he was chosen again in 1882 and 1887. In this office he has sustained by exhaustive arguments the system of railroad taxation, reversing in the court of errors the decisions of the supreme court against the State. Mr. Stockton had been a delegate-at-large to all the democratic national conventions since that of 1864, where, as chairman of the New Jersey delegation, he nominated Gen. Geo. H. McClellan for the presidency. He was also a delegate to the Unionists convention at Philadelphia in 1866. Princeton gave him the degree of LL.D. in 1882. He has published "Equity Reports," being the decisions of the courts of chancery and appeals (three volumes, Trenton, 1856-60). He d. in New York city in January, 1900.

Another son of Robert Field Stockton was Richard; m. April 23, 1851, Caroline Bayard Dod, b. December, 1832, dau. of Prof. Albert Baldwin Dod, d. 1859. He m. again and d. in 1876. Richard Stockton was b. at Morven, Princeton, N. J., Jan. 2, 1824. He graduated from Princeton University in the class of '49, taking the degree of A.B. In the year '52 he took the degree of A.M. He

studied law in the office of his cousin, Judge Robert Field, and was admitted to the bar of New Jersey a few years later. He was treasurer of the Camden and Ambay railroad for many years. After his father, Commodore Stockton's, death, he was the only one of his children to live in Princeton. Trinity Church, of which he was a member, speaks of him in the parish record as follows: "Mr. Richard Stockton continued to reside in Princeton until his death, which occurred on April 5, 1876. An inheritor of the knightly traits of his ancestors, he died lamented by our whole community." Ch.: 1. Caroline Bayard Stockton, d. 1895. 2. Mary Stockton, m. 1880, Rev. Arthur B. Conger, of Rosemont, Pa.; d. 1897. 3. Bayard Stockton, b. Princeton; m. May 19, 1881, Charlotte Julia Shields; d. Jan. 13, 1891. He was a lawyer; res. Princeton, N. J. Ch.: (a) Bayard Stockton, Jr., b. 1884, at Springdale. (b) Richard Stockton (the tenth in direct male line), b. 1885, Morven, Princeton, N. J. Bayard Stockton was b. at Springdale, Princeton, N. J., June 22, 1853. He was prepared for Princeton University by private tutors, and graduated in the class of '72. He studied law in the Columbia Law School, New York, and was admitted to the bar. For ten years he was prosecutor of the pleas for Mercer county, N. J. He m., 1st, May 19, 1881, Charlotte Julia, dau. of Prof. Charles W. Shields, D.D., LL.D., of Princeton University, and Charlotte Elizabeth Bain.

Special Dispatch to the Chicago Inter Ocean.—Princeton, N. J., Dec. 25, 1899.—Colonel S. W. Stockton, 67 years old, dropped dead of heart disease this afternoon at his home in Stockton street. Five days ago he received news of the death of his son, Charles Stockton, a civil engineer with the Nicaragua Canal Company. Since then he had been ill, and it is believed worry hastened his death. Colonel Stockton was a descendant of Richard Stockton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence. He was one of the largest land owners in Princeton. His estate includes the land on which the battle of Princeton was fought. He is survived by Mrs. Stockton, three daughters, and one son, Samuel Stockton, Jr., who was one of the rough riders at San Juan Hill.

FROM MORE COLONIAL HOMESTEADS.

[By Marion Harland (Mrs. Mary V. Terhune).]

"The History of Princeton, by John Frelinghuysen Hageman," Counsellor-at-Law, Princeton, N. J., diverges from the dusty road of historical and statistical details to give us a passage which is poetical in spirit and graceful in wording:

"The long row of large, though knotted and gnarled, catalpas, still in vigorous life, along the whole front of Morven, on Stockton street, having survived the less ancient pines which alternated them, were planted by him" (Richard (IV.) Stockton). "This row of catalpas in front of Morven can only be viewed as a sacred memorial to the signer of the Declaration. The Fourth of July is the great day in Mr. Stockton's calendar, as it is in that of our country, and these catalpas, with the undeviating certainty of the seasons, put on their pure white blooming costume, every Fourth of July. For this reason, they have been called, very fitly in this

country, the 'Independence Tree.' For one hundred years (this in 1876) have these trees pronounced the annual panegyric upon the memory of the man who planted them."

Richard (V.) Stockton, surnamed by college mates and townsmen "the Duke," while lacking his father's unfailing courtesy of mien and affability to lofty and low, won and held the respect of his fellow citizens. "He was a gentleman of a lofty sense of honor and the sternest integrity," testifies an eminent lawyer who studied his profession in Mr. Stockton's office. "He had a great abhorrence of everything mean and unworthy."

From the same authority, Mr. Samuel J. Bayard, of Princeton, we have a characteristic anecdote of "the Duke." When Lafayette made the tour of America in 1824-26, the master of Morven was appointed by the committee of reception to act as their mouthpiece in welcoming the distinguished visitor to Princeton. Mr. Bayard writes:

"In the morning of the day on which Lafayette was to arrive, the council assembled to hear Mr. Stockton read his address. He commenced by saying 'Monsieur le Marquis de la Fayette.' After he concluded, I suggested timidly that Lafayette had renounced his title in the National Assembly and that he would prefer in this country to be called 'General.' Mr. Stockton sternly said, 'Once a marquis, always a marquis. I shall address him by what was his title before the infamous French revolution.' And he did so address him."

Mr. Stockton was elected twice to Congress, once to the Senate, and once to the House, and stood for a quarter century in the front rank of American jurists. He d. at Morven in 1828.

His eldest son Richard (VI.) who should have come after him in the proprietorship of the now ancient homestead, removed to Mississippi before his father's death, and continued there the practice of law he had begun with flattering promise of success in New Jersey. He was attorney general of his adopted State when he was killed in a duel with a brother judge.

Morven, with two hundred and seventy acres of surrounding land, together with fifteen thousand acres in North Carolina and other tracts in New Jersey and elsewhere, composed the fortune Robert Field Stockton, "the Duke's" second son, found waiting for him when called to take the place left vacant by his father's death.

He had entered Princeton College in the thirteenth year of his age. Mr. Hageman relates that "in his boyhood he was characterized for his personal courage, a high sense of honor, a hatred of injustice with unbounded generosity, and a devoted attachment to his friends." Added to these were ambitions that seemed audacious in a boy, and a thirst for adventure rarely developed in American youths born to "expectations." These aspirations begat such restlessness in the high-spirited boy that he left college before the time for graduation, and entered the navy, a service then mightily stimulated by the prospect of another war with Great Britain. Robert Field Stockton received his midshipman's commission in 1811, and was sent on board the frigate "President,"

then preparing for a patrol cruise along the coast threatened by British vessels. In the war of 1812, his dauntless courage and keen delight in the excitement and danger of battle earned for him the nickname of "Fighting Bob," a title that stayed by him all his life.

Ten years, crowded with perils and happenings, elapsed before he was again at Morven. His parents were living, and had, besides himself, seven other children. The young falcon had tried his wings and knew their strength and the joys of flight. At twenty-eight he had fought under Decatur at Algiers, cruised and explored and battled under Bainbridge, Rodgers and Chauncey, and risen to the rank of lieutenant. Philanthropy entered into the next project that fired his ardent young soul. In 1821 he sailed for the coast of Africa, commanding officer of a new vessel, and, as actuary of the American Colonization Society, commissioned to select a location for the colony of liberated negroes they purposed to establish near the British settlement of Sierra Leone. The history of the expedition belittles, in stirring incident, hairbreadth escapes, and daring enterprise, the most improbable of Stevenson's, Hope's and Weyman's fictions.

After his party of three white men and an interpreter had forced their way through morass, jungle and forest to the village of the African chief, "King Peter," they were confronted by a horde of murderous savages, infuriated by the rumor that the object of the strangers' visit was to convict the tribe of supplying slavers with prisoners taken in internecine warfare, and women and children stolen from their enemies' villages. I extract from Hageman's History a partial account of the scene given by Dr. Ayres, an eyewitness:

"Stockton instantly, with his clear, ringing tone of voice, commanded silence. The multitude was hushed as if a thunderbolt had fallen among them, and every eye was turned upon the speaker. Deliberately drawing a pistol from his breast and cocking it, he gave it to Dr. Ayres, saying, while he pointed to the mulatto· 'Shoot that villain if he opens his lips again!' Then, with the same deliberation, drawing another pistol and leveling it at the head of King Peter, and directing him to be silent until he heard what was to be said, he proceeded to explain the true object of his refusal to execute it, threatening the worst punishment of an angry God if he should fail to perform his agreement.

"During this harangue, delivered through an interpreter, the whole throng, horror-struck with the danger of their king and awed by the majesty of an ascendant mind, sunk gradually, cowering prostrate to the ground. If they had believed Stockton to be an immediate messenger from heaven they could not have quailed and shrunk and humbled themselves to more humiliating postures. Like true savages, the transition in their minds from ferocity to abject cowardice was sudden and involuntary. King Peter was quite as much overcome with fear as any of the crowd, and Stockton, as he perceived the effect of his own intrepidity, pressed the yielding mood only with more sternness and vehemence."

The territory purchased for the American Colonization Society by Lieutenant Stockton is now the Republic of Liberia.

As the determined opponent of the slave trade, he chased and captured a number of slave-ships sailing under false colors; feretted out more than one nest of pirates, and dragged the offenders to justice. He had crowded the events and perils of a lifetime into his thirty-one years of mortal existence when he seemed content to settle down to the peaceful pursuits of a country gentleman in the home and town his forefathers had founded. For sixteen years he had never asked for a furlough, and now, while holding himself in readiness to respond to the recall to active service, he engaged with characteristic energy in the duties that lay nearest his hand. He was the president of the Colonization Society; the importer of blooded racers from England; the eloquent supporter of Andrew Jackson's claims to the presidential chair; the largest shareholder and most active promoter of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company, making a voyage to England to effect a loan in behalf of the scheme.

Jackson's advocate was not Van Buren's. Captain Stockton "stumped" New Jersey for "Tippecanoe and Tyler too," in 1840, and, when Harrison's death made John Tyler president, was offered and declined the secretaryship of the navy. "Fighting Bob's" tastes did not lie in the direction of state desks, portfolios and audiences of office-seekers.

One of the great honors and the great catastrophe of his eventful life came to him Feb. 28, 1844. At his earnest request the Navy Department authorized him to construct the first steamship-of-war ever successfully launched. The marvel was named by her gratified inventor—The Princeton. The trial trip was made down the Potomac. The passengers were the President and Cabinet, many members of Congress and distinguished residents of Washington. The two great guns were fired amid wild enthusiasm. They were still at table when some of the company were seized with a desire to have one of the big guns fired a second time. The captain objected, smilingly. "No more guns tonight!" he said, decidedly.

The request was pressed by the Secretary of the Navy, and the captain fired the gun with his own hand. A terrific explosion ensued. The iron monster had burst, and five of the guests, including the Secretary of State and the Secretary of the Navy, were killed instantly. Although the court of inquiry absolved Captain Stockton from all blame, he carried the awful memory of the day all his life, and could never allude to it without profound emotion.

We have not room for more than a hasty summary of other achievements of this eminent scion of a noble race. He took possession of California for the United States, and formed a provisional government there in 1846, thus securing the jurisdiction for his nation before the close of the Mexican war. The first printing press and schoolhouse in California were his work. He resigned his command in the navy, May 28, 1850; was United States senator from New Jersey, 1851-53; was the nominee of the "American

Party" for the presidency in 1856, a ticket withdrawn, at his instance, before election day.

In 1861, he wrote to Governor Olden "to consider the best means of preserving our own State from aggression.

"You remember it is only the River Delaware that separates New Jersey from the Slave States. If you should see fit to call upon me for any aid that I can render, it is freely rendered. This is no time to potter about past differences of opinion, or to criticise the administration of public affairs. I shall hoist the Star-Spangled Banner at Morven, the former residence of one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence—that flag, which, when a boy, I nailed to the frigate 'President.' "

Commodore Stockton drew his last breath where he had drawn his first—in Morven. He saw the July blossoming of the catalpas in 1866. Catalpas were in the sere, elms, chestnuts, and maples in the yellow leaf, when the keen eyes closed upon earthly change and glory. He d. Oct. 7, 1866, in his seventy-first year, "full of vigor and energy. No infirmity of body had given a premonition of his death," writes the historian. "His health had been preserved by his abstemious habits of life and general care of himself. . . . He was impulsive, yet self-possessed, generous and noble, with a wonderful magnetism over men when he came into personal contact with them."

In 1824, when twenty-nine years old, he married a South Carolina belle, Miss Marie Potter, daughter of Mr. John Potter, then of Charleston, S. C., afterwards a prominent citizen of Princeton. Commodore Stockton survived his excellent wife for several years.

Their sons were Richard (VII.), a lawyer of note, and treasurer of the Delaware and Raritan Company; John Potter Stockton, who became attorney-general of the State and an active and popular United States senator; Gen. Robert Field Stockton, comptroller of the State of New Jersey—all men of rare ability, and useful citizens of State and nation. Six daughters grew to womanhood—Mrs. F. D. Howell, Mrs. Admiral Howell, Mrs. W. R. Brown, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. W. A. Dod, and Miss Marie Stockton.

Morven lapsed out of the straight line of succession at Commodore Stockton's death. It remained in the family until it was bought by Rev. Dr. Shields, of Princeton. His daughter, the wife of Bayard Stockton, Esq., a grandson of Commodore Stockton, is now the graceful mistress of the venerable mansion. The venerable homestead is therefore restored to the lineal succession of the founders.

Front and back doors of the wide hall stood open to let in spring sunshine and airs when I visited Morven in the present year. A tall Japan apple-tree (pyrus floribunda) on one side of the porch flamed red and clear as the bush that burned on Horeb; other clumps of flowering shrubbery, pink, white and yellow, lighted up the grounds, laid out one hundred and thirty years ago after the pattern of Mr. Pope's at Twickenham. Horse-chestnuts still stand in line to indicate the course of ancient avenues, and the rugged catalpas defiant of the centuries, mount guard upon the outskirts of the lawn. At the left of the entrance hall is the dining room,

BAYARD STOCKTON, ESQ.

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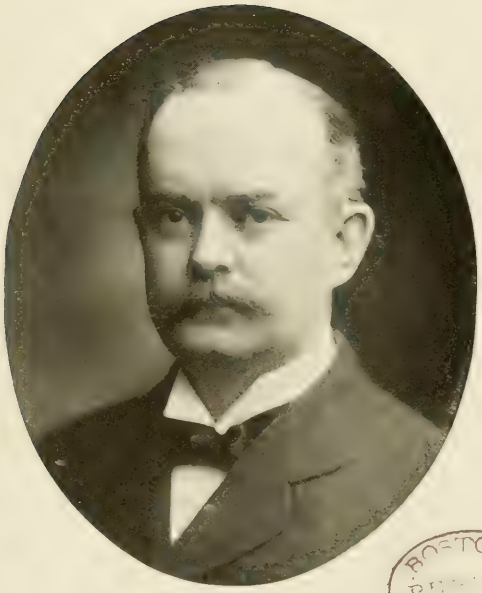

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THE OLD FIELD PLACE, DORSET, VERMONT.

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where Washington and his generals—Lafayette and Rochambeau and Viscount de Chastellux—Cornwallis and his officers, grave and reverend seigniors from every land under the sun, and nearly every president of the United States, have broken bread and quaffed the generous vintage for which the Morven cellars have always been famous.

A scarf wrought by the deft fingers of the present lady of the manor is thrown over a sideboard, and bears this legend: "Sons of Morven spread the feast, and send the night away in song."

The drawing-room is across the hall, and we pass up the staircase to the chamber where Cornwallis "lay"—in archaic phrase—during the four weeks in which Washington was making ready to dislodge him. The carved mantel in this room was in place then, and the logs blazed merrily below when the Delaware and Raritan were frozen over, and the deposed master of Morven was being done to his death in common jail and prison ship.

The giant horse chestnut at the rear of the house sprang from a nut planted by one of the Pintard brothers when they were courting the sisters, Abigail and Susannah Stockton, more than a hundred and fifty years ago. The patriarch tree is eleven feet in girth, and upbears his crown far above the ridge-pole of the house it has shaded for seven generations of human life. Upon the circular platform at its root Commodore Stockton used to arrange dancing parties on moonlight nights, when the branches were heavy with blossoms and the summer air sweet with their odor.

"And do not ghosts walk here?" I say incredulously, pausing for a long look at the portrait of "the Commodore" against the wall in the dining-room, his sword suspended under it.

The hostess, so slight of figure, so girlish in the *riante* face and clear, youthful tones that—set in the storied spaces of the old colonial homestead—she reminds me of nothing so much as the poet's "violet by a mossy stone," makes laughing reply:

"None! That is, none that trouble *this* generation."

863. iv. ROBERT, b. July 10, 1769; d. young.
864. v. GRACE, b. Oct. 10, 1770; d. young.
865. vi. SUSAN, b. April 20, 1772; d. young.
866. vii. SAMUEL, b. July 14, 1773; d. young.

428. BENJAMIN FIELD (Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Chesterfield, N. J., ——; m. in 1734, Mary Barton. Benjamin Field was a well known citizen, and a man of respectability and education. In 1774 he was appointed to draw up memorials of several deceased friends and elders. Res. near Bordentown, N. J.

867. i. JOSEPH, b. ——; m. Rebecca Shreve.
867½. ii. AUSTIN, b. ——; m. Mary ——.

442. WILLIAM FIELD (Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, William), b. April 15, 1721, New York, N. Y.; m., 1st, May 20, 1750, Deborah Boyd, b. June 2, 1728; d. Aug. 31, 1762. She was dau. of Peter and Mercy (Coles). Mercy was dau. of Joseph Coles, of Mosquito Cove, L. I. m., 2d, July 11, 1764, Hannah Van Wyck, dau. of William and Martha, b. Jan. 9, 1741. After Mr. Field's death, in 1792, she was m. to Oliver Hull, and d. in 1811. Her will was as follows:

Be it Remembered that on the 30th day of the 5th month 1811, that I Hannah Hull widow of Oliver Hull of New York, being in bodily health and sound mind and memory, do think fit to make and ordain this instrument of writing to be my last will & testament in manner following.

First that my funeral charges and just debts be paid out of my estate by my Executors here after named.

2dly. I give to my Daughter Catharine Underwood all my household goods and all my wearing apparel not here of too disposed of.

Thirdly I give to my grandson Wm Field son of Wm Field and to my grand-Daughter Hannah Field Daughter of Stephen Field and unto my grandson Wm Field Son of Chas Field and unto Maria Field daughter of Peter Field Each of them $15, to be paid them out of my Estate by my Executors, and to my grandaughter Hannah Pierce daughter of John Pierce I give my feather bed, bedding and bed-stead.

4th. And the residue of my estate not heretofore disposed of I give and bequethe in equal dividend unto my two Daughters Deborah Pierce and Catherine Underwood and in case of the death of my Daughter Deborah at any time before her oldest Child arrives at the age of 18 years then it is my will that her part of this legacy be equally divided between all her children. And so also in case of the death of my Daughter Catherine at any time before her eldest Child arrives at the age of 18 years then it is my will that her part of this above legacy be equally divided between all her children. And for the fullfilment and true performance of this my last will and testament, I do nominate and appoint my son Wm Field and Son-in-law Samuel Titus and my trusty friend Joseph Underwood of Deruyter to be executors of this my last will and testament. Witness my hand and Seal the year first above written. Signed Sealed published and declared in the presence of

Hannah Hull (Seal.)

Stephen Cornell
Anthony B. Haviland
Benjamin Cornell Jr

He d. Feb. 13, 1792. Res. New York, N. Y.

868. i. MARY, b. July 30, 1751; d. Aug. 11, 1752.
869. ii. PETER, b. July 14, 1753; m. Phebe Doty.
870. iii. ELIZABETH, b. April 3, 1755; d. Aug. 10, 1756.
871. iv. MARY, b. Aug. 31, 1765; m. Aug. 28, 1783, Samuel Titus; d. April 1, 1795.
872. v. WILLIAM VAN WYCK, b. May 21, 1767; m. Mary Vail and Sibylla Akin.
873. vii. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 5, 1770; d. Oct. 2, 1771.
874. viii. JOHN VAN WYCK, b. March 4, 1772; d. Sept. 2, 1775.
875. ix. STEPHEN, b. Feb. 7, 1774; m. Molly Hunt and Phebe Whitman.
876. x. JOHN VAN WYCK, b. Aug. 9, 1776.
877. xi. DEBORAH, b. Aug. 22, 1778; m. Feb. 8, 1797, John Pearce, son of William and Deborah Pauling.
878. xii. CHARLES, b. April 21, 1782; m. Martha Carpenter.
879. xiii. GEORGE, b. May 6, 1786.
880. xiv. CATHERINE, b. Feb. 12, 1789; m. Oct. 6, 1809, John Underwood. Res. New York City. She d. April 22, 1859. He was b. Oct. 16, 1788; d. April 11, 1851.

443. COLONEL JOHN VAN WYCK FIELD (Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Nov. 13, 1729; m.

—— ——; m. 2d, Charity Coles. He was a colonel in the Revolutionary war and a very large land owner. His will was proved Sept. 8, 1794. He d. in 1794. Res. South East, N. Y.

881. i. SAMUEL, b. ——; unm.; was lost at sea.
882. ii. PHEBE, b. ——; m. —— Vail.
883. iii. JOSEPH COLES, b. Aug. 22, 1768; m. Cornelia Bull.

451. BENJAMIN FIELD (Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Newtown, L. I., 1732; m. Jerusha Sutton. He was co-executor of his father's will. He d. 1818. Res. Harrison Purchase, N. Y.

452. JOHN FIELD (Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Westchester county, New York, 1731; m. Jamestown, R. I., June 8, 1763, Lydia Hazard, dau. of William, of Jamestown. She d. Jan. 15, 1795. He was co-executor of his father's will.

Their union is recorded in the Friends' register of Newport, R. I., as follows: "John Field of the purchase in the County of Westchester, in the province of New York, son of Anthony and Hannah Field and Lydia Hazard, daughter of William Hazard and Phoebe his wife of Jamestown married 8th of 6th 1763 at the meeting house in Jamestown." John Field removed from Harrison to Yorktown, which is also in Westchester county, and lies a few miles back of Peekshill, and died there in 1815.

The Hazard family of Rhode Island has been a numerous one, and it has always held a prominent position in that state. William Hazard, the father of Lydia Field, was son of Caleb Hazard and Abigail Gardner, great granddaughter of Joseph Gardner, one of the first settlers of Rhode Island. Caleb Hazard was son of George, grandson of Robert, and great grandson of Thomas Hazard, who was in Rhode Island about the time of its settlement by Roger Williams. This Thomas is supposed to be the person of that name who was admitted freeman at the Massachusetts general court, May 25, 1636, and his son Robert is said to have been four years old when they arrived in America, probably not long before this date. The ancestry of Thomas Hazard has not been satisfactorily traced, as far as the author knows. Some accounts say that he came from Wales; but this statement does not seem to rest on any solid foundation, and the writer is disposed to think that he belonged to the family of Lyme Regis, Dorsetshire. It is also said that he was a shipbuilder, a branch of industry which flourished at the place named, at the time of his emigration. Unfortunately the parish registers of Lyme Regis contain but one entry between 1572 and 1649. The family of this town were descended from a John Hazard, or Hassard, lord of the manor of Seaton in 1469; which place is about seven miles from Lyme. John Hazard, b. in 1531, was chosen seven times mayor of Lyme, and was its representative in three parliaments. His son Robert, b. in 1582, was also returned member from Lyme in 1614 and 1620. William Hazard, the father of Lydia Field, married Phoebe, daughter of Capt. John Hull, who commanded a ship usually trading between Newport, R. I., and England. Sir Charles Wager was apprenticed to him when a lad, and an anecdote of these two will be found in the "New England Historical and Genealogical Register" of April, 1877. Captain Hull married, in London, Alice Tiddeman, Aug. 23, 1684. He was the son of Tristam Hull, of Barnstable, Mass., and Blanche, his wife, and born in March, 1654. Tristam's father was the Rev. Joseph Hull, who was born in 1595, matriculated at St. Mary's Hall, Oxford, May 22, 1612, and took his B. A. degree there Nov. 14, 1614. He was instituted to the rectory of North Leigh, Devon, April 4, 1621, and resigned this living in 1632, probably from conscientious motives. He sailed from Weymouth for New England on March 20, 1635, with his wife Agnes,

seven children and three servants; his third child, Tristam, being three years old at the time. The Rev. Joseph Hull is described in the passenger list of the vessel in which he embarked as of "Somersetshire." He was minister in two or three different places after his arrival in America, the last of which was the Isle of Shoals, Maine, where he died a poor man, on Nov. 19, 1665. Savage mentions, as a touching circumstance, that, although the value of his whole estate was but £52 5s. 5d., "£10 of it is put down for books."

He d. in 1815. Res. Yorktown, N. Y.

884. i. HAZARD, b. Nov. 11, 1765; m. Fanny Wright and Mary Bailey.
885. ii. JOHN, b. May 6, 1766; m. Fanny Perry.
886. iii. JOSIAH, b. ——; d. unm., New York City, Feb. 27, 1806.
887. iv. DANIEL BIRDSALL, b. July 28, 1770; m. Elizabeth Field.
888. v. SEAMAN, b. Feb. 2, 1794; m. Louise Marie Eliza Du Bourg de Ste. Colombe.
889. vi. ABIGAIL, b. ——; d. infancy.
890. vii. JAMES, b. ——; d. infancy.
891. viii. SARAH, b. Aug. 7, 1775; m. Caleb Horton, of Yorktown, N. Y.
892. ix. WILLIAM B., b. Dec. 2, 1777; m. —— Fairchild.
893. x. MOSES, b. Oct. 4, 1779; m. Susan Kittredge Osgood.
894. xi. ABIGAIL, b. Jan. 16, 1782; d. March 11, 1808.
895. xii. PHOEBE, b. Jan. 16, 1784; m. Henry Fowler, of Yorktown. She d. 1862. Moses Field Fowler, Esq., was a son of Henry and Phebe (Field) Fowler; was born in Yorktown, Westchester county, N. Y., Oct. 2, 1819. His paternal grandfather was Jesse Fowler, who died in 1851, at the age of ninety-one, and who had lived in Yorktown, as several generations of the Fowler family had done before him. The emigrant ancestor came from Yorkshire, or Staffordshire. Moses Field was educated in the home schools, and at the North Salem Academy, in Westchester county. In 1834, he entered the office of his uncle, Hickson W. Field, in Burling Ship, N. Y., and there received his training for the importing and commission business, in the line of manufacturers' drugs and chemicals. He went to Boston in the autumn of 1841, and established himself in India street, afterward removing to Central Wharf, as a commission merchant, and acting as agent for Peter Cooper, Daniel F. Tiemann and other well-known manufacturers. In 1854 he admitted his cousin, Edmund B. Fowler, to partnership, under the firm name of M. Field Fowler & Co. In 1856 another cousin joined him, Maunsell B. Field, afterward assistant treasurer of the United States in New York, and during Mr. Lincoln's administration assistant secretary of the treasury. The firm was very enterprising, and did a large business, both at home and abroad. It suffered severely, however, after the disaster of 1857, which fell upon the cotton and woolen manufacturers of New England, and in 1859 suspended payment. In 1860 Mr. Fowler, with his nephew, Frank Field Fowler, formed the firm of Fowler & Co. The latter removed to New York in 1866 and he continued the business alone. Mr. Fowler's activity and public spirit manifested itself in various directions, but he deserves special remembrance as one of the projectors and builders of the Metropolitan horse railway. He was induced to undertake this work by a conversation with Mr. Abram S. Hewitt, who had just

supplied the rails for the Sixth Avenue railway, New York. A charter, based upon a draft prepared by Sidney Bartlett and the city solicitor, Peleg W. Chandler, was granted by the legislature in 1853; but so strong an opposition had developed itself in certain quarters, to the scheme of "the New York Conspirators" for the ruin of Boston after they had got her in their "iron embrace," as Rufus Choate said, that the petitioners were obliged to go to the State House in 1854, and obtain an amendment to their charter providing for taking up the rails where required by the aldermen to do so. We have not space here to follow Mr. Fowler and his associates through all the stages of this work, which afterward proved so successful, but it is enough to say that they did not reap any adequate reward for their foresight and labor, and for the risks which they assumed. Mr. Fowler was at one time a director in the Mattapan Bank, Dorchester; he was a member of the school board of the city of Boston, and of the parish of St. Paul's Episcopal church. He was a director in the Boston Young Men's Christian Association, but he declined to be nominated to public office. His death took place in Boston, Nov. 15, 1888. Mr. Fowler was twice married—in 1845, to Mary Louisa, eldest daughter of James M. Blaney; she died in 1868; in 1869, to Ella Lizette, daughter of John and Ann (Burrows) Gilbert, who survived him.

896. xiii. JERUSHA, b. March 14, 1786; d. Dec. 28, 1877.

897. xiv. HICKSON WOOLMAN, b. Oct. 17, 1788; m. Eleanor De Forrest and Catherine Bradhurst.

898. xv. SAMUEL, b. ——; d. infancy.

899. xvi. JAMES, b. Jan. 15, 1795; d. May 22, 1795.

453. WILLIAM FIELD (Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Westchester county, New York; m. Mary Hatfield. He was named in his father's will. Res. New York.

455. ANTHONY FIELD (Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Westchester county, New York, about 1734; m. about 1755, Mary French. He was named in his father's will. Anthony and his wife, Mary, went from White Plains, N. Y., to Ferrisburgh, Vt., at an early day. They took five boys and two girls with them. Res. White Plains, N. Y., and Ferrisburgh, Vt.

900. i. ANTHONY, b. Oct. 24, 1755; m. Sarah Franklin.

901. ii. GILBERT, b. in 1760; m. Eleanor Morton.

901¼ iii. STEPHEN, b. ——; m. Mary Washburn.

901⅓. iv. BENJAMIN, b. about 1770; m. Polly Champlain and —— ——.

901½. v. GEORGE, b. about 1758; m. —— ——.

901⅔. vi. MARY, b. White Plains; n. f. k.; prob. d. young.

901¾. vii. ELIZABETH, b. White Plains; n. f. k.; prob. d. young.

456. SAMUEL FIELD (Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Westchester county, New York; m. Abigail Haight. He was named in his father's will. Res. New York.

459. SOLOMON FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. Flushing, L. I.; in 1738; m. Oct. 7, 1758, Betty Vail (m. under the name of Elizabeth Vail). He d. in 1815. Res. Dingle, N. Y.

902. i. ISAAC, b. 1759; m. Deborah Lobdell.

903. ii. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Susan Angevine.

904. iii. SARAH, b. April 19, 1761; m. Gilbert Bailey, son of Levi, of Somers, N. Y., b. Sept. 16, 1759; d. March 20, 1831. She d. Oct. 10, 1836. Ch.: 1. Jane; m. near Croton Falls, N. Y., Isaac Hall, b. South East, N. Y. He d. 1840, in North Salem, N. Y., and she d. in 1857. Ch.: 1. James Hall, b. 1817; d. March 20, 1868. 2. Elizabeth Hall, b. 1822; m. Edmund Smith, and d. August, 1897, and left one son only, Edmund Smith, of Jolley, Iowa. (3) Susan Ann, b. Sept. 20, 1827; m. July 3, 1844, Elijah Field Fowler, b. Aug. 6, 1820; d. Feb. 27, 1898. Res. Brewster, N. Y.; was a farmer. Ch.: (a) Carolyne Fowler, b. Jan. 9, 1848. Address, Brewster, N. Y. (b) George Bailey Fowler, b. April 30, 1849; m. Dec. 14, 1880, Gertrude Pratt. Address, 757 Washington St., Boston, Mass. (c) James Hall Fowler, b. March 27, 1852; m. Feb. 14, 1877, Minnie Fleeman. Address, City Mills, Mass. (d) Clarence Fowler, b. Sept. 2, 1856; d. Nov. 2, 1862. (e) Mary Amelia Fowler, b. July 28, 1860; d. Sept. 11, 1862. (f) Jennie Bailey Fowler, b. Jan. 31, 1863; m. Jan. 26, 1887, Washington P. Mabie. Address, Pawling, Dutchess county, N. Y. (g) Fannie Beatrice Fowler, b. Oct. 1, 1864; m. March 18, 1885, Le Grand Hughson; d. Oct. 17, 1886. Address, Brewster, N. Y.

905. iv. STEPHEN, b. March 11, 1770; m. Betsey Brown.

462. GILBERT FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Dingle, N. Y.; m. March 17, 1791, Hepsibeth Ryder, b. in 1761; d. June 15, 1831. She was dau. of John and Hepsibeth (Sprague), of South East. Hepsibeth was the dau. of John Ryder, who enlisted three times in the Revolutionary army. In 1777 in Waterbury's company of the Seventh Dutchess county regiment of Levies, commanded by Col. Henry Ludington. In 1778 in Haight's company of the Third Westchester county regiment of Levies, commanded by Col. Gilbert Drake, and finally, Sept. 7, 1778, for three years in the Fourth company of the Second regiment of the New York line of the Continental army, commanded by Col. Philip Cortlandt, receiving his discharge Jan. 12, 1780. He was the only son and youngest child of John Ryder, and was b. in 1732, and early removed to Putnam, where he reared his family. His wife was Sarah Sprague. He leased various lands in South East, and after the death of his wife resided with his son, John, Jr., in Bovina, Delaware county.

Gilbert was one of three brothers, Nehemiah and Comfort; who together, on account of their youthful looks and actions in old age, were familiarily called "The Three Old Boys." They accumulated considerable wealth, which eventually went to Gilbert's children. He was a prosperous farmer and highly esteemed and respected.

He d. ——. Res. Dingle Ridge, N. Y.

906. i. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 8, 1792; m. Charlotte Crane, Julia M. Sim and Amelia Sim.

907. ii. POLLY, b. May 31, 1793; m. Moses Adams. She d. April 5, 1882, s. p.

908. iii. ABIGAIL, b. Dec. 30, 1794; m. Sept. 16, 1815, Aaron Purdy Denton. Res. Dingle Ridge, N. Y. She d. March 29, 1865. He was b. Jan. 20, 1793; d. May 21, 1834. He was son of Solomon and Lydia (Husted), of Horseneck, Conn. Seven children. Ch.: 1. Mary,

b. 1818; m. Seth Abbott, of Pound Ridge, N. Y.; three children. 1. Charlotte A. 2. Joseph G. 3. Mary E., b. April 1, 1850; m. Haleyon G. Ryder.

909. iv. COMFORT, b. Jan. 16, 1799; m. Polly Crane.

910. v. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 18, 1803. He was quite well off; never married; was Colonel of the State militia, and erected an excellent house on the ancestral estate. He d. March 14, 1878.

465. ELNATHAN FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Dingle Ridge, N. Y.; m. Jane Palmer. Res. Danbury, Conn.

911. i. JOSEPH, b. Jan. 30, 1779; m. Mary Randle.

912. ii. MOLLY, b. ——; m. Samuel Cole.

913. iii. ELIAS, b. ——m. Sally ——, and had son Joseph.

914. iv. HEPSIBETH, b. ——; m. Hendrick Weed, b. Jan. 31, 1791; d. Sept. 17, 1875. Res. South East, N. Y.

915. v. BETSEY, b. ——; m. Elisha Gage, b. 1776; d. June 6, 1834. Res. South East, N. Y.

470. URIAH FIELD (Robert, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Flushing, L. I.; m. Jan. 18, 1764, Mary Quimby. She was dau. of Aaron Quimby and Mrs. Elizabeth (Cornell) Palmer, and granddaughter of Josiah Quimby and Mary Mullenix. Aaron's wife was a dau. of Richard and Hannah Cornell. Uriah Field traveled yearly to Vermont from Westchester county, New York, his home. So punctual were his habits that he would make appointments along the road for his meals a year in advance, and hotel-keepers always knew to a day when he was coming. Res. Greenwich, Conn., and Westchester county, New York.

479. BENJAMIN FIELD (Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., Feb. 19, 1725; m. Dec. 5, 1750, Margaret De Groot, of Bound Brook, N. J. Benjamin Field and Margaret De Groot, his wife, lived in Middlesex county, near Bound Brook, N. J. He died and was buried in the old Field burying ground, on the banks of the Raritan river. His widow lived on the old place during the war of the Revolution, and must have been a brave patriotic woman, as out of her five sons four served in the war as private minutemen, viz: Jeremiah, John B., Michael—who was killed at the battle of Monmouth—and Benjamin, who was only 20 years old at the close of the war (p. 494, of History of Union and Middlesex counties in New Jersey, also Field Family Bible). Miss Margaret De Groot was a daughter of Jacob De Groot, a French emigrant, who built a house in Bound Brook, N. J., in 1700. He owned a large track of land, which was in possession of the De Groot family for 143 years.

He d. in 1790. Res. Bound Brook, N. J., on the Michael B. Field place.

916. i. MICHAEL, b. Aug. 30, 1758; was killed in the Revolutionary war in the battle of Monmouth, June 28, 1778.

917. ii. JOHN B., b. April 2, 1756; m. Phoebe Brokaw and Ann Terhune.

918. iii. JACOB, b. Oct. 15, 1751; d. Nov. 10, 1765.

919. iv. JEREMIAH, b. Nov. 15, 1753. He was in the Revolutionary war, serving with his brothers in the New Jersey militia, and was granted a pension for such service in 1833. He received $240 back pay.

920. v. JEAN, b. Jan. 7, 1761; d. Nov. 29, 1765.

921. vi. BENJAMIN, b. April 7, 1763.
922. vii. JACOB, b. Feb. 6, 1767.
923. viii. RICHARD, b. Oct. 17, 1770.

480. RICHARD FIELD (Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., Oct. 31, 1726; m. Nov. 23, 1749, Elizabeth Smock, b. Jan. 28, 1728; d. Sept. 2, 1808 He had four sons in the Revolutionary war. He d. Sept. 21, 1800. Res. Bound Brook, N. J., on the John D. Field place.

924. i. HENDRICK, b. Sept. 4, 1751; m. Hannah Lane.
925. ii. JEREMIAH, b. Nov. 17, 1753; m. Jane Tenerick or Ten Eyck.
926. iii. RICHARD, b. Dec. 5, 1755; m. Dinah Vermule.
927. iv. ANN, b. Dec. 11, 1757; m. —— Tenerick and —— Wortman. She d. Feb. 11, 1830.
928. v. JOHN, b. Jan. 2, 1760; d. in infancy.
929. vi. DENNIS, b. May 12, 1761; m. Mary Boice and Cynthia French.
930. vii. MARY, b. June 27, 1768; d. Feb. 28, 1789.

490. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, Nov. 26, 1703; m. Jan. 11, 1728, M. Rudd. He d. Oct. 26, 1759. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

931. i. HENRY, b. April 16, 1733; m. N. Pearson.
932. ii. ISAAC, b. April 18, 1735; m. E. Rudd.
933. iii. OTHER children.

492. DOCTOR JOHN FIELD (John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas, Thomas, John, Thomas, Roger), b. January, 1719, Cockernhoe, England; m. Oct. 1, 1753, Anne Cromwell, great great granddaughter of Oliver Cromwell, b. 1730; d. Aug. 19, 1797. Anne, only surviving daughter of Thomas Cromwell, of Bridgewater Square, by his first marriage, married in 1753, at Edmonton, John Field an apothecary, at that time ot Newgate street, but afterward of Stoke, Newington. There is reason to think that this was a union prompted by cordiality of religious sentiment, the Fields being of a Puritan stock, and Mr. Field himself attached to Stoke, Newington society. Mr. Field, whose medical practice was extensive, was the founder, in 1765, of the London Annuity Society, established for the benefit ot the widows of its members. This institution, now located at 3 Serjeants' Inn, possesses half-length portraits of himself and of his son, Henry, who succeeded him professionally. His living presence we are told was a familiar and grateful object to all the dwellers in and about Stoke, Newington, who believed his good nature to be inexhaustible, the capacious coach in which he performed the daily journey into town, being apparently at the service of the public, for while his personal friends occupied the interior, some poor neighbor was generally to be seen on the box. Mr. Field's intercourse was with their succeeding generation. His own ancestry derived from Cockernhoe, in Herts, where he was born in 1719. His death occurred in 1796, the year before that of his wife. Their children are nine in number.

He d. Aug. 26, 1796. At his death he was of Stoke Newington, Middlesex. Res. London, England.

934. i. HENRY, b. Sept. 29, 1755; m. Esther Barrow.
935. ii. OLIVER, b. Dec. 6, 1761; m. Elizabeth Gittings.
936. iii. JOHN, b. Oct. 1, 1764; m. Mary Pryer.
937. iv. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 10, 1768; m. Mary Wilkins.
938. v. ANNE, eldest dau. of John Field and Anne Cromwell; b. 1756; d.

1820; having m., in 1787, Thomas Gwinnel, of Worcester, merchant. Mr. Gwinnel, who d. in 1818, aged sixty-eight, left five children, namely: 1. Thomas Cromwell, a solicitor at Worcester; d. 1835. 2. Anne Sophia, m. her cousin, Henry Cromwell Field. 3. Amelia, lived at Hastings with her cousin, Letitia Field. 4. Diana, m. Mr. Roberts, of Worcester. 5. Eliza, m. Patrick Johnston, of a firm of well known bankers in Fleet St. Their children are: 1. Patrick, a solicitor. Both he and his wife died July, 1884, and were buried at Thames Ditton. 2. Janet Eliza. 3. Henry Cromwell, in holy orders, subsequently of 163 Ladbroke Grove Road, and chaplain of Kensal Green cemetery; he d. 1892, aged fifty-seven. 4. Thomas, of Kingston-on-Thames.

939. vi. LETITIA, second dau. of John Field and Anne Cromwell, became the second wife of Rev. William Wilkins, of Bourton-on-the-Water and had four ch.: 1. William, who d. young. 2. Letitia; m. Wm. Kendall, of Bourton, solicitor, by whom she has children: Herbert, William, Amelia, Letitia, Edmund, Agnes, Harriett and Henry. 3. Henry Field, a solicitor at Chipping-Norton; m. Miss Spence, of that place. 4. Harriett, m. George Tilsley, a solicitor at Chipping-Norton.

940. vii. ELIZABETH, b. ——; unm.; d. Dec. 9, 1781, at Stoke, Newington, aged twenty-two; buried at Cheshunt.

941. viii. SOPHIA, b. ——; unm.

942. ix. MARY, b. ——; unm.; d. in 1840. Res. Worcester, Eng.

502. BENJAMIN FIELD (Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William*), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, June 21, 1721; m. May 21, 1746, Ann Undershell; d. Feb. 2, 1785. Res. in England.

943. i. JOHN, b. July 6, 1748; m. G. Bennett.

944. ii. ANN, b. Sept. 24, 1749; d. Nov. 22, 1749.

945. iii. ISAAC, b. March 6, 1752; m. Oct. 1, 1785, L. Blackbeard. He was connected with the Bank of England, and d. Sept. 27, 1835, leaving several children.

503. JOHN FIELD (William, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William*), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, Jan. 16, 1727; m. April 5, 1753, M. Robinson. He d. in 1764. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

946. i. JOHANNA ELIZABETH, b. June 17, 1764; m. —— Heath.

504. WILLIAM FIELD (William, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William*), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, May 20, 1729; m. in 1764, A. Bailey. He d. Feb. 5, 1812. Res. Cockernhoe, England.

947. i. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 16, 1767; m. M. Payne.

948. ii. OTHER children.

505. SAMUEL FIELD (Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Jan. 17, 1737, where he d. Feb. 12, 1812. He m. Oct. 1, 1764, Submit, dau. of Jared Willard, of East Guilford, Conn., b. July 1, 1739; d. Aug. 19, 1794. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

949. i. BETHIA, b. May 10, 1765; d. unm., Feb. 10, 1835.

950. ii. EDWARD, b. Nov. 2, 1766; m. Abigail Platt and Nancy Bristol.

* Other ancestors' names omitted.

951 iii. SUBMIT, b. July 22, 1771; m., 1794, Roswell Stevens, of East Guilford. She d. July 29, 1828.
952. iv. KIRTLAND, b. Nov. 18, 1774; m. Abigail Brooks.
953. v. JAMES, b. May 10, 1776; m. Sarah Stevens and Mrs. Lamphear.
954. vi. JULIUS, b. Aug. 8, 1778; m. Julia Buell.
955. vii. MARTIN, b. Jan. 9, 1781; m. Sarah Buell.
956. viii. SARAH, b. July 18, 1782; d. unm. Feb. 6, 1850.

507. DANIEL FIELD (Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Nov. 4, 1742; was a Revolutionary soldier. He m., 1765, Bethsheba——. Res. East Guilford, Conn.
957. i. JOHN, b. Jan. 19, 1766; m. —— ——.
958. ii. DANIEL, b. about 1770; m. Rhoda Salisbury.
959. iii. PLINEY, b. ——.

508. JOAREB FIELD (Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., April 3, 1745; m., 1st, Nov. 4, 1767, Hannah Crampton, dau. of Demetrius, of East Guilford, b. May 27, 1747; d. April 23, 1780; m., 2d, 1781, Mrs. Anna (Spinning) Betchley, dau. of Joseph, b. March 28, 1750; d. Jan. 26, 1829. He d. Dec. 11, 1836. Res. East Guilford, Conn., and Bergen, N. Y.
960. i. HANNAH, b. May 27, 1768; m. Edward Crittenden; d. February, 1851.
961. ii. JOHN, b. Dec. 6, 1770; m. Ruth Munger.
962. iii. JOAREB, b. March 7, 1773; m. Phebe Wellman.
963. iv. ANNA, b. May 3, 1775; m. —— Miller.
964. v. WICKHAM, b. Nov. 13, 1777; m. Mrs. Anna (Lee) Judd. She was b. Dec. 27, 1791; d. Oct. 4, 1869.
965. vi. NATHAN, b. April 18, 1780.
966. vii. LUE, b. April 6, 1782; m. Joseph Kelsey, of Clinton, Conn. Ch.: 1. Mary Ann; m. Mr. Stanard; Res. Clinton. 2. William; m.; Res. Clinton. 3. Joseph; m.; Res. Clinton. 4. Clarissa; unm.
967. viii. JOSHUA, b. Feb. 8, 1785; m. Lydia Towle, Betsey Heath, Maria Green and Delia A. Marsh.
968. ix. ESTHER, b. Feb. 2, 1787, m. Justice Parish. Res. Clarkson, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Hamilton; unm. 2. Sue; m. Frank Myers. Res. Clarkson. One son, Justice. 3. Henry; m. and res. Michigan. 4. Emily; unm.
969. x. HARVEY, b. Aug. 25, 1789; m. Mary Parker. He d. in 1855. Ch.: 1. Ada, b. 1814; m. William Gordon. Res. Bergen, N. Y.; no children. 2. Annie, b. 1816; m. George Mansfield. Ch.: (a) George; (b) Sarah; unm.; address care Mrs. Jesse Dewey, Bergen, N. Y.; (c) Mary. 3. Mary Ann, b. 1818; m. Daniel Arnold. Ch.: (a) Winfield. (b) Cassius. Res. Bergen, N. Y. 4. Arden, b. 1820; m. Sarah Barrett, of Brockport, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Sarah, m. Horace Collins. Ch.: Ellen, John, and Herbert. (b) Herbert; unm. (c) Herman; m. Helen Franklin. 5. Lucy, b. 1822; m. Gurdon Richards, of Brockport, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Helen; m. M. R. Hammond. Ch.: 1. Mary Hammond; m. Herbert Cary, Buffalo, N. Y. One child, named Howard. 2. Clay, b. Maro; m. ——; Ch.; 1. Fred. 2. Harold. (c) Mary (d) Clinton. 6. Martha, b. 1825; m. Garret VanSickle. Ch.: (a) Fayette; m. ——; Ch.: 1. Mary. 2. Frank. (b) Ada, m

Frank Nicks. Ch.: 1. Fred. Res. Bergen, N. Y. 7. Cynthia, b. 1827; m. Jesse Dewer. Res. Bergen, N. Y. 8. Joseph, b. 1829; m. Clara Marcellus. 9. Elizabeth, b. 1831; m. George Brown. Ch.: (a) Will; unm. (b) Eliza. Address, Brockport, N. Y. 10. Harriett, b. 1833; m. William Sherwood, of Hamilton, N. Y. Ch.: (a) William, m. ——; Ch.; 1. Helen. 2. Harriet. (b) Frances, m. Lester Bullard. (c) Alta, m. Mr. Gascogne. 11. Della, b. 1835; unm.

970. xi. ANNA, b. June 11, 1791; m. Melzer Turner. Ch.: 1. Louisa. 2. William. 3. Mary.

971. xii. SARAH, b. Aug. 11, 1793; unm.

509. JOSHUA FIELD (Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Feb. 20, 1750; d. Jan. 24, 1783. He m. March 30, 1774, Mrs. Submit, dau. of Zechariah and Ann (Seward) Field, and wid. of John T. Collins, b. March 29, 1752. She m., 3d, Russell Dowd, of East Guilford; m., 4th, —— Moore; d. 1846. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

972. i. LYDIA, b. April 10, 1775.

973. ii. MOLLY, b. March 13, 1777.

974. iii. SYLVIA, b. Nov. 21, 1779; m. Amos Norton, of East Guilford; d. March 5, 1812.

975. iv. LOVINA, b. Feb. 10, 1782.

510. LUKE FIELD (Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Feb. 4, 1753; d. March 5, 1826. He m. March 17, 1777, Patience Griswold, b. Jan. 21, 1759; d. Dec. 14, 1833. Field, Luke, East Guilford, Conn. Col. John Paterson's Fifteenth regiment; age twenty-six years; stature, five feet ten inches; complexion, light.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

976. i. CHLOE, b. Sept. 29, 1780; m. June 1, 1799, Samuel Kirkham; d. in 1856.

977. ii. JOHNSON, b. July 20, 1782; m. Polly Fowler.

978. iii. BETSEY, b. Jan. 29, 1784; m. Oct. 11, 1805, John Hart; d. Jan. 15, 1867.

979. iv. JEDEDIAH, b. April, 1786; m. Elizabeth Alexander, Sarah Osgood and Rebecca Bradley.

979½. v. AARON, b. Feb. 11, 1788; d. unm., Nov. 16, 1835.

980. vi. PATIENCE, b. May 20, 1790; m. 1st, June 27, 1805, James Vail; m., 2d, Ambrose Benton; d. Feb. 26, 1869.

981. vii. LUKE, b. May 1, 1792; d. unm.

982. viii. JOEL, b. Jan. 23, 1796; settled in Philadelphia.

983. ix. SAMUEL, b. April 13, 1798; drowned Nov. 19, 1815.

513. DAVID FIELD (David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., July 31, 1728; was a Revolutionary soldier. He d. at his brother-in-law's, Neri Crampton, in Tinmouth, Vt., on his return from the army at Fort Ticonderoga, Nov. 25, 1778. He m. July 10, 1755, Anna Stone, of East Guilford, Vt., b. 1726. She m., 2d, Dec. 15, 1779, Timothy Scranton, of East Guilford; d. March 2, 1790. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

984. i. MABEL, b. Aug. 30, 1757; m. Dec. 14, 1780, Daniel Seward, of East Guilford.

985. ii. BENJAMIN, b. June 12, 1759; m. Lucy Murray.

986. iii. DAVID, b. Sept. 17, 1761; m. Lois French and Mercy Frisbie.

987. iv. ANNA, b. Sept. 17, 1761; m., 1st, April 23, 1783, Benjamin Crampton,

of East Guilford; m., 2d, James Lyman; m., 3d, Russell Stevens. She d. September, 1848.

988. v. ICHABOD, b. July 26, 1763; m. Anna French.

989. vi. ELIZABETH, b. July 26, 1763; m., 1st, Linus Munger, of East Guilford; m., 2d, Ichabod Munger, of East Guilford and Claremont, N. H., where she d. Dec. 13, 1844.

990. vii. JEDEDIAH, b. May 29, 1765; m. Mabel Stevens.

991. viii. MINDWELL, b. Sept. 1, 1769; d. Dec. 14, 1775.

516. SAMUEL FIELD (David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Feb. 20, 1734. He was a soldier in the French war, and d. at Fort Oswego, N. Y., Oct. 6, 1760. He m. April 11, 1754, Mary Dickinson. She m., 2d, Nathan Scranton, of East Guilford; d. Oct. 17, 1779. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

992. i. ZECHARIAH, b. June 6, 1755; m. Priscilla Crampton.

993. ii. HEPSIBAH, b. Dec. 7, 1757; m. Amos Tooley, of East Guilford.

994. iii. MARY, b. Dec. 23, 1759; m., 1st, 1779, Luther Crampton, of East Guilford; m., 2d, William Ward, of Middlefield; m., 3d, Prosper Angel, of Madison.

517. EBENEZER FIELD (David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., April 18, 1736. He removed to Danbury, Conn., where he d. in 1777. He was a Revolutionary soldier. He m. March 1, 1756, Rachel Scranton b. Jan. 22, 1739; d. in New York in 1813, aged seventy-seven. Res. Danbury, Conn.

995. i. MARTIN, b. March 1, 1757; d. April 4, 1764.

996. ii. MABEL SCRANTON b. May 23, 1758; d. in 1758.

997. iii. RACHEL, b. Jan. 30, 1761; m. May 3, 1789, Clarke Walton, of Norfolk, Conn.

998. iv. MABEL SCRANTON, b. Oct. 7, 1763.

999. v. CATHERINE, b. May 8, 1769.

1000. vi. CHRISTIANNA, b. Dec. 13, 1771; d. April 12, 1785.

1001. vii. MARTIN, b. 1774.

518. CAPTAIN TIMOTHY FIELD (David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., March 12, 1744; m. Nov. 27, 1767, Anna Dudley, dau. of David and Anna (Tallmann), of North Madison, Conn., b. April 13, 1752; d. Oct. 17, 1819. He lived on the old homestead he inherited from his father. He was a man of great vigor and resolution, which led his fellow-townsmen to look to him as a leader in troublous times. When he was in the prime of manhood, a little over thirty years of age, the war of the Revolution broke out, and he entered the army. In 1776 he joined the 7th regiment raised in Connecticut for the defense of the state, and served under Washington, when the great leader, rallying his forces after the disastrous defeat on Long Island, took a position of defense on the upper part of New York Island, between Fort Washington, and the East River, to watch the British troops, which then held the city and took part in the battle at White Plains. He was afterwards captain of a coast guard, organized for protection against expeditions that might attack towns along the shore of Long Island Sound, in which he once saved Guilford from a raid of Tories, who landed June 17, 1781, and had begun to burn the town, when, mustering the farmers with their muskets, he attacked them with such spirit that he drove them to their boats, leaving their dead and wounded behind them. Captain Field lived many years after the war, and was a fine specimen of the old Continentals who united the character of the farmer with that of the soldier. The older

inhabitants of the town recall his striking figure. One who says, "he can see him now," describes him as "a large, broad-breasted, well built man." Even while engaged in peaceful pursuits he kept up the military style of dress of other days. "He always wore a cocked hat, short breeches, long stockings and bright silver shoe buckles, and I never saw him, either on the farm or abroad, that he was not dressed in this manner."

His Revolutionary record is as follows: Sergeant Ensign Jekiel Megs' company, Guilford, Connecticut militia, Lexington alarm; private, Captain Andrew Ward's company, First Connecticut Continental regiment, Col. David Wooster, 1775; lieutenant Seventh regiment, Connecticut militia, Col. William Worthington, 1780; lieutenant Capt. Peter Vail's company, Connecticut Coast Guards, April 10th to December, 1781.

He d. Jan. 1, 1818. Res. East Guilford, now Madison, Conn.

1002. vi. DAVID DUDLEY, b. May 20, 1781; m. Submit Dickinson.

1003. i. MINA, b. Oct. 3, 1769; d. Jan. 26, 1770.

1004. ii. LOIS, b. Jan. 29, 1771; m. March 24, 1792, Elijah Wilcox, of Madison. She d. Aug. 6, 1852.

1005. iii. MINA, b. March 23, 1773; m. Nov. 10, 1793, Luther Dowd. She d. Feb. 26, 1843.

1006. iv. TIMOTHY, b. Sept. 28, 1775; m. Wealthy Bishop and Mrs. Susannah (Pomeroy) Lusk.

1007. v. MARY, b. Nov. 19, 1778; m. April 2, 1801, John Meigs. She d. July 27, 1855. Their dau. Louisa was b. 1802; m. Nov. 18, 1824, Zenas Wilcox, son of Joseph, Jr. She d. Madison, Conn., May 2, 1878, aged seventy-six. He d. March 14, 1893. Ch.: 1. Vincent Meigs Wilcox, b. Oct. 17, 1828; m. June 17, 1855, Catherine Millicent Webb, dau. of Dr. Reynolds Webb, b. June 13, 1832; d. April 1, 1860. He d. May 9, 1896. Col. Vincent Meigs Wilcox was educated at Lee's Academy, Madison, Conn.; colonel One Hundred and Thirty-second regiment Pennyslvania volunteers, 1862-63; distinguished at Antietam; elder Philips Presbyterian church, New York. Was president of E. and H. T. Anthony & Co., a corporation engaged in manufacture and importation of photographic materials. Colonel Wilcox's son, Reynolds Webb Wilcox, b. March 29, 1856; m. in New York City, June 5, 1895, Frances Maud Weeks, dau. of Samuel, b. Nov. 25, 1868. Res. 749 Madison Av., New York City, s. p. Reynolds Webb Wilcox, B. A., Yale College, 1898; M. A., Hobart College, 1881; M. D., Harvard University, 1881; LL. D., Maryville College, 1892. House officer various hospitals in Boston, Mass., in 1880-81; studied medicine at Vienna, Heidelberg, Paris and Edinburgh in 1881-82. Professor of medicine and therapeutic at the New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital; attending physician to the hospital; visiting physician at St. Mark's hospital; co-author, "White-Wilcox's Materia Medica and Therapeutics" (fourth edition), text book in most medical schools; therapeutic editor of the American Journal of the Medical Sciences; author of "Materia Medica for Nurses," "System of Case Records." Has published about two hundred papers on medical subjects in various magazines and journals; Fellow of the American Academy of Medicine; Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine (formerly chairman of medical section);

member of New York State Medical Society; member of Harvard Medical Society (formerly president); life member of the Harvard Medical Alumni Association; member of Society of Colonial Wars; Sons of the Revolution; War of 1812, (vice-president Pennsylvania Society) Loyal Legion; Sons of Veterans (formerly surgeon-general); author of the "Descendants of William Wilcoxson, Vincent Meigs and Richard Webb," and of "Madison, Her Soldiers;" member of Metropolitan, Democratic and Harvard Clubs, New York City. He m. Frances Maud, dau. of Samuel Weeks, of New York City. Occupation, physician; hobbies, American history and genealogy.

1008. vii. ABIGAIL, b. April 7, 1784; m. March 9, 1805, Thomas Beals, of Canandaigua, N. Y. He was formerly a merchant and afterwards a banker, and was one of the most highly esteemed citizens in his section of the state of New York. He and his wife both lived to a good old age. He d. April 30, 1864, aged eighty-three, and she passed away Aug. 8, 1872, aged eighty-seven.

1009. viii. ANNA, b. April 6, 1787; m. Nov. 21, 1814, Abel Wilcox, of Madison. She d. Sept. 12, 1861.

524. EBENEZER FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., in 1739. He removed to New Haven, Vt. He m. in 1763, Anna, dau. of Zechariah and Anna (Seward) Field, of East Guilford, b. Oct. 26, 1744. Res. New Haven, Vt.

1010. i. SIMEON, b. Nov. 4, 1764; d. Dec. 20. 1764.
1011. ii. SIMEON, b. Jan. 11, 1766.
1012. iii. PRUDENCE, b. May 15, 1768.
1013. iv. ROXANA, b. Sept. 23, 1770.
1014. v. MARGARET, b. April 3, 1773.
1015. vi. EBENEZER, b. Jan. 15, 1775.
1016. vii. AMOS, b. Jan. 7, 1779.
1017. viii. HULDAH, b. April 7, 1782.
1018. ix. NAOMI, b. Feb. 17, 1785.

528. REUBEN FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Norfolk, Conn., Jan. 9, 1762; m. —— ——. Res. Litchfield, Vt.

1018½. i. REUBEN, b. 1792; m. Eliza L. Lazaraw.

530. DEACON MICHAEL FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Zachariah, Zachariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Norfolk, Conn., July 9, 1768; m. Abigail Caulkins. He was b. in Connecticut, where he was educated, married and engaged in business. He removed to Palmyra, N. Y., at an early day; was a prominent resident and deacon in the Presbyterian church. He d. in 1814. Res. Palmyra, N. Y.

1019. i. MICHAEL, b. June 8, 1806; m. Ann Reynolds and Mrs. Harriet Brackney Lee.
1019¼. ii. SOLOMON, b. ——.
1019⅓. iii. EBENEZER, b. ——.
1019½. iv. THOMAS, b. ——.
1019⅝. v. EARL, b. ——.
1019⅔. vi. RODNEY, b. ——.
1019¾. vii. ELIZABETH, b. ——.
1019⅞. viii. CLARISSA, b. ——.

540. AMBROSE FIELD (Joareb, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Feb. 7, 1736. He m. Sept. 17, 1767, Sarah Bates, of Durham, b. May 2, 1743. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary army, enlisting at Waterbury, Conn. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

1020. i. SARAH, b. June 9, 1770; m. Feb. 1, 1807, Charles Strong. She d. July 31, 1850. Ch.: 1. Semira, b. Aug. 27, 1809; m. Daniel Simmons. 2. Semantha, b. Aug. 23, 1811; m. Lemuel Baldwin. 3. Juliette, b. June 5, 1813; m. James Wells. 4. Sarah, b. May 31, 1815; m. William C. Hatchkiss. 5. Nancy, b. July 17, 1818; m. Luke Van Vechten.

548. REUBEN FIELD (Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Enfield, Conn., Oct. 9, 1740; m. Hannah Alden; m., 2d, in 1785, Mrs. Ann (Hall) Larabee. He was in the Revolutionary war. Reuben Field, son of Pedajah and Abigail Pettie; came to Northfield, Mass., in 1752; in 1781 removed to Athens, Vt.; in 1821 to Gates, Munroe county, New York; in 1830 to Sparta, Livingston county, N. Y, where he d. June 5, 1839. Was a Revolutionary soldier; was at the battle of Horse Neck, or White Plains, in 1776; in Capt. Agrippa Wells' company, three months men, from September 1, to Nov. 1, 1779. Res. Rochester, N. Y.

1021. i. REUBEN, b. Jan. 10, 1786; m. Mary Green Ober.
1022. ii. LUTHER, b. Sept. 17, 1787; m. Priscilla Ware.
1023. iii. POLLY, b. Dec. 12, 1789; d. unm. January, 1839.

551. BENNETT FIELD (Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., in 1745; m. in 1778, Elizabeth Ferrin. He removed to Athens, Vt., in 1778. Res. Athens, Vt.

1024. i. PEDAJAH, b. 1779; m., —— Weld.
1025. ii. RUTH, b. 1781; m. Joseph Dunklee, of Newfane, Vt.; removed to Glenns Falls, N. Y.
1026. iii. BETSEY, b. 1783; m. Solomon Barnard, of Townshend; removed to Newport, Vt.
1027. iv. MARY, b. 1785; m., 1805, Edward Oaks, Rockingham, Vt.
1028. v. LEVI, b. July 20, 1790; m. Experience Dean.

554. JOHN FIELD (Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Enfield, Conn., June 9, 1751; m. in 1777, Sybil Allen, dau. of John and Jerusha. (Hastings), b. July 17, 1759. She m., 2d, in 1804, Noah Munn; d. Sept. 10, 1816. He d. June 2, 1800. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1029. i. NABBY, b. Feb. 4, 1778.
1030. ii. LUCY, b. Sept. 12, 1779.
1031. iii. JOHN, b. June 3, 1781; m. Nancy McCarthy.
1032. iv. OLIVER, b. Feb. 11, 1783; m. Rhoda Loveland.
1033. v. ELIHU, b. Dec. 30, 1784; m. Betsey Stratton.
1034. vi. FANNY, b. Nov. 14, 1788; m. Benjamin Enoch. He was one of Burgoyne's officers.

556. NATHAN FIELD (Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. about Sept. 21, 1755, Northfield, Mass.; m. Dec. 7, 1780, Abigail Bullard, of Oakham, Mass.

Field, Nathan. List of men raised to serve in the Continental army, as returned by Capt. Elisha Hunt; sworn to in Hampshire county, April 14, 1779; engaged for town of Northfield; joined Colonel Lam's (Lamb's) artillery regiment; term, one year.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

In the matter of the estate of Nathan Field, of Oakham, whose wife was Abigail, in 1792, before Joseph Dow, judge, at Worcester; will probated.

A guardian was appointed for Reuben Field, minor, son of Nathan, late of Oakham, 1799, by Joseph Dow, judge of the Worcester county probate court.

He d. in 1792. Res. Oakham, Mass.

1035. i. REUBEN, b. Aug. 2, 1782; m. Experience Burt.

1036. ii. MARY, b. Jan. 8, 1784. She prob. d. young, as there isn't any mention of guardianship on Worcester county probate.

566. AMOS FIELD (Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Mansfield, Conn., April 20, 1750; m. there Sept. 10, 1772, Zerviah Baldwin, b. 1754, dau. of Eleazer and Elizabeth (Wright) Baldwin, b. Aug. 23, 1756; d. Feb. 20, 1843. He was b. in Mansfield, Conn., where he resided until after his marriage, when he removed, in 1775, to Dorset, Vt., and settled on a farm, two miles north of the village, still known as the Field farm. He lived and died on the place where he first settled, leaving eleven children, one hundred and twenty-one grandchildren and great grandchildren. By the marriage of the eldest daughter with Justin Kellogg, and by intermarriage with the Kent family, has sprung a numerous band of relatives in that town not inaptly represented by the—at one time—well known marble firm of Holley, Field & Kent, a trio of cousins, by whose enterprise and activity thousands of dollars worth of marble was annually quarried and prepared for market.

There is a family monument in the beautifully situated old graveyard at Dorset, Vt. It has this inscription: "The Field family, some of whom are lying here, has been in Dorset for a hundred years; for the century previous the ancestors lived in Massachusetts and Connecticut. Previous to that in England, and still further back in Alsace, France. They have been an honest and Godfearing race." Then follows the coat of arms, and under it the motto, carefully cut, "Sans Dieu rien."

Another correspondent says: Zerviah Baldwin was the daughter of Eleazer Baldwin, of Mansfield, formerly of Billerica, Mass., and in the spring of 1776, emigrated to Dorset, Vt., in company with his wife's father and young brother, Asa Baldwin. The farms of the two families joined and together stretched from side to side of the lovely Dorset Valley. The change to the new home in the wilderness was not accomplished without care and sorrow. Little Rebecca Field died very soon unable to endure such hardship; but Elizabeth, the eldest child, lived on to grow an old woman in Dorset—the mother of the large Holley family. In the fall of that first year came a messenger from Woodstock, Vt., to tell them of sickness in the families of Amos Field's sisters, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Phinehas Williams. Mrs. Field left her own family and set off across the Green Mountains, a perilous horseback ride, with the messenger who had come to guide her on the wild trail, and remained for weeks in Woodstock, helping the friends in trouble there. The following winter, Amos Field, who was a man full of ardour and ambitions, was actively engaged in clearing the wide plateaus, where he subsequently built his second dwelling house, still standing there. One day, while at work felling trees, he was struck on the head by a limb, as the tree came down to the ground. He lay there for hours in an unconscious state, until at last a search being made, he was found lying so close to the embers of a dying fire, that his head had been desperately burned. Yet, after many months of heavy sickness be began to recover. And when the rumors of troops advancing into the region came, he could manage again to sit his horse. He started with a small company of loyalists to join the English forces at Bennington, for the Fields and the Baldwins in Dorset were still Tories. Buried away among the hills they had heard little of the agitations that

had turned Conservatives into Whigs along the sea coasts and in the towns, and raised a Continental army of revolution. But the party were overhauled in the vicinity of Arlington by a party ot Whigs, warned of their coming by Miss Ormsby, of Manchester, and Mr. Field, who was known to be hardly less than a very sick man still, was sent home under guard, but the rest of the party were lodged in Bennington jail, and in many instances their farms were confiscated. After a few years the agitations of the war, the questions regarding State Rights, and the gradual settling of more people in Vermont, assured greater comfort and no doubt life became easier. Several daughters and three sons grew up in the new Field homestead.

Another correspondent writes: "Amos came to Vermont in the spring of 1776. He drove up an ox team, with their goods, and grandmother and two children came on horseback. The children, aunt Holley (Elizabeth) was the eldest, and one younger. Rebecca, probably one year old. She died soon after. Pa thinks when she was about two years old. Bennington battle was the next year, Aug. 16, 1777. Pa thinks grandfather never built a log house, but a small frame and board house, the first season—probably a kind of shanty, covered with shingles, four feet long, instead of boards. He soon, however, built a small frame house, and soon after an addition to it, before pa's recollection, in which most of their children were born. The best part of that building, frame covering, is what we knew as 'the shop,' across the road during my childhood. When used as a dwelling it stood on the north end of the garden, near the rock. The present house, the old home and birthplace of our family, was built in the year 1800, when pa was thirteen years old. The exterior of the building remained from time of building until I was some two and a half years old, unchanged. The division of the interior the same. From time to time rooms were lathed and plastered. Since then several additions and various changes, interior and exterior, have been made, and a few years since very general repairs. Several years before grandfather Field came to Dorset he drove an ox cart for his brother-in-law, William, from Mansfield to Woodstock, Vt."

He d. June 17, 1831. Res. Dorset, Vt.

1037. i. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 29, 1773; m. June, 1790, Justus Holley, of Dorset, Vt.; d. Nov. 28, 1859. A son 1. Justus, was b. Dorset, July 23, 1805; m. May 29, 1832, Eliza E. Woodward, b. Dec. 22, 1810; d. May 21, 1862. She d. April 16, 1890. Res. Dorset, Vt. Ch.: (a) Harriet E. Holley, b. Sept. 26, 1836; m. Sept. 16, 1862. Address, Mrs. J. S. Bacon, Niles, Mich. (b) Angeline M. Holley, b. Dec. 12, 1841; unm. Address, Dorset, Vt. (c) R. Maud Holley, b. Dec. 1, 1847; m. June 25, 1896. Address, Mrs. W. B. Sheldon, Bennington, Vt. (d) William J. Holley, b. March 18, 1852; a farmer; unm. Res. Dorset, Vt. 2. Harriet Holley, b. Nov. 2, 1815; m., Dorset, Vt., 1839, Oliver Cheney Gilbert, b. 1812; d. September, 1871. Their son, Rev. George Holley Gilbert, D. D., b. Cavendish, Vt., Nov. 4, 1854; m. June 27, 1886, Flora Louise Gates, b. May 18, 1860. Res. 434 Washington Boulevard, Chicago, Ill. Ch.: i. Harriet Elizabeth. ii. Bertha Gates. iii. George Holley, Jr. iv. Wilfred Charles.

Dr. George Holley Gilbert is professor of New Testament literature and interpretation and is registrar at the Chicago Theological Seminary. In addition to his "Student Life of Jesus" and "The Student Life of St. Paul," he has published some translations on biblical subjects and written other shorter articles. He has been a professor at the Chicago school for fourteen years, coming here in 1886. Graduated a bachelor of arts from

Dartmouth College in 1878, he entered the Union Theological Seminary in 1880, and after three years of study he was made a fellow for two years. In 1885 he received the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Leipsic, and the following year found him installed in the Congregational school here. In 1894 Dartmouth College conferred upon him the degree of doctor of divinity. Dr. Gilbert has quite a reputation as an author, and it is said has very liberal views on religious questions. Charges of heresy were first brought against Dr. George H. Gilbert, May, 1899. The charges were preferred by Rev. Dr. E. S. Carr at the meeting of the board of visitors of the seminary. Attention was first drawn to the attitude of Dr. Gilbert on certain doctrinal points through books written and published by him in 1898. One was a student's life of Jesus and the other was a student's life of Paul. They treated of documents and theories of theologians in a free and scientific manner—entirely too free to be orthodox, some claimed. It was also said by some that he had invaded the field of the New Testament. In his books for students and in his addresses his critics say that Dr. Gilbert takes this position:

That Christ was a human being; that the story of the Old Testament as to the death of Christ is not authoritative; that the writers of the book were imperfect; that the religion of the Congregational church is a religion of reflection, and false reflection at that; that Paul was an enthusiastic man, but imperfect, and that as to Christ's death being in itself a pardon for sin, we must look to the words of Jesus himself for proof or disproof of that.

A few months after the books were published Dr. Gilbert read a paper before the Congregational ministers' meeting of Chicago, which was thought by many to be exceedingly unorthodox. At the visitors' meeting at the seminary when Dr. Carr made the charges he proposed that an investigating committee be appointed to review the works of Dr. Gilbert. The committee reported unfavorably and referred the whole matter to the board of directors of the seminary. Dr. Carr presented a long minority report. In it he intimated that he would bring up the charges at a meeting of the Illinois Association of Congregational churches, to be held at Kewanee the following week. The minority report of Dr. Carr was also sent to the board of directors. The matter was brought up by Dr. Carr at the Kewanee convention May 16th. He criticised the character of theology taught at the Chicago Theological Seminary in an inferential way, not mentioning any names of institutions or men. He was not allowed to complete his address of denunciation, and the association adjourned without taking any actions on the resolutions he had intended to present.

1038. ii. REBECCA, b. Feb. 10, 1775; d. 1775.

1039. iii. RHODA, b. Aug. 4, 1778; m., 1803, Cephas Sheldon Kent, of Dorset, Vt.; d. in Hannibal, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1844. He was son of Cephas, Jr., b. 1780; d. June 4, 1874. Ch.: 1. Amos, s. p. 2. Jason, s. p. 3. Ahira, of Augusta, Mich.

1040. iv. ZEORIAH, b. June 13, 1780; m., 1801, Oliver Sheldon, of Milton, Vt.; d. 1804.
1041. v. AMOS, b. Nov. 12, 1782; m. Sophia Clary.
1042. vi. HANNAH, b. March 17, 1785; m., 1820, Walter Jennings, of Manchester, Vt.; m., 2d, 1841, Dr. John Sargeant, of Dorset, Vt.; d. Dec. 27, 1849.
1043. vii. ZEORIAH, b. ——; d. young.
1044. viii. HULDAH, b. ——; d. young lady.
1045. ix. OLIVE, b. Sept. 21, 1793; m. in 1820, Joel Taylor, of Rupert, Vt. Removed to Royalton, N. Y. She d. Dec. 2, 1861.
1046. x. EMILY, b. May 30, 1796; m. Sept. 21, 1819, Daniel Hawks, of Hannibal, N. Y.; m., 2d, Oct. 2, 1851, James Stevenson, of Hannibal; d. Aug. 31, 1862.
1047. xi. ALFRED, b. March 15, 1787; m. Sophronia Gilbert.
1048. xii. SPAFFORD, b. March 28, 1789; m. Sally C. Collins.
1049. xiii. HULDAH, b. June 19, 1791; d. June 30, 1815.

567. BENNETT FIELD (Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. April 12, 1752, Mansfield, Conn.; m. March 10, 1774, Elizabeth Pierce, dau. of Seth, of Mansfield, Conn., b. June 2, 1748; d. May 11, 1832. Bennett Field, son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Spafford), b. in Mansfield, Conn. He removed in 1798 to Berlin, Washington county, Vt., where he d., Jan. 31, 1835. Res. Berlin, Vt.

1050. i. MOLLY, b. Feb. 9, 1775; m. Zebulon Gurley, of Berlin, Vt.
1051. ii. BETSEY, b. Nov. 25, 1776; m. Benjamin Strickland, of Berlin, Vt.
1052. iii. BENNETT, b. Oct. 12, 1778; m. Lucinda Fox.
1053. iv. OLIVE, b. Jan. 31, 1781; m. —— Sawyer, of Berlin, Vt.; removed to western New York.
1054. v. GURDON, b. Aug. 23, 1783; d. Sept. 27, 1793.
1055. vi. ALPHEUS, b. Dec. 4, 1785; m. Rhoda Emerson.
1056. vii. ELIZABETH, b. March 17, 1788; m. 1st, —— Flagg, of Berlin, Vt.; 2d, David Nye, of Berlin, Vt.
1057. viii. SETH PIERCE, b. March 9, 1791; m. Sarah Closson and Nancy Lane.

568. SAMUEL FIELD (Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. May 6, 1754, Mansfield, Conn.; m. Eunice Dunham, b. 1752: d. Aug. 23, 1834. Samuel Field, son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Spafford), b. in Mansfield, Conn. He removed in 1777 to Woodstock, Vt., where he d. Dec. 7, 1817. He was an independent farmer and a valued citizen. Res. Woodstock, Vt.

1058. i. EUNICE, b. 1781; m. Gaius Perkins, of Woodstock, Vt.; d. June 25, 1858, aged 77.
1059. ii. CHARLOTTE, b. 1783; m. Abram P. Mather, of Woodstock, Vt.; d. July 9, 1856, aged 73.

569. ELIJAH FIELD (Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. April 20, 1756; m. Jan. 26, 1774, Tamison Crane, dau. of Hezekiah, of Mansfield Elijah Field, son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Spafford), b. in Mansfield, Conn. He settled in 1774 in Woodstock, Vt.; in 1806 he removed with his whole family to Houndsfield, Jefferson county, N. Y., where he d. in October, 1828. His location is still known as the Field Settlement. He was a drummer through the Revolutionary war.

Another correspondent says: "Elijah Field, father of twelve children, lived many years in the town of Woodstock, near the village of Woodstock, Vt., and

moved hence in 1806 to Jefferson county, N. Y., accompanied, or followed, by his family, some of whom were married. The eldest of the twelve children lived until the youngest had grandchildren. Three of these twelve children were clergymen. There are at the present time living immediate relatives of this family: John M. Field, of Washington, D. C.; J. Wallace Field, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Warren Field, Mrs. A. A. Hughes, Jennie M. Field, of Decorah, Iowa; Eugenie Smith, Humboldt, Iowa; John Field, of East Houndsfield, N. Y.; Mrs. A. E. Adams, of Dwight, Ill.; A. A. Mattesoon, of Hermon, N. Y."

The Field settlement in Watertown was in the west part of the town adjoining Houndsfield. It derives its name from Elijah Field from Woodstock, Vt., who, with a family of nine sons and three daughters, mostly of mature years and some of them with families, settled there in 1805. Elijah, Jr., was an assistant justice under the first constitution in 1815, and coroner in 1831. He d. October, 1828; res. Woodstock, Vt., and Houndsfield, N. Y.

1060. i. HEZEKIAH, b. Sept. 3, 1774; m. Keturah Ransom.

1061. ii. ELIJAH, b. Feb. 2, 1776; m. Esther Butler.

1062. iii. PHILIP CRANE, b. June 15, 1778; m. —— ——, b. in Woodstock, Vt. He removed in 1806 to Houndsfield, Jefferson county, N. Y., where he d. March 15, 1860; no issue.

1063. iv. LEBBEUS, b. Feb. 2, 1780; m. Eunice Warren.

1064. v. THADDEUS, b. Nov. 15, 1781; m. Clarissa Norton.

1065. vi. TAMSON, b. Aug. 23, 1783; m., 1st, —— Robinson, of Houndsfield; 2d, —— Belgar, of Hannibal, N. Y. She was the mother of Major Belgar, U. S. A.; she d. Aug. 9, 1840.

1066. vii. FILANA, b. Aug. 27, 1785; m., 1st, Henry Brown; m., 2d, George Frisbie; d. April 16, 1864.

1067. viii. HANNAH, b. March 19, 1787; m., 1st, Thomas Randall; m., 2d, Jesse Stone, of Pillar Point.

1068. ix. ALPHEUS, b. Feb. 10, 1789; m. Betsey Wood.

1069. x. SPAFFORD, b. April 10, 1790; m. Hannah Russagie and Alice Moore.

1070. xi. SAMUEL, b. Jan. 17, 1793; m. Phœbe Allen.

1071. xii. BENNETT, b. June 17, 1795; m. Fanny Waite.

570. MEDAD FIELD (John, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Hatfield, Mass., Aug. 8, 1734. He settled in Whately, Mass., where he d. June 27, 1801. He was a Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Salmon White's company from May 10 to July 10, 1777; in Capt. Seth Murray's company in the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777; at Bemis Heights, and at the capture of Gen. Burgoyne, Oct. 17, 1777. He m. 1767 Martha, dau. of Simeon and —— Morton, of Hatfield, b. March 13, 1747; d. Jan. 13, 1824, aged 76. Whately, where Medad Field settled, was originally the northern part of the town of Hatfield. The larger part of the first inhabitants were branches of families belonging to the parent town. Settlements are believed to have been made as early as 1750, at the "straits" (so called) by Joseph Belding, Sergt. John Wait, Elisha Smith, David Graves and Joseph Scott. Here they erected the first dwelling in the territory. A few years afterwards, houses were built on "Chestnut Plain Street" by Lieut. Ebenezer Bardwell, Thomas Crafts and Deacon Joel Dickinson, which were the first buildings in the central part of the town. The permanent settlers immediately following these were Daniel Morton, Oliver Graves, Oliver Morton, Salmon White, Moses Dickinson, Nathan Graves, Peter Train and Edward Brown. Through all the period of the early settlement, the people belonged in Hatfield. On April 24, 1771,

the settlement was set off, and incorporated with the name of Whately. The first meeting for the choice of town officers was held at the tavern house of Daniel Morton May 6 succeeding the incorporation. Res. Whately, Mass.

1072. i. MARTHA, b. Sept. 29, 1768; d. Oct. —, 1769.
1073. ii. ELIJAH, b. Aug. 12, 1770; d. Feb. 14, 1843.
1074. iii. MARTHA, b. July 13, 1774; d. July, 1776.
1075. iv. EDITHA, b. June 22, 1777; m. May 23, 1805, Luther Graves, of Whately; d. Feb. 22, 1854.
1076. v. MOSES, b. Sept. 10, 1779; d. Jan. 4, 1841.
1077. vi. AARON, b. Oct. 19, 1783; d. April 1, 1788.
1078. vii. HANNAH, b. Dec. 2, 1789; m. Elisha Warner, of Hatfield; d. March 16, 1836; no issue.

573. ZECHARIAH FIELD (Amos, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Hatfield, Mass., Jan. 6, 1744; d. 1825. He m., 1st, Nov. 28, 1776, Mehitable, dau. of Nehemiah and Mary (Moody) Dickinson, of Hatfield, b. Oct. 28, 1747; 2d, Rachel, dau. of Daniel and Experience (Allen) Clark, of Sunderland, Mass., b. Aug. 30, 1748. Field, Zechariah. Private, Capt. Seth Murray's company, Col. Ezra May's regiment; enlisted Sept. 20, 1777; discharged Oct. 14, 1777; service, 1 month, travel included, on an expedition to Saratoga. Res. Sunderland, Mass.

1079. i. SETH, b. ——.

576. ZENAS FIELD (Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Aug. 10, 1753; m. March 12, 1778, Sarah Burroughs, b. 1757; d. Sept. 10, 1810; m., 2d, June 11, 1811, Lydia Cathcart, of Whately; she d. May 2, 1850, aged 85. Zenas Field, son of Eliakim and Esther (Graves), b. in Hatfield, Mass. He removed in 1780 to Whately, where he d. July 3, 1819. He was a Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Israel Waite's company, April 20, 1775; in Capt. Salmon White's from May 10 to July 10, 1777; in Capt. Seth Murray's company, Aug. 1, 1777, and was in the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777; at Bemis Heights and capture of General Burgoyne, October, 1777.

Field, Zenas (also given Ezenous), Hatfield, Capt. Israel Chapin's co. of Minutemen, Col. John Fellows' regt., which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service to April 26, 1775, 7 days, also Capt. Israel Chapin's (2d) co., Col. John Fellows' (8th) regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; also order for bounty cost or its equivalent in money dated Dorchester, Dec. 6, 1775; also private, Capt. Salmon White's co., Col. David Wells' regt.; marched May 10, 1777; discharged July 10, 1777; service, 2 mos., 10 days, travel included, on expedition to Ticonderoga; also Cap. Seth Murray's co., Col. Ezra May's reg.; enlisted Sep. 20, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 mo., travel included, on expedition to Saratoga.—Massachusetts State Revolutionery Records.

Zenas, of Whately, yeoman; wife, Lydia; dated June 12, 1816. Daughters: Lydia Judd, Rhoda Burroughs, Sarah Field and Ester Field. Sons: Orange Field, John Field, Zenas Field. Executors approved July 13, 1819.—Franklin Co. Probate.

He d. July 3, 1819. Res. Whately, Mass.

1080. i. LYDIA, b. Sept. 17, 1782; d. June 12, 1787.
1081. ii. ORANGE, b. Dec. 2, 1784; d. June 14, 1787.
1082. iii. JOHN, b. Sept. 10, 1786; d. May 27, 1787.
1083. iv. LYDIA, b. June 8, 1788; m. Dec. 6, 1810, Eli Judd, of Northampton; she d. Dec. 23, 1875; removed to Huntsburg, Ohio.

1084. v. ORANGE, b. Feb. 22, 1790; m. Rhoda Graves, Esther Collins and Hulda Boynton Tyler.
1085. vi. JOHN, b. Oct. 10, 1792; m. Abigail Warner.
1086. vii. RHODA, b. Nov. 21, 1794; m. Oct. 14, 1813, Joel Burrows, of Williamsburg.
1087. viii. ZENAS, b. Sept. 22, 1796; m. Chloe Drake.
1088. ix. SARAH, b. Nov. 11, 1798; m. Nov. 23, 1820, Heber Eggleston.
1089. x. ESTHER, b. Sept. 21, 1800; m. John Bridgman, of Northampton; she d. July 22, 1859.
1090. xi. THREE children; d. young.

580. JOHN FIELD (Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., Aug. 25, 1760; m. in 1789, Lucy Look, of Conway, b. 1768 in Edgartown, Mass.; d. July 29, 1854. He moved from Hatfield to Conway. The territory of Conway originally belonged to Deerfield, and had no settlers previous to 1763. During that year Cyrus Rice became the first settler, and his daughter Beulah, born the next year, was the first child born in the town. Other early settlers were Israel Gates, Ebenezer Allis, Consider Arms, Elias Dickinson, Jonathan Whitney, Thomas French, Israel Wilder, Elisha Amsden, Solomon Field and John Boyden, whose son John, was the first male child born in Conway. Deerfield, Grafton, Barre, Leicester and Rutland furnished the first settlers. On June 16, 1767, "Southwest," as it was known, was incorporated as a town with the name of Conway. The first town meeting was held at the house of Thomas French, Aug. 24 of the same year, when Thomas French, Consider Arms and Samuel Wells were chosen selectmen, and Consider Arms, clerk. At a meeting held at Joseph Catlin's, three weeks later, measures were taken to procure preaching, and "to purchase law books." A committee was also appointed to find the center of the town, with reference to building a meeting house. The committee made a report at a subsequent meeting, which was "excepted," but it was not until after much contention, and the passage of nearly two years, that the site was fixed upon—about eighty rods south of the present Congregational church. Dec. 28, 1767, the first appropriation was made for a public school, to be kept five months by "a dame," which dame, Ebenezer Allis, Nathaniel Field and Benjamin Pulsifer were instructed to provide. There was no schoolhouse until 1773, when one was built a few rods northeast of the meeting house. The annual appropriation of money for schools, for the first six or eight years, was about ten pounds. In 1774, thirty pounds were voted, but the next year no appropriation was made, doubtless in consequence of war. This is the only instance, however, of failure to provide annually for schooling. The amount has been increased, from year to year, until, in 1854, the appropriation amounted to $1,200 for public schools, with an additional provision of scholarships in the academy, bestowed upon the most deserving pupil selected from the common schools. The town is divided into fifteen school districts. A select school has been maintained in the town for many years, and was taught through twenty-nine terms, by John Clary. In 1853, a handsome building was erected by subscription, and is now occupied by a large and flourishing school. The first meeting house, to which reference has already been made, was erected during the summer of 1769, but remained for a long time unfinished, except with a pulpit and a pew for the family of the minister. The internal arrangements of the house were not completed within twenty years. As the house was not warmed, a lodge was constructed within a short distance, at which a prodigious fire was kept on Sundays that was resorted to in the morning and at noon. Previous to the erection of the building, the town meetings were usually held at the houses of

Jonathan Whitney, near where Charles Parsons lived, and Capt. French; while the religious meetings were held at the houses of Jonathan Whitney, Nathaniel Field and Joseph Catlin.

The Franklin County Probate Records have this: Lucy of Conway. 1854, Aug. 22, will filed. Dau., Nancy F. Page; Lucinda, wife of Franklin Childs. Sons: William and John.

He d. Jan. 19, 1824. Res. Conway, Mass.

1091. i. POLLY, b. April 27, 1790; d. Oct. 25, 1816.

1092. ii. NANCY, b. Oct. 30, 1791; m. January, 1820, Elijah Page; she d. Dec. 2, 1856; removed from Conway to Ballston Spa, N. Y.

1093. iii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 8, 1793; m. Submit Hamilton.

1094. iv. JOHN, b. June 28, 1796; m. Fidelia Nash.

1095. v. LUCINDA, b. June, 8, 1798; m. July 24, 1828, Franklin Childs, of Conway; she d. March 4, 1868. They resided in Conway and had one child, Justus, b. Sept. 11, 1831; d. Sept. 7, 1865; he m. Sept. 2, 1856, Susan I. Brown.

1096. vi. PRUDENCE, b. Oct. 20, 1800; d. Nov. 30, 1829.

1097. vii. EDITHA, b. May 6, 1803; d. Aug. 1, 1804.

582. DAVID FIELD (Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Hatfield, Mass., April 11, 1764; m. Sept. 20, 1790, Tabitha Clark, dau. of Elisha and Hannah (Hopkins) of Harwich, b. Nov. 1, 1771; d. Nov. 6, 1847. He was b. in Hatfield, and soon after his marriage moved to Conway, and with his brother John settled in that town. He was a farmer all his life.

On the conquest of Canada the times were ripe for changes. In 1763 the territory of Conway was surveyed and allotted to the owners in severalty. Thirty acres were laid to the common; 100 acres were reserved in the center for the "minister's lot"; with these arrangements were drawn 149 lots. In this division Daniel Field drew lot No. 6 and had 204 acres.

David of Conway. Feb. 1, 1848, filed. David, Jr., administrator. Sons: Otis, Almeron, David Jr., Eliakim, Oliver. Daughters: Lucretia, Esther Haskell, Louisa Wells, Sophia Childs, Tabitha Graves.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Jan. 12, 1848; res. Conway, Mass.

1098. i. SALLY, b. March 27, 1791; m. Jan. 13, 1813, Capt. Otis Childs, of Conway, b. 1790; d. March 22, 1864; she d. in Conway, Oct. 25, 1816.* Ch.: 1. Edward, b. Dec. 31, 1813; m. May 6, 1841, Sarah Ann Adams, and May 6, 1852, Emily Porter. 2. William S., b. May 28, 1816; m. June 4, 1839, Lydia Frary; res. Montreal, Canada. 3. Henry, b. Jan. 28, 1818; m. Mary A. Graves, Esther L. Kinsley and Mary D. Phillips; res. Northampton. 4. Sally Field, b. Dec. 21, 1819; m. Oct. 5, 1842, Samuel W. Barker; res. Heath.

1099. ii. LOUISA, b. May 6, 1793; d. June 23, 1798.

1100. iii. ELIAKIM, b. Oct. 26, 1794; m. Clarissa Ross.

1101. iv. SOPHIA, b. July 14, 1796; m. April, 1818, Henry Childs, of Hatfield, b. May 15, 1796 in Rutland, Vt.; d. March 18, 1876. She d. Feb. 9, 1864. Res. Canandaigua, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Louisa H., b. March 15, 1819; m. Charles Mosher; d. Dec. 11, 1840. 2. Hannah Field, b. March 13, 1821; m. Eliot Green; d. April 22, 1873; 2 ch. Res. Canandaigua. 3. Henry H., b. March 20, 1825; m. Mary K. Arnoux; 3 ch. Res. New York City.

*Town Clerk's record.

1102. v. HANNAH, b. March 29, 1798; d. Jan. 20, 1815.

1103. vi. OLIVER, C. b. March 9, 1800; m. Laura Nash and Electa Sanderson.

1104. vii. LOUISA, b. Nov. 4, 1802; m. Jan. 14, 1823, Elisha Wells, of Hatfield.; she d. Aug. 1, 1878; he d. Aug. 8, 1873; res. Hatfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. David Field, b. Jan. 12, 1824; m. Dec. 1, 1849, Harriet Dickinson; d. May 27, 1866, in Hatfield; 2 ch. 2. Eunice W., b. March 20, 1825; m. Col. Henry W. Banks; d. Feb. 6, 1861 in St. Paul; 4 ch. 3. Otis C., b. Oct. 3, 1828; m. Lucilia Loomis; d. July 24, 1885; 2 ch. 4. Hannah G., b. Sept. 29, 1829; unm. 5. Joseph G., b. April 17, 1842; m. Emma R. Phelps; res. Hatfield; 2 ch. 6. Daniel W., b. April 17, 1842; m. Hannah A. Belden; was in Civil war in 52d Regt. Mass. Vols.; res. Hatfield; 1 ch.

1105. viii. OTIS, b. Aug. 5, 1804; m. Harriet M. Markle.

1106. ix. LUCRETIA, b. Dec. 21, 1805; d. unm. Feb. 28, 1851.

1107. x. DAVID, b. Oct. 24, 1807; m. Angeline Sylvester and Mary Margison.

1108. xi. ALMERON, b. Aug. 15, 1809; m. Mary C. Bassford and Rose Finn.

1109. xii. ESTHER GRAVES, b. May 6, 1811; m. Feb. 9, 1832, Edward Haskell; she d. Feb. 8, 1872. He was of Kendall, and d. in Deerfield July 3, 1860. Ch.: 1. Henry Clark, b. Oct. 25, 1837; m. Rhoda McClellan; res. Deerfield. 2. John Gamber, b. April 2, 1845; m. Ruth I. Ellis; res. Hennepin, Ill.

1110. xiii. TABITHA CLARK, b. Feb. 12, 1814; m. Nov. 9, 1836, Levi Graves, 2d; she d. July 25, 1876. He was b. Jan. 13, 1810, at Hartford, Conn.; d. Oct. 28, 1867. Ch.: 1. Louisa Field, b. Oct. 16, 1838; d. Dec. 7, 1850. 2. Myron Clark, b. June 13, 1841; m. Hattie C. Davis; res. Springfield; 4 ch. 3. Maria Catherine, b. June 13, 1841; m. Charles H. Quimby and Edwin F. Putnam, s. p. 4. Mary Louise, b. Feb. 18, 1857; was a missionary under A. B. C. F. M. to Japan.

585. JOHN FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Amherst, Mass., May 18, 1740. He removed in 1798 to Brattleboro, Vt., where he d. Jan. 15, 1811. He m., 1st, Jan. 15, 1767, Elizabeth Henderson, of ——; d. April 6, 1783; m., 2d, 1785, Rachel, dau. of —— and —— Waite and widow of —— Wells, b. 1753: d. in Lancaster, N. H., Aug. 29, 1829. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

1111. i. JOHN, b. 1768; m. Silence Lincoln.

1112. ii. SALLY, b. 1770; m. Feb. 10, 1791, Joseph Smith, of Hadley, and removed to Lancaster, N. H.

1113. iii. ESTHER, b. 1773.

1114. iv. ELIZABETH, bap. March 17, 1775; m. Watson Crosby, of Brattleboro, Vt., and removed to Lancaster, N. H.

1115. v. ABEL WAITE, bap. Nov. 4, 1787; m. Sally Stebbins.

1116. vi. DAVID, b. Nov. 10, 1788; m. Patty Wood.

1117. vii. PAMELIA, bap. July 25, 1790; m. Simpson Goodenough, of Brattleboro; d. Jan. 28, 1826.

1118. viii. MOSES, b. Feb. 22, 1792; d. Feb. 17, 1864.

1119. ix. AARON, bap. June 1, 1794; d. May 23, 1843.

1120. x. CLARISSA, b. Sept. 25, 1795; m. June 10, 1817, Hiram Chamber-

lain Kingsbury, of Guilford, Vt.; removed to Wadsworth, O. She d. March 21, 1853. He was b. July 21, 1794; d. Waymouth, Ohio, Nov. 18, 1867; was an axe manufacturer. Ch.: 1. George Kingsbury, deceased. 2. Wallace K., his son; address Waterloo, Iowa. 3. Mrs. Sophie Kingsbury Reeder, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; children of Mrs. Reeder, Charles, Spokane, Wash., George and Herman, Craig, Mont. 4. Helen M., b. Dec. 18, 1826; m. Oct. 18, 1849, Thomas W. Painter, b. Jan. 23, 1820; d. Aug. 9, 1886; was a farmer and miller; she res. at Galva, Ill. Ch.: (a) Rev. Hobart Kingsbury Painter, b. Aug. 8, 1850; res. Galva, Ill. (b) Winthrop Downs Painter, b. June 2, 1852, is an attorney, res. Binghamton, N. Y.

591. EBENEZER FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Amherst, Mass., March 22, 1752; m. in Conway, Oct. 31, 1782, Sarah Gould.

Field, Ebenezer, Amherst. Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 22, 1775; also private, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 mos. 7 days; also company return (probably October, 1775); also order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money. Dated Prospect Hill, Oct. 25, 1775.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Amherst, Mass., and removed to Phelps, N. Y.

592. CORPORAL SAMUEL FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), bap. Amherst, Mass., Jan. 20, 1754; he settled in Conway; removed to Brattleboro, Vt., where he d.; he m. June 15, 1779, Miriam, dau. of John and Sarah (Clapp) Nash, of Hatfield, b. 1759; d. ——.

Field, Samuel, Amherst. Private, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regt., which marched to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; also Capt. Noadiah Leonard's co., Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's (25th) regt.; company receipt for advance pay for 1 mo., dated Cambridge, June 24, 1775; also Corporal, same co. and regt.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 mos. 10 days; also company return (probably October, 1775); also Corporal, Capt. Moses Harvey's co., Col. David Wells' regt.; engaged May 10, 1777; discharged July 10, 1777; service, 3 mos. 10 days, travel included, in northern department; roll dated Montague.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

1121. i. LUCRETIA, b. ——; m. —— Samuel Herrick, of Brattleboro.
1122. ii. SAMUEL, b. May 11, 1787; m. Jerusha Graves.
1123. iii. ELECTA, b. ——; m. —— Jonathan Horton, of Brattleboro.
1124. iv. LUTHER, b. ——, 1786; m. Rachel Austin and Sarah P. Hubbard.
1125. v. LUCINDA, b. ——; m. Jonathan Horton, of Brattleboro.
1126. vi. MIRIAM, b. ——; d ——.
1127. vii. CAROLINE, b. ——; d. March, 1876.
1128. viii. TYLER, b. ——; m. Fanny Dean, Mary Dean and Isabella Cunningham.
1129. ix. POLLY, b. ——.
1130. x. DEXTER, b. in Brattleboro; he went to sea; d. unm.
1131. xi. ELIZABETH, b. ——; d. Sept. 25, 1877, aged 70.

594. JONATHAN FIELD (John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Abigail (Boltwood), b. in Amherst, Mass.; bap. Dec. 9, 1759. He m. Sally Smith; d. ——; m., 2d, —— Johnson.

1132. i. LUCY, b. Sept. 23, 1791; m. Nov. 19, 1812, Moses Dickinson Cooley, of Amherst; d. Sept. 5, 1851.

597. REV. SAMUEL FIELD (David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Sept. 14, 1743; m. April 26, 1769, Sarah Childs, dau. of Samuel, b. 1742; d. Dec. 31, 1831. Samuel Field, son of David and Thankful (Taylor), b. in Deerfield, Mass. He graduated at Yale College in 1762, when he commenced the study of divinity with the Rev. Jonathan Ashley, of Deerfield. That not being to his taste, he subsequently entered the office of Daniel Jones, Esq., of Hinsdale, N. H., as a student at law. After being admitted to the bar he returned to Deerfield and was for some time engaged in mercantile business. In 1771 he removed to Greenfield ad opened a law office and engaged also in trade. In 1774 he removed to Conway and passed two years upon a farm (the house in which he resided was in 1880 still standing), when he returned to Deerfield, where he resided until May, 1794, when he returned to Conway and continued to pursue his profession. In November, 1798, he received a stroke of palsy which deprived him of speech and much impaired his constitution. He had four fits of epilepsy within the year previous to his death, in the last of which he expired, Sept. 17, 1800, aged 57, being until three hours before in as good health and possession of his faculties as at any period of the two preceding years. In his person he exceeded the ordinary height of man, thick set, without inclining to corpulency. His face exhibited a relaxed appearance, and his natural countenance an unusual gravity and sternness, but when enlivened by conversation a complacency and thorough good nature that was highly pleasing, and could scarcely fail of persuading a stranger of the excellence of his heart. He was careless in pecuniary matters as well as in dress, but in domestic life was much beloved by all. The hearts of parents were grateful for a son so worthy, brethren and sisters participated in the happiness which his distinguished virtues inspired; the children of his love found in him a faithful instructor and friend; and the wife of his youth every joy and the balm of every sorrow. His naturally pacific disposition led him to regret the late war with its multiplied evils resulting to all parts of social and political society. He did not take an active part in the Revolution. No man rejoiced more sincerely in the establishment of the independence of his country, nor had the republican institutions which were the result of that glorious struggle any more heartfelt friend. His republicanism did not rest in name only, it pervaded his whole character; it appeared in plainness and affability of manners, contempt of show and parade, and at the frivolous distinctions of society which fascinate so many little minds that are either slavish or despotic; in his love of courtesy and abhorrence of all ecclesiastical establishments or the slightest infringements of the right of conscience of any and all persons or creed whatsoever. He represented the town of Deerfield in the general court several years, and was a member of the convention that adopted the Constitution of the United States, besides holding various other offices. In religious matters he was a firm believer in the doctrines of Swedenborg and Sandeman and was known as a Sandemanian upon which he lectured and wrote quite a treatise upon them which is embodied in his work. He was also quite a political, prose and poetical writer. Part of his writings were collected and published in 1818 by the late Rev. Rodolphus Dickinson, of Deerfield. His religion was not an idle fancy that dwelt upon the exterior of the mind; it was an enlivening and active faith in that Gospel which has brought life and immortality to light; a repentance that worked by love and purified the heart; a holiness of life without which no man can see the Lord, and a charity without which he was assured he was nothing. He coveted no man's gold, or silver, or apparel. He possessed a mind

always contented with his present condition, and he could tread with equal tenor the adverse or prosperous path. He was just and upright in all his dealings; quiet and peaceable, full of compassion; and ready to do good to all men according to his abilities and opportunities. His faults were such as might exist in the best of men; in those faults there was no mixture of avarice, deceit, hypocrisy, intrigue, ferocity, despotism or want of feeling for the distresses of mankind. He deserves the honors of a virtuous and well spent life, and they will surely be paid to his memory when the false distinctions of society shall be swept into oblivion. The rough and rugged paths of life through which he traveled contributed to prepare him for that higher existence, where no trouble shall pass across his peaceful breast. He m. April 26, 1769, Sarah, dau. of Deacon Samuel and Sarah (Wright) Childs of Deerfield, b. Sept. 27, 1742; d. Dec. 31, 1831, aged 89 years, 3 mos., 4 days.

A MODEST REQUEST.

BY REV. SAMUEL FIELD.

Heaven indulge me to request
What will make a mortal blest,
Give me first an honest soul,
Subject to no base control,
To no sordid vice a slave,
But to deeds of virtue brave.
So much learning as to rise
'Bove a pedant vainly wise.
So much wisdom as to see
What I am, and ought to be;
And discern the good from ill,
That my circle I may fill;
So much courage as to choose
What is right—the wrong refuse;
So much honor to disdain
Thoughts and actions that are mean;
Health, my powers to employ
And my portion well enjoy.
Grant me next a virtuous wife,
Sweet companion of my life,
In my joys to take a share,
Partner too in every care.
But from pride and meanness free,
Cheerful to my friend and me.
Pure in manner, and discreet,
In her dress and person neat,
One, who innocently gay,
Can my vapors charm alway;
Ever studious how to please,
Not perversely apt to tease;
In her temper calm and meek,
Who can hear as well as speak.
To my humor always kind,
To my foibles seeming blind,
Yet with faithful hints of love,
Wise my follies to reprove,
In my pains to give relief
And the flatter off my grief.
Babes that prattle round and smile
Shall the heavy hours beguile
Blooming like the vernal flowers,
Ripening into manly powers
Into virtue ripening too.
As to manly age they grow.
Let me ask a handsome plat,
Not too small nor very great,

Watered with meand'ring stream,
Blest with Phebus' rising beams,
Let there be a shady grove
Where the muse and I may rove.
Here devotion too shall come,
For the muse will give her room.
I would have a verdant mead,
Where a cow or two may feed;
And a little rising ground,
Where my flocks may sport around.
An enclosure for my trees,
Where variety will please;
And a garden set with flowers,
To amuse my vacant hours,
Filled with various kinds of fruit,
That my health or taste may suit.
A well cultivated field
Which a competence shall yield,
Not to fill a miser's hoard,
But to feed my little board,
Entertain a friend or so,
Something on the poor bestow.
Give me too a pretty seat,
Not superb, but simply neat,
Where to lead a harmless life,
Free from envy and from strife,
Till I close this mortal scene
And a better life begin.
Grant me but these, no other prize
I ask or wish below the skies.

He d. Sept. 17, 1800; res. Deerfield, Greenfield and Conway, Mass.

1133. i. ROBERT RUFUS, b. Aug. 22, 1771; m. Patty Hoyt.
1134. ii. SAMUEL EDWARDS, b. Oct. 2, 1773; d. Sept. 1775.
1135. iii. SAMUEL EDWARDS, b. July 31, 1775; m. Clarissa Clapp.
1136. iv. SARAH, b. April 11, 1777; d. Sept., 1778.
1137. v. SARAH, b. June 12, 1779; d. unm. Oct. 8, 1841.
1138. vi. GEORGE PLUMB, b. July 22, 1781; m. Sylvia Hawks.
1139. vii. TIRZA, b. Feb. 13, 1784; m. —— Crow, of Halifax, N. S.

599. DOCTOR DAVID FIELD (David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., May 4, 1747; m. December, 1771, Hannah Childs, dau. of Samuel, b. 1749; d. Sept. 22, 1815. David Field, son of David and Thankful (Taylor), b. in Deerfield, Mass. He graduated at Yale College, a physician, and settled in Conway, Mass., where all his children were born. In 1796 he removed to Greenbush, N. Y., where he followed his profession. In May, 1806, he removed to Albany; in 1815 to Geneva, N. Y., and continued his practice for a few years; d. Sept. 1, 1837, aged ninety. He d. April 1, 1837. Res. Conway, Mass., and Geneva, N. Y.

1140. i. WILLIAM, b. in 1775; m. Filana Field.
1141. ii. SARAH, b. in 1779; m. John Epes, of Albany. Removed to Geneva, N. Y., where she d. July 29, 1859.
1142. iii. DAVID, b. July 25, 1782; m. Hannah Crittenden and Electa Hastings.
1143. iv. FILANA, b. in 1785; m., 1st, May, 1817, Caleb C. Moody, of Albany; m., 2d, Aug. 31, 1826, Erastus Hastings, of Hatfield, Buffalo and Detroit, Mich.
1144. v. JAMES, b. July 1, 1787; m. Cynthia Hathaway.
1145. vi. SOPHIA, b. 1790; d. unm., Geneva, N. Y., July 12, 1812.

601. OLIVER FIELD (David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Sept. 13, 1751; m. June 20, 1772, Ketura Hoyt, dau. of Jonathan and Experience (Childs), of Cheapside, b. Feb. 18, 1753; d. January, 1814. Oliver Field, son of David and Thankful (Taylor) (33), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Sept. 13, 1751. During the Revolutionary war he was engaged in merchandise and the manufacture of nails. About 1783 he removed to Conway, and engaged in farming. His house was located where the line between Conway and Deerfield passed through it, and some of his children were born in each town. In 1796 he removed to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y., where he carried on the manufacture of nails in connection with farming. In 1819 he sold his farm and removed to Sodus, N. Y., where he d. May 11, 1821. He was something of a poet, and a few of his pieces are preserved. A few years after he removed to the state of New York it was subject to malarial fevers and other diseases and was visited with several epidemics, from which his family were sufferers with others. In the announcement of the death of his wife, in January, 1814, he wrote there were not well people enough to properly care for the sick. He was taken sick on returning from the funeral of his wife, and was not able to leave his bed for several weeks. He was for a short time out as a soldier in the Revolutionary war, and was assistant to his father as commissary general at the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777. He d. May 11, 1821. Res. Sodus, N. Y.

1146. i. POLLY, b. Nov. 18, 1772; m., 1802, Oliver Gustin, of Phelps. She d. Dec. 15, 1851.

1147. ii. RUFUS, b. Jan. 17, 1774; m. Lydia Davis and Mrs. Hannah Webster.

1148. iii. HORACE, b. Nov. 2, 1775; m. —— Myers.

1149. iv. JONATHAN, b. 1777; m. —— ——.

1150. v. HANNAH, b. Jan. 7, 1779; m. Asher Warner, of Sodus. He was killed in the battle of Sodus Point, July 12, 1813. She d. August, 1810.

1151. vi. OLIVER, b. 1781; m. Mrs. Olive Crandall Keys.

1152. vii. CHILD, b. 1783; d. same year.

1153. viii. CEPHAS, b. Sept. 17, 1785; m. Elizabeth Taylor.

1154. ix. THANKFUL, b. Jan. 23, 1787; m. March 10, 1805, Charles Joslyn, of Phelps. She d. there April 17, 1872.

1155. x. RUDOLPHUS, b. July 10, 1790; m. Rachel Williams.

1156. xi. EXPERIENCE, b. 1792; m. 1813, David Moorehouse, of Sodus. They had a large family. She d. September, 1832.

1157. xii. CHARLES, b. Nov. 21, 1796; m. Polly Hewett.

602. MAJOR ELIHU FIELD (David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Oct. 16, 1753; m. Dec. 29, 1774, Hepzibah Dickinson, dau. of Captain Thomas. Elihu Field, son of David and Thankful (Taylor), b. in Deerfield, Mass. He was interested with his father in business and real estate, which from depreciation and losses during the Revolution, left him at its close poor and without means. After settling up his affairs as well as he could he removed, in March, 1787, to Guilford, Vt., and settled near the center of the town. In 1791 he built a house and set out maple shade trees; the house is still standing, and some of the trees. On this purchase stood the old Tory tavern, kept by Hezekiah Stowell, who being a Yorker, so-called, went with others to Bainbridge, N. Y., on to land appropriated by the state of New

York for its adherents, on the settlement of the difficulties between that state and Vermont, in 1791, regarding the validity of the New Hampshire grants, New York claiming the territory as belonging to the grant of the Duke of York, Vermont paying to the state of New York $30,000 in full for her claim to the present state of Vermont. He was a soldier of the Revolution, on what was called the alarm, which was to give notice of the approach of any enemy and to look after Tories. He was at the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, assisting his father, who was commissary general, under General Stark, but was not in the engagement. He was a prominent man in Guilford, holding various town offices. A major of the first organized militia of Vermont; a justice of the peace for twenty years; United States deputy marshal for taking the census of 1810, and United States assessor of internal revenue at the time of his death. He was a firm and liberal supporter of religion, but favored the doctrine of the Church of England. He was somewhat positive in his opinions, but had very few enemies. He was often called upon to settle disputes between persons in religious matters. He was a man who was not desirous of great riches, but was satisfied with his situation in life, and was charitable to all in need. In 1803 he sold at the center to Jeremiah Graves, from Conway, Mass., and removed to the east part of the town, where he died.

Field, Elihu. Private, Capt. Amasa Sheldon's company, Col. Elisha Porter's regiment; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged July 18, 1777: service, fifteen days, travel included, on expedition to northern department. Roll sworn to at Deerfield. —Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Hepsibah was dau. of Capt. Thomas and Prudence (Smith) Dickinson, of Deerfield, b. May 10, 1753; d. March 30, 1843. She was a woman of good abilities, and was conversant with the early history of the country, with the early Indian wars, and most of the events of the war of the Revolution, and was acquainted with many of its noted persons, and could give in detail many of its most interesting events. She took great interest in the prosperity of the country. She could adapt herself to any society, old or young, and had the respect of all who knew her.

He d. Aug. 23, 1814. Res. Guilford, Vt.

1158. i. GRATIA, b. April 11, 1776; m. Dec. 9, 1799, Thomas Lynde, of Guilford; in 1822 removed to Geneva, N. Y.; about 1850 to New Haven, Oswego county, N. Y., where she d. Sept. 3, 1860; no issue.

1159. ii. RECTINA, b. Nov. 6, 1777; m. Dec. 3, 1795, Richardson Houghton, of Guilford; in 1842 removed to Milwaukee, Wis. She d. Aug. 23, 1846, while on a visit to her daughter, in Worthington, Mass; interred in Milwaukee. Richardson Houghton, son of Edward and Lucretia, b. in Holden, Mass., April 16, 1774. (His father came to Guilford, Vt., the same year, where he d. before 1783.) He removed, in 1835, to Charlemont, Mass.; in 1844 to Milwaukee, Wis., where he d. Jan. 30, 1846. Ch.: 1. Gratia Field, b. Sept. 18, 1796; m. Jan. 1, 1822, Emory Greenleaf, of Guilford; d. in Milwaukee, Dec. 2, 1871. 2. Royall, b. Feb. 12, 1798. 3. Rectina, b. Nov. 23, 1800; m. Thomas Lynde, of Guilford; d. May 29, 1864. 4. Richardson, b. July 4, 1804. 5. Augusta Lucretia, b. March 26, 1810; d. Sept. 9, 1813. 6. George W., b. July 30, 1812; d. Sept. 5, 1813. 7. Miranda A., b. Dec. 21, 1815; m., 1st, J. W. White, of Heath, Mass.; m., 2d, Timothy N. Brown, of Worthington, Mass.; m., 3d, Samuel Ball.

Royall Houghton, son of Richardson and Rectina (Field), b. in Guilford, Vt., Feb. 12, 1798; settled in 1820, in Halifax, Vt., in 1824; removed to Whitingham, Vt.; in 1831 to Troy, N. Y.; in 1834 to New York; engaged in merchandise; was burned out in the great fire, December, 1836; afterward was engaged in the broker business with Edward Houghton, Jr. He gave up the broker business and engaged in real estate, in which he was successful. He d. at St. Augustine, Fla., while on a visit for his health, March 22, 1833. His remains were brought to New York and interred in Greenwood cemetery. He m., 1st, June 6, 1822, Sarah Ferrill, of Wilmington, Vt., b. 1815; d. Nov. 14, 1850; m., 2d, Virginia, dau. of John and Ann (Smith) Patton, of New York. Ch.: (a) Charles H., b. March 6, 1823. (b) Frank R., b. March 7, 1852. (c) Herbert, b. June 26, 1853. (d) Ella Isabel, b. Aug. 2, 1858; d. July 3, 1861. (e) a daughter, b. ——; d. young.

1160. iii. HENRY, b. Aug. 18, 1779; m. Lucinda Frisbee.

1161. iv. ELIHU, b. June 6, 1781; m. Parmelia Burt.

1162. v. PLINY ASHLEY, b. June 2, 1783; m. Olivia Babcock.

1163. vi. MATILDA KING, b. May 14, 1785; m. July 11, 1811, Robert Stevens, of Camillus, N. Y. His father was one of the celebrated "Indians," who made tea in Boston Harbor. They removed to Jordan, N. Y., where she d. April 13, 1858. Ch.: 1. Mrs. C. C. Gorham, Pawnee City, Neb. 2. Alonzo Robert Stevens, b. March 7, 1818; m. Dec. 15, 1847, Harriet Adelle Farley, b. April 6, 1822; d. Feb. 6, 1894. He d. Feb. 2, 1899. Res. Oswego, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Herbert Alonzo Stevens, b. Oct. 10, 1848; d. April 30, 1868. (b) Frances Adelle Stevens, b. April 27, 1850. (c) Mary Alice Stevens, b. Feb. 1, 1852; d. Sept. 23, 1868. (d) Robert Benton Stevens, b. Feb. 28, 1854. (e) Harriet Elizabeth Stevens, b. Dec. 15, 1856. She is a teacher in the Oswego State Normal school. (f) Beecher Stevens, b. Oct. 6, 1858. (g) Gratia Stevens, b. Feb. 20, 1861; d. Feb. 23, 1863. (h) Florence Grace Stevens, b. March 13, 1863.

1164. vii. FILANA, b. Dec. 12, 1787; m., 1813, William Field, of Albany and Geneva, N. Y.; d. in Cleveland, O., Jan. 5, 1857.

1165. viii. CHARLOTTE, b. Oct. 29, 1791; d. Aug. 22, 1794.

1166. ix. CHARLOTTE, b. Feb. 8, 1795; d. in Belleville, Iowa, Nov. 5, 1870.

607. CAPTAIN OLIVER FIELD (Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Nov. 15, 1752; m. Nov. 4, 1773, Ann Cooley, dau. of Caleb and Mary, of Longmeadow; d. Aug. 23, 1831.

Field, Oliver, Springfield. Private, Maj. Andrew Colton's company, of minutemen, which marched April 21, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775; service to May 4, 1775, two weeks, one day. Also descriptive list of nine months' men, raised in Hampshire county, agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779, as returned by Noah Goodman, superintendent; Captain Burt's company, Colonel Bliss' regiment; age, twenty-six years; stature, five feet ten inches; complexion, dark; hair, dark; engaged from town of Springfield; delivered to Lieut. William Storey. Also list of men returned as received of Noah Goodman, superintendent for Hampshire county, by Justin Ely, commissioner, at Springfield, Oct. 19, 1779. Also Captain Flower's company; entered service July 13 (also given July 15th and July 10th),

1779; discharged April 13, 1780; term, nine months. Also private, Capt. Samuel Flower's company, Col. John Greaton's Third regiment; muster roll for August, 1779, dated Camp Highlands. Also muster roll for September, 1779, dated Camp Bedford. Also muster roll for October, 1779, dated Camp near Peekskill. Also muster roll for November and December, 1779, dated Continental Village. Also (late) Captain Flower's company, Colonel Greaton's regiment; muster roll for January to June, 1780, sworn to at "Orange Town;" reported discharged. Also descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental army for the term of six months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780, returned as received of Justin Ely, commissioner, by Maj. Peter Harwood of Sixth Massachusetts regiment, at Springfield, July 6, 1780; aged twenty years; stature, five feet ten inches; complexion, light; engaged for town of Springfield; arrived at Springfield, July 5, 1780, marched to camp July 6, 1780, under command of Lieutenant Taylor of Second Massachusetts regiment. Also list of men raised for six months' service and returned by Brigadier-General Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780. Also pay roll for six months' men raised by the town of Springfield for service in the Continental army during 1780, marched July 5, 1780, discharged Dec. 13, 1780; service, five months, fifteen days. Also private (late) Capt. Samuel Flower's company, Col. John Greaton's Third regiment; muster roll for July, 1780. Also same company and regiment; muster roll for August and September, 1780, dated Camp Orringtown; enlisted July 6, 1780. Also Capt. Joseph Crocker's company, Colonel Greaton's regiment; muster roll for October, 1780, dated Camp Totoway; also same company and regiment; muster roll for November and December, 1780, dated camp at West Point.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

The family records have it that "He served five years in the Revolutionary army and rose to the rank of captain." He inherited the old homestead; a successful farmer.

He d. Jan. 15, 1801. Res. Longmeadow, Mass.

1167. i. ANN, b. Dec. 3, 1774; m. Jan. 18, 1797, Justin Smith, of Hadley.

1168. ii. NAOMI, b. Feb. 27, 1779; m. Aug. 31, 1798, Noah Ashley; d. Oct. 21, 1807.

1169. iii. ELIJAH, b. Dec. 29, 1780; m. Cynthia Terry.

1170. iv. POLLY, b. June 20, 1784; m. Sept. 12, 1805, Stephen Ashley; d. July 24, 1858.

1171. v. CALEB COOLEY, b. March 29, 1787; m. Sarah L. Colton.

1172. vi. JOHN, b. April 6, 1790 (name changed to Moses); m. ——; d. Sept. 1, 1861.

608. MOSES FIELD (Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Feb. 9, 1755; m. Nov. 23, 1780, Lydia Champion, dau. of Dr. Reuben and Lydia, of West Springfield; d. Jan. 19, 1831. He was in the Revolutionary war and was a successful farmer. He d. Jan. 14, 1831. Res., s. p., Longmeadow, Mass.

610. DOCTOR AARON FIELD (Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., June 24, 1761; m. Feb. 10, 1784, Flavia Burt, dau. of Capt. David and Mary (Colton). She was b. in Longmeadow, March 12, 1764, and d. Aug. 20, 1787. He was graduated at Yale College and in 1790 went South and d. there.

Field, Aaron, Springfield. Surgeon's mate, Lieut.-Col. Barnabas Sear's regiment; marched Aug. 1, 1781; discharged Nov. 15, 1781; service, three months, twenty-one days, travel included; regiment raised for three months; roll sworn to at Greenwich.—Mass. State Revolutionary Records. Res. Richmond, Va.

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HON. LUCIUS G. FISHER.

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1173. i. SOPHIA, b. Dec. 24, 1784; m. Nov. 8, 1806, Dr. Perez Kingsley, of Tolland, Conn. She d. April 8, 1808.

611. COLONEL ALEXANDER FIELD (Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Feb. 5, 1764; m. Oct. 11, 1787, Flavia Colton, dau. of Samuel and Lucy; d. Aug. 4, 1815; m., 2d, March 11, 1816, Jerusha Burt, dau. of Capt. Nathaniel and Experience (Chapin), b. Aug. 10, 1780; d. Oct. 26, 1860. Alexander Field, son of Moses and Rebecca (Cooley), b. in Longmeadow, Mass. He was a Revolutionary soldier; was two years in the service; afterward a colonel in the Massachusetts militia. He was a man of very strong personal convictions, and of the most sterling integrity of character, disdaining all underhanded or mean action of any person whatsoever. He was a man of a commanding and prepossessing personal appearance, and was held in great esteem by his townsmen. He liked occasionally to dress in ancient costume, and always rode with his wife in his carriage to church. He was a large and successful farmer. Having no children of his own, he adopted a young man named Alexander Field Stebbins, to whom he left his large estate, who soon spent it. He d. July 8, 1831. Res., s. p., Longmeadow, Mass.

618. DEACON PETER REYNOLDS FIELD (Simeon, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Enfield, Conn., Feb. 28, 1774; m. Nov. 1, 1801, Hannah N. Prudden, b. Milford, Conn., Sept. 30, 1777; bapt. April 5, 1778; d. Oct. 30, 1854, Beloit, Wis. A worthy descendant of her renowned ancestors, Governor Treat, Governor Webster, Revs. Thomas Hooker, Roger Newton, Peter Prudden, Thomas Buckingham and Benjamin Wilmot. He was born in Enfield, Conn., where he resided some time after his marriage. Later he moved to Lebanon, N. H., and soon after to Colebrook, N. H. While living in the latter place he joined the New England company, which had surrendered extensive tracts of land in the Territory of Wisconsin. This land was located adjacent to Rock river, near the Illinois line, at New Albany. The company at once erected a public house, and Mr. Field, with others, located there in 1838, where he afterward resided. Mr. Field was descended also from Revs. Henry Whitfield, Edward Taylor, Matthew Allyn and Thomas Newberry. He d. Oct. 20, 1856. Res. Beloit, Wis.

1174. i. CHARLOTTE, b. July 15, 1803; d. July 21, 1803.

1175. ii. CHARLOTTE PRUDDEN, b. Sept. 14, 1809; m. June 15, 1831, Dea. Horace Hobart, of Beloit, Wis. Horace Hobart was born in Columbia, N. H., Aug. 12, 1803, and was married at Colebrook, N. H. He died in Beloit, Wis., Nov. 5, 1860, aged fifty-seven. He went to Beloit in 1837 or 1838 and immediately took a leading part in founding religious and educational institutions; was deacon in the First Congregational church during his entire life there, and was trustee and a liberal giver to Beloit College. No man left a stronger impress for good upon that community than Deacon Hobart. His wife, Charlotte Prudden Field Hobart, lived in Beloit forty-six years, and died while visiting her son at Los Vegas, New Mexico, Feb. 11, 1884, aged seventy-five years and five months. Ch.: 1. Edward Field Hobart, b. Columbia, N. H., Oct. 9, 1833; m. in 1859, at Beloit, Wis., Marion Cunningham. He graduated at Beloit College in 1855; was a civil engineer, engaged in city and railway work; principal of public school at Beloit and of Academy, at Baraboo, Wis.; conducted a book and stationery business at Beloit;

served in Civil war as first lieutenant of a Wisconsin regiment; carried on school furniture and printing business in St. Louis, Mo., for several years; removed to Los Vegas, N. M., and engaged in manufacturing; was appointed surveyor general of New Mexico by President Harrison, serving four years, and was appointed by President McKinley receiver of public moneys at Santa Fe, N. M., where he now resides. Is extensively engaged in agriculture, fruit growing and mining. 2. Horace Reynolds Hobart, b. in Beloit, Wis., May 22, 1840; m. Dec. 3, 1873, Emma Hastings, at Madison, Wis., dau. of Hon. Samuel D. Hastings, state treasurer of Wisconsin; graduated at Beloit College in 1860; served in Civil war as private and non-commissioned officer; severely wounded in battle in Arkansas; edited a daily paper in Janesville, Wis.; removed to Chicago in 1866, and has been reporter on Tribune, city editor Evening Post, managing editor and president Evening Mail, editor Morning Courier, and editor for twenty-two years and vice-president of the Railway Age; was for one year, 1874-75, editor and part proprietor Jacksonville, Ill., Daily Journal; has written various books and pamphlets on railway topics; was for three years member board of trustees village of Hyde Park, and for two years president of board; has been school director, also vestryman and warden in the Reformed Episcopal church; is a member of Christ Church. Res. at No. 5110 East End Ave., Chicago. 3. Henry Field Hobart, b. Beloit, Wis., July 15, 1843; m. June 14, 1870, Abbie Cleveland. He carried on book and stationery business (Hobart Bros.) at Beloit; was editor and proprietor Beloit Daily Free Press; removed to Los Vegas N. M., to engage in manufacturing; died at Santa Cruz, Cal., Feb. 11, 1885.

1176. iii. ELIZA D., b. Dec. 31, 1806; d. unm. At one time she kept a young ladies' seminary in Erie, Pa., in connection with her sister, Caroline.

1177. iv. ALFRED LORENZO, b. April 16, 1809; m. Elizabeth Lusk.

1178. v. CAROLINE S., b. Nov. 15, 1813; m. June 28, 1842, Hon. Lucius G. Fisher, of Chicago, Ill.

He was b. in Derby, Vt., Aug. 17, 1808; d. in Chicago, March 9, 1886. She d. March 11, 1850. He was born on his father's farm, which was later known as the Bert farm. His mother was a woman of unusual executive ability, and well educated. He was well educated at the common schools, especially in the English branches. Assisting his father on his farm, he attended the academy as opportunity presented. He taught a government school in Stanstead, Canada, and later taught in Derby, Vt., in the school where he received his preliminary education. In 1833 he was appointed by Sheriff Jameson a deputy for Derby and vicinity. At that time the office was quite an important one, as the country was infested by smugglers from the Canadian side. He resigned the office after having been appointed three times, and became connected with the Fairbank's Scale company, at St. Johnsbury. In 1837 he arrived in Chicago, when there was a population of 3,000 persons. Everything was in a terrible

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panicy condition, owing to the financial crisis. Lots which a short time before had readily sold for $1,000, had depreciated to $200. From the corner of State and Washington streets—where Marshall Field & Co.'s mammoth dry goods buildings stand—to the Lake, corn was growing of the small yellow kind. Mr. Fisher, not liking the looks of the place, went to Milwaukee, and later to New Albany. He made a short stop at Janesville, where there were only three houses. He was much pleased with the appearance of Beloit (then called New Albany). Soon after arriving there and purchasing land, a meeting of the settlers was called to select and adopt a name for the town and village. He was chosen one of a committee to select a name, and it was at his suggestion that Beloit was selected. In 1839 he was appointed sheriff of Rock county by Gov. Henry Dodge, and later by Governor Doty, and still later elected by the people. In 1840 he was appointed by the territorial legislature one of a board of commissioners to lay out roads from Beloit to Milwaukee and to Madison. In 1842 he was married to Miss Field and began business, which was continued under the firm name of Fisher & Bundy, and later Fisher, Cheney & Co. He was largely instrumental in inducing the Northwestern railway company to extend their line to Beloit, raising the money, $80,000, and personally pledging its collection. He was director of the railway from Beloit to Madison. He was president of the first bank in Beloit, and also started the Beloit Journal, the first paper there. Mr. Fisher was identified with every enterprise that was for the benefit of the place. With others he built the first paper mill there, and was largely identified with other institutions. After Beloit was a city he was for several years an alderman, and was elected to the legislature. He was largely instrumental in organizing Beloit College; was for years a trustee and also of Rockford Seminary. In 1861 he was appointed postmaster at Beloit, which office he held for five years. In 1866 he moved to Chicago and leased the southeast corner of State and Washington streets in 1870 and erected a six story building, which was destroyed by the fire of 1871. He immediately rebuilt, and in 1875 purchased the corner for $140,000, which he sold in 1881 for $412,500. In 1870 he was elected supervisor of Hyde Park. In 1883 he took an extensive trip on the continent with his wife, and from that time until his death in 1886, spent most of his time in travel and looking after his property interests. Ch.: 1. Lucius George, Jr., b. Nov. 27, 1843; m. April 20, 1870, Katherine Louise Eddy, dau. of Rev. Alfred Eddy, b. February, 1848. Res. 4036 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill. He was educated in Beloit and Stockbridge, Mass., and had passed examination preparatory to entering the Freshman class in Beloit College, when the Pikes Peak gold fever broke out. His father sent one of the first quartz mills to the mountains, and he persuaded him to let him accompany the train. He was given a wagon and six yoke of oxen, and so crossed the plains and roughed it until the war commenced. He went to New York City in the fall of 1861 and clerked in a hardware store until 1863; enlisted in the Eighty-

fourth N. G. S. N. Y.; went through a short campaign in the Shenandoah Valley; was made color-sergeant and returned in time to assist in quelling the riot in New York City. Their time having expired (it was a ninety-day regiment), was discharged, and he at once enlisted in the navy, and was sent to the receiving station, at St. Inigoes, Md., where he was assigned to duty in the paymaster's department. At the close of the war he went to Chicago and started with the Rock River Paper company; was rapidly promoted, and in 1870 was given the management of the business. In 1871 he bought an interest in the paper bag manufacturing firm of Wheeler & Hinman, which name was changed to Wheeler, Fisher & Co., and soon after was incorporated under the name of the Union Bag and Paper Co. Of this company he was secretary, but had the entire management. In 1894 they increased the capital stock from $500,000 to $2,000,000, and absorbed the bag business of Hollingsworth & Whitney, of Boston, Smith & Dixon & Co., of Baltimore, and Chatfield & Woods, of Cincinnati. As president of this company he had the general management of its business until March, 1899, it sold its interests to the Union Bag and Paper Co., of New Jersey, a company which Mr. Fisher organized, and of which he is president. This company purchased all the business and good will and patents of the leading bag manufacturers of the country. Its capital is $27,000,000. It owns large tracts of timber lands, eighteen paper mills, several wood pulp mills and makes about 20,000,000 bags a day. He has started and successfully run several manufacturing companies in different lines, but as his bag business grew, he sold his interests in the other companies. In 1886 he bought a large amount of real estate in Chicago. It has taken much of his time to improve and manage it. Four years ago he built the "Fisher Building," an eighteen story office building, on the corner of Van Buren and Dearborn streets, Chicago. He is a member of the Union League, Washington Park and Athletic and Midlothian Clubs, of Chicago, and of the Engineers and New York Clubs, of New York City. Ch.: (a) Lucius George, Jr., b. March 4, 1877. He was educated at the public schools of Chicago, and the high school of that city. Studied for three years at the Manual Training School; was fitted for college at Phillips, Andover, where he remained for four years; entering Yale College, he took a full course of four years, graduating in the class of 1897. He is now manager for Wheeler, Fisher & Co., who are western agents for the Union Bag and Paper Co., with offices in the Fisher Building, Dearborn street, Chicago. He is unm. and res. with his father. (b) Alice, b. April 19, 1874; m. Oct. 28, 1897, Alexis Foster, of Denver, Col. (c) Ethel Field, b. July 19, 1882. (d) Kathryn Eddy, b. March 9, 1886. 2. Annah Field, b. Oct. 31, 1848; m. May 9, 1871, Dr. Samuel Reed Ward, b. Aug. 7, 18—. Res. Richmond, Ill. Ch.: (a) Caroline Fisher Ward, b. May 3, 1872. (b) Henry Nichols Ward, b. Jan. 10, 1874; d. March 22, 1880. (c) Philip Clark Ward, b. Nov. 15, 1876; d. Jan. 10, 1880. (d) Lucine Fisher Ward, b. March 20, 1878; d. Dec. 30, 1880. (e) Elizabeth Bates

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Ward, b. May 23, 1884. (f) Katharine Louise Ward, b. Sept. 25, 1885.

619. DOCTOR EDWARD FIELD (Simeon, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Enfield, Conn., July 1, 1777. He graduated at Yale College; a physician; settled in Waterbury, Conn., where he d. Nov. 17, 1840. He m. April 30, 1807, Sarah, dau. of Dr. Isaac and Sarah (Leavenworth) Baldwin, of Waterbury, Conn., b. May 24, 1785; d. Aug. 8, 1808; m., 2d, Jan. 4, 1810, Esther, sister of first wife, b. Aug. 21, 1789; d. May 15, 1843. Dr. Edward Field, son of Dr. Simeon and Margaret Reynolds, was b. in Enfield, Conn. He began his medical studies at home and continued them with Dr. Coggswell, at Hartford. In 1799 he received a commission in the navy as surgeon's mate, and embarked for a three years' cruise in the East Indies. The voyage proved a disastrous one. The ship was dismasted, there was mutiny on board, and the young physician in assisting to subdue the mutineers, was wounded in the right wrist. The voyage lasted hardly a year, but its experience destroyed the charm of a seagoing life for Dr. Field. In 1800 he established himself as a village doctor in Waterbury, and labored there the remaining forty years of his life. Doctor Field was received as a member of the First Church, July 5, 1840. Res. Waterbury, Conn.

1179. i. JUNIUS LEAVENWORTH, b. Feb. 1, 1808; m. Mrs. Maria (Briggs) Packard.

1180. ii. HENRY B., b. Jan. 11, 1811; m. Sarah Ann Bulkley.

1181. iii. SARAH ARIETTA, b. Aug. 27, 1813; d. Sept. 9, 1815.

1182. iv. MARY MARGARET, b. March 12, 1817; m. June 30, 1841, Hon. Charles B. Merriman, of Waterbury, Conn.; d. Oct. 5, 1866. Charles Buckingham Merriman, son of William Henry and Sarah (Buckingham) Merriman, was b. at Watertown, Oct. 9, 1809. He was educated at the village school, and at Leonard Daggett's school, in New Haven. He lived in Watertown, in a house near the present site of the Warren House, until 1839, when he removed to Waterbury. He was in business with his father, as a merchant, while in Watertown, and on his removal to Waterbury formed a partnership with Ezra Stiles in the dry goods business, which was conducted in the building on the corner of Centre square and Leavenworth street. His connection with Julius Hotchkiss in the Hotchkiss & Merriman Manufacturing company, and the relations of this organization to the American Suspender company, of which he became president, are well known. Mr. Merriman was a member of the common council for several years, and was mayor of the city in 1869. He was president of the Waterbury Gas Light company, and was for many years a director in the Citizens' National bank, and president of the Waterbury Savings bank. He was a prominent member and a vestryman of St. John's church. He was noted for his equanimity of temper and kindness of heart, and was an enthusiastic supporter of every enterprise that contributed to the well being and upbuilding of Waterbury. Mr. Merriman m. Mary Margaret, dau. of Dr. Edward Field. Ch.: 1. Charlotte Buckingham, b. Aug. 21, 1843. 2. Sarah Morton, b. Aug. 7, 1845. 3. Helen, b. Jan. 19, 1848. 4. Margaret Field, b. March 16, 1850; m. Sept. 30, 1875, Dr. Frank E. Castle, s. p. 5. William Buckingham, b. June 11, 1853; m., Nov. 17, 1886,

Sara Kingsbury Parsons, dau. of Guernsey Smith Parsons and Eliza (Brown). Ch.: (a) Buckingham Parsons Merriman. (b) William Buckingham Merriman. 6. Edward Field, b. Sept. 1, 1854. Mr. Merriman d. March 15, 1889.

1183. v. CHARLOTTE ARIETTA, b. Dec. 6, 1819; m. Feb. 25, 1851, Samuel G. Blackman, of New Haven, Conn. He d., s. p., May 24, 1886. She res. in Waterbury.

1184. vi. EDWARD G., b. Dec. 7, 1822. Dr. Edward Gustavus Field, the youngest child of Dr. Edward and Esther (Baldwin) Field was born in Waterbury. He was educated in the schools of the town and at the Hartford grammar school. When about fifteen years of age he made a voyage to Europe, in a sailing packet, "before the mast," with some idea of making navigation the business of life. But one voyage was sufficient; he did not find it to his taste. After his father's death he attended medical lectures in New York City, but took his degree at Castleton, Vt., whose medical school at that time was mainly conducted by professors of New York schools (a sort of summer school of medicine). He settled in New York City, but early in the California excitement—in 1849 or 1850—he went to San Francisco, and after practicing medicine a short time engaged in other pursuits. He returned to New York about 1855, and a little later purchased a seat in the broker's board. He remained in active business until 1872, when he retired and spent some time in Europe. He resided in New York, where he died Jan. 8, 1899. He never married.

620. DOCTOR SAMUEL FIELD (Samuel, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Saybrook, Conn., in 1759. He graduated at Yale College; a physician. He removed about 1805 to Coxsackie, N. Y., where he d. March 13, 1813. He m. in 1783, Margaret Shipman, of Saybrook, b. 1764; d. Jan. 14, 1820. (See gravestone in Saybrook.) Res. Coxsackie, N. Y.

1185. i. SAMUEL, bap. June 12, 1785. A physician; settled on Long Island, N. Y., and d. there in 1838.

1186. ii. ELIZABETH, bap. Sept. 24, 1786; m. John Sylvester. All her family died years ago.

1187. iii. ABIGAIL, bap. June 15, 1788; m. —— Reynolds, of Norwich, Conn., and d. in 1824.

1188. iv. WILLIAM HENRY, bap. Sept. 26, 1790; d. 1794.

1189. v. MARGARET MARIA, bap. March 10, 1793; m. Henry Vanderburg. She d. in 1874, aged eighty-two. Children, six boys and four girls. One daughter, Mrs. Catherine Van Bergen, now, 1900, aged eighty, is living on the old homestead, built by Dr. Samuel Field in 1800. Her address is Climax, Greene county, N. Y.

1190. vi. THOMAS, bap. Oct. 5, 1794; m. Mariah Van Slyke.

1191. vii. HENRY WILLIAM, b. Aug. 8, 1790; bap. Nov 27, 1796; m. Jane Thompson, Catherine Emily Newell and Mable Close.

1192. viii. RICHARD, bap. Nov. 4, 1798.

1193. ix. FANNY, bap. Feb. 22, 1801; d. in 1811.

624. SERGT. GEORGE FIELD (Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Dec. 22, 1742, Northfield, Mass.; m. July 5,

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Built by Dr. Edward Field in 1816.

1769, Martha Smith, dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Morton) Smith, b. about 1749; d. March 13, 1830. He was sergeant in Revolutionary war, and was in the battle of Oct. 7, 1777 and present at the surrender of Burgoyne.

Field, George. Private, Capt. Timothy Paige's company, Col. James Convers' regiment; enlisted Aug. 21, 1777; discharged Aug. 31, 1777; service, 10 days; company marched to Bennington on an alarm; also sergeant, Capt. Samuel Merriman's company, Sixth Hampshire county regiment; engaged Sept. 22, 1777; discharged Oct. 18, 1777; service, 1 month 3 days, travel included, on an expedition to the Northward.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Martha, of Northfield; June 15, 1830; husband, George; ch.: Francis, Roswell, George, Malinda, wife of Bernice Foot; Pattee, wife of Adrastus Doolittle; Polly, wife of Edward Banks; Jesse, Seth, Elihu.—Probate Records.

He d. Jan. 22, 1803; res. Northfield, Mass.

1194. i. MALINDA, b. July 20, 1770; m. Dec. 8, 1791, Bernice Foot; res. Greenfield.

1195. ii. FRANCIS, b. April 28, 1772; m. ——. Did he go to Va.?

1196. iii. PATTEE, b. May 26, 1775; m. Adrastus Doolittle. He was son of Lucius; was b. Aug. 10, 1771; was a tavern keeper, and d. Jan. 27, 1830; she d. Sept. 29, 1843. Ch.: 1. Lydia, b. Aug. 4, 1800; m. Aaron Lord and Otis Everett. 2. George, b. Oct. 2, 1803; m. Dorothy Doolittle. 3. Charles, b. Jan. 6, 1806; d., s. p., Oct. 3, 1848. 4. Lucretia, b. Aug. 24, 1808; d. unm. Jan. 15, 1851. 5. Martha, b. Sept. 16, 1810; m. George Wheeler. 6. Fanny, b. Feb. 10, 1813; m. George E. Scott. 7. Jerusha, b. Nov. 4, 1815. 8. Margaret, b. Feb. 19, 1820; d. March 10, 1826. 9. Margaret, b. Sept. 3, 1817; d. July 29, 1819.

1197. iv. ROSWELL, b. March 19, 1777; m. Eunice Alexander.

1198. v. POLLY, b. Feb. 28, 1779; m. May 28, 1806, Edward Banks, b. Dec. 24, 1779, Keene, N. H.; d. March 23, 1859, at Windham, Vt.; she d. Sept. 21, 1851. Ch.: 1. Edward Banks, b. May 21, 1809; m. March 20, 1838; address, Brattleboro, Vt. 2. John Lawton Banks, b. Oct. 27, 1820; m. Oct. 26, 1845, Sarah Abby Sargent, b. June 9, 1819; d. Jan. 13, 1892; res. Brattleboro, Vt. Ch.: (a) Sarah Helen Banks, b. June 16, 1846; present address, Mrs. Samuel Hale, Attleboro, Mass. (b) Charles Lawton Banks, b. April 30, 1853; m. Nov., 1876; present address, Northfield Farms, Mass. (c) Mary Alice Banks, b. April 30, 1858; present address, Mrs. Marshall Mead, Attleboro, Mass.

1199. vi. GEORGE, b. June 16, 1781; m. Phila Holton and Ruth (Holton) Scott.

1200. vii. LUCRETIA, b. July 9, 1783; d. Oct. 4, 1807.

1201. viii. JESSE, b. Oct. 5, 1787; m. Experience Smead.

1202. ix SETH, b. Aug. 26, 1791; m. ——.

1203. x. ELIHU, b. Nov. 10, 1794; m. Elizabeth Stratton.

625. RUFUS FIELD (Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 24, 1744; m. in 1764, Elizabeth Field, dau. of Moses and Anna (Dickinson), b. March 30, 1748; res. Northfield, Mass.

1204. i. CLARISSA, b. Aug. 25, 1765; born blind.

1205. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 16, 1768; m. Jan. 1, 1789, Edward Nettleton. He was from Hartford county, Conn., and was in Northfield in 1787. She d. June 21, 1830. Ch.: 1. Sobriety, b. July 18, 1789; m. Joseph Perry. 2. George, b. July 30, 1791; m.

Lucy Wood. 3. Elizabeth F., b. Sept. 30, 1794; m. David Wright and Willard Allen. 4. Edward, b. March 26, 1796; m. Lucretia Wood. 5. Hannah M., b. Oct. 22, 1802; m. Ebenezer Childs.

1206. iii. SYLVESTER, b. July 13, 1770; m. Jemima Freeman.
1207. iv. CHARLOTTE, b. Dec. 3, 1772; d. Dec. 21, 1835.
1208. v. KATE, b. Jan. 31, 1776; m. Dec. 12, 1795, John Tiffany. He was son of Edward L.; was b. Aug. 11, 1773; he d., and she m., 2d, Feb. 26, 1801, John Robbins, and had four children—Amanda, Catherine, Miriam and Charlotte.
1209. vi. HOLLIS, b. Jan. 22, 1778; m. Betsy Jennings.
1210. vii. RUFUS, b. June 16, 1780; m. Harriet Jennings.
1211. viii. ALICE, b. Jan. 28, 1783; m. Daniel Kenney, of Gill, Mass.
1212. ix. LYDIA T., b. Jan. 22, 1785; m. Nov. 28, 1805, John Holbrook, of Northfield, Mass.
1213. x. FANNY, b. Jan. 11, 1788.
1214. xi. SETH, b. May 13, 1791; m. Polly Coy.

632. HENRY FIELD (Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sept. 2, 1759 in Northfield, Mass.; m. Feb. 3, 1783, Rhoda Stratton, b. Oct. 28, 1761; d. Nov. 21, 1833; dau. of Hezekiah and Molly (Smith). Was a Revolutionary soldier in 1779.

Henry of Northfield, Feb. 17, 1813, filed. Ch.: Chas. F., Zenophon, Erasmus Jarvis, minors; mother, Rhoda Field, guard. Rhoda Field, Northfield, 1833, widow. Charles F. Field and Zenophon Field, administrators, filed their bond Dec. 17, 1833.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Jan. 4, 1813; res. Northfield, Mass.

1215. i. SOPHIA, bap. Sept. 7, 1783.
1216. ii. RHODA, b. Feb. 6, 1785; m. Aug. 19, 1806, Dr. Cyrus Washburne, of Vernon, Vt.
1217. iii. HENRY, b. Oct. 3, 1789; m. Mary Simonds.
1218. iv. CHARLES F., b. April 1, 1794; m. Electa Mattoon and Mary H. Alexander.
1219. v. ZENOPHON, b. April 18, 1797; m. Clarissa Harris.
1220. vi. MARY S., b. Sept. 16, 1799; d. Sept. 16, 1803.
1221. vii. ERASMUS J., b. Feb. 4, 1808; d. Aug. 20, 1827.

633. DR. SETH FIELD (Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 6, 1761. He removed in —— to Brookfield, Mass., where he d. A Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Seth Pierce's company, Col. Seth Murray's regiment, at Claverack and West Point, from July 4 to Oct. 10, 1780; was at West Point at the time of Arnold's treachery. He was a physician. He m. Martha ——, b. 1762.

Field, Seth, Northfield. Descriptive list dated Warwick, Aug. 4, 1780, of men detached from Sixth Hampshire county regiment; agreeable to order of General Court of June 22, 1780, to serve for the term of 3 months from the time of their arrival at Claverack; Capt. Seth Pierce's company, Col. Seth Murray's (Hampshire county) regiment; age, 18 years; stature, 5 ft. 7 in.; complexion, dark; res., Northfield; rank, private; mustered July 20, 1780; also corporal, Capt. Seth Pierce's company, Col. Seth Murray's (Hampshire county) regiment; enlisted July 15, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 months 6 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental army for 3 months; roll dated Leverett.—Massachusetts Revolutionary Records.

Seth Field, of West Brookfield, his oldest son, appointed administrator. Seth W. Field, 1851. Thomas Kennicutt, judge.—Worcester, Mass., Probate.

He d. July 21, 1850; res. Brookfield, Mass.

1222. i. CORDELIA PARSONS, b. July 12, 1797.
1223. ii. DAVID HITCHCOCK, b. Aug. 25, 1798; m. Harriet J. ——.
1224. iii. MARY ANN, b. Oct. 11, 1799.
1225. iv. SETH W., b. April 1, 1802; m. ——.
1226. v. MARTHA KEYES, b. July 1, 1804.
1227. vi. ADDIE ORVILLA, b. July 5, 1807.
1228. vii. CHARLOTTE BEMIS, b. Feb. 27, 1811.

636. THEODORE FIELD (Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., May 7, 1769; m. Feb. 24, 1793, Catherine Parker, dau. of Nathaniel and Hannah (Chamberlin); d. Feb. 2, 1846. Was a farmer. He d. April 8, 1841. Res. Brimfield, Mass.

1229. i. ELVIRA, b. Dec. 28, 1793; m. Dec. 1, 1814, Samuel Alexander, of Northfield; d. July 2, 1859. Ch.: 1. George Field; res. Northfield Farms, Mass. 2. Samuel; res. Hartford, Conn. 3. Caleb D., d. Nov. 17, 1893; res. Springfield, Mass.

1230. ii. EMILY, b. Oct. 2, 1795; m. Oct. 22, 1815, James Brown, of Brimfield, Mass.; d Oct. 29, 1876. He was son of Deacon David, and was b. July 30, 1790; d. March 18, 1859; she d. Oct. 29, 1876; res. Brimfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Henry Field, b. Dec. 15, 1816; m. Sept. 25, 1839, Lucy G. Tarbell; he d. June 25, 1892; res. Brimfield. 2. Catherine Parker, b. March 18, 1820; m. April 28, 1863, Paul W. Paige; res. Brimfield and Springfield; she d. Oct. 2, 1894. 3. James Tyler, b. Nov. 22, 1823; m. Nov. 29, 1849, Catherine W. Miller; he d. Sept. 25, 1899; res. Maynard, Mass. 4. Charles Frederic, b. April 13, 1827; d. Oct. 5, 1827. 5. Charles, b. Oct. 22, 1828; d. Nov. 6, 1828. 6. Geo. Alexander, b. Dec. 1, 1830; m. Jan. 26, 1854, Susan E. C. Miller; he d. Jan. 30, 1897; res. Peoria, Ill. 7. Emily Jane, b. May 7, 1833; m. Sept. 1, 1875, Warren H. Wilkinson; res. 20 Bradford street, Springfield, Mass.; he was b. July 9, 1824; d. March 21, 1892, s. p.

1231. iii. LUCY, b. Dec. 1, 1797; m. May 30, 1820, Samuel A. Groves, of Southbridge, now in Bradford, Pa. Ch.: 1. George Austin; res. Bradford, Pa. 2. Samuel Albert. 3. Ann.

1232. iv. THEODORE, b. Oct. 28, 1799; m. Almira Allen and Elizabeth Barr.

1233. v. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. Sept. 11, 1802; m. Emily P. Field.
1234. vi. ORUS, b. Nov. 8, 1804; m. Catherine Fish.
1235. vii. THOMAS JACKSON, b. Aug. 13, 1807; m. and d. s. p.
1236. viii. GEORGE PARKER, b. July 13, 1810; d. Aug. 17, 1813.
1237. ix. CATHERINE, b. July 11, 1814; d. Sept. 11, 1816.

637. JAMES FIELD (Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Winchester, N. H. He removed to Surry or Keene, N. H., from there to Nelson, where he d. He was a soldier in the battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1777, and at Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, and was some time in the service. He m. Mary Woodcock. Res. Nelson, N. H.

1238. i. NATHAN, b. Aug. 1, 1765; m. Lucina Sumner.
1239. ii. ROBERT, b. ——.
1240. iii. WILLIAM, b. ——.

1241. iv. JAMES, b. ——; m. Betsey Johnson.
1242. v. LUCY, b. ——; m. —— Mathews, of Vershire, Vt.
1243. vi. PHEBE, b. ——; m. Dec. 14, 1804, William Jennison, of Walpole, N. H.
1244. vii. POLLY, b. ——; m. —— Gaylord, of Walpole, N. H.
1245. viii. LYDIA, b. ——; m. ——.

639. DEACON JOSHUA FIELD (Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Winchester, N. H., June 5, 1746. He removed in 1786 to Brandon, Vt., where he d. March 26, 1837. A Revolutionary soldier from New Hampshire; was in the battle of Bennington Aug. 16, 1777, and was some time in the service. A deacon in the Congregational church, a very influential man in town, noted for his integrity and love of truth and honest in his convictions and opinions. The society having trouble with their minister concerning church government, believing him exercising power over them not delegated to the pastor, Mr. Field, meeting the pastor, was asked by him to state what the difficulties were, when he frankly replied: "There are many, but one in particular is, we think you have lorded over God's heritage too much." "Father Field," as he was familiarly called, was fully sustained in his charge by an ecclesiastical council, afterwards called, by whom the pastor was dismissed. A story is told of the deacon and his wife. The deacon wishing to take one of the children to church to have it baptized, his wife hid the baby in the garden among the currant bushes, where he could not find it, she being a Baptist. He m. 1770, Thankful Robbins, of Petersham, Mass.; b. Nov. 17, 1747; d. July 1, 1832. The following note is copied from his pension rolls at Washington, D. C.:

"I, Joshua Field of Brandon, in the county of Rutland, State of Vermont, certify that during the War of the Revolution, I resided most of the time in the town of Winchester, in the State of New Hampshire, and in the spring of the year during the season that General Sullivan marched the troops from Canada to Ticonderoga, the year I can't remember, but I know I enlisted under Capt. Humphrey for 5 months and joined Col. Wingate's regiment and marched to Ticonderoga, where I served out my time under General Gates' Command and received an honorable discharge. The redcoats came down the lake and Captain Humphrey called for volunteers to engage them and I turned out with others, but we did not get near enough to fight them. I returned home to Winchester after receiving my discharge, where I afterwards was several times impressed and compelled to serve on alarms, to take the Tories up to Keene where they were tried, and from there we conveyed the Charlestown or No. 4. The precise time I served in each of the alarms I cannot tell, but it is my prevailing opinion I served as much as four months in all besides my five months enlistment. I made my former declaration before R. Pierpont, Judge of Probate for the District of Rutland, but I cannot now tell how long ago but I believe something like three years ago. I am very forgetful, you see I am 89 years old. I draw only twenty dollars a year and drew my last pension last September.

Monday February 17th, 1835.

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Joshua × Field.
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On the 31st day of July A. D. 1832, personally appeared in Open Court before the Justice of the Probate Court of Rutland District now setting, Joshua Field a resident of the County of Rutland and State of Vermont, aged 86 years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 4, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served as herein stated:

In 1776, he resided in Winchester, county of Cheshire, New Hampshire, and in the spring of that year he enlisted with Capt. ——— Company, Col. Wingate's Regiment for five months, his lieutenant was Simonds, and marched to Ticonderoga, through Charlestown, No. 4 and Rutland, and served out his time and was discharged at Ticonderoga in December, he thinks, but has lost his discharge. He was called out frequently on alarms, one when Royalton was burnt, one after the battle of Bunker Hill, one guarding Tories at Keene and Charlestown No. 4, in all verily he believes more than one month. He was born in Winchester, April 5, year 1746, and resided there until about 45 years ago he removed to Brandon in this county, where he has ever since resided, his age is recorded in his bible. He knew Gens. Stark, Poor, Gates, Arnold, and others. He is known to the Rev. W. Ingraham and most of the inhabitants of Brandon. He does not know of any evidence to prove his stories.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of the Agency of any State.

Sworn to and subscribed the Day and year aforesaid. } Joshua his × mark Field.

Res. Brandon, Vt.

1246. i. OTHNIEL, b. April 18, 1771; m. ——.
1247. ii. SARAH, b. Nov. 16, 1783; m. March 28, 1797, Joel Parmenter, of Brandon; d. April 11, 1848.
1248. iii. THANKFUL, b. Nov. 16, 1783; d. Sept. 7, 1847.
1249. iv. JOSHUA, b. Sept. 21, 1775; d. in infancy.
1250. v. CALVIN, b. Nov. 21, 1777; m. Nancy Rice and Asenath Strickland.
1251. vi. PAUL, b. April 10, 1779; m. Mary Stearns.
1252. vii. GEORGE, b. June 12, 1781; d. unm.
1253. viii. RODOLPHUS, b. June 17, 1783; m. Matilda Allen.
1254. ix. FELIX, b. Aug. 20, 1785; d. in infancy.
1255. x. DENNIS, b. April 14, 1788; d. unm. in Batavia, N. Y.

641. WAITSTILL FIELD (Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Winchester, N. H., Sept. 4, 1749; m. there Anna ——; res. Winchester, N. H.

1255¼. i. LEONARD, b. Sept. 11, 1781.
1255⅓. ii. SPENCER, b. Sept. 26, 1783.
1255½. iii. ERASTUS, b. July 28, 1785.
1255⅔. iv. CAROLNE, b. May 2, 1787.
1255¾. v. SALLY, b. Feb. 24, 1790.
1255⅞. vi. AMBROSE, b. Oct. 1, 1791.
1255-1. vii. CHESTER, b. May 21, 1794.
1255-2. viii. ANNA, b. April 20, 1796.

644. WILLIAM FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 25, 1744; m. Nov. 13, 1769, Sarah Petty, b. Aug. 15, 1741; d. Nov. 11, 1806. Was a farmer. He d. Jan. 11, 1813; res. Northfield, Mass.

1256. i. NABBY, b. Sept. 8, 1774; d. Sept. 23, 1775.
1257. ii. EBENEZER, b. Aug. 3, 1776. He was in the war of 1812; was a

soldier under General Harrison, and participated in the battle of Tippecanoe; d. unm. 1858.

1258. iii. NABBY, b. Dec. 6, 1779; d. Nov. 20, 1785.

1259. iv. SALLY, b. March 18, 1782; d. unm. May 2, 1807.

1260. v. BILLY (WILLAM), b. Nov. 23, 1785; m. Mary Woodward.

646. DEACON JESSE FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Northfield, Mass., Nov. 23, 1749. He settled about 1770 in Bennington, Vt., where he d. Nov. 5, 1830. He was educated for the ministry, but never ordained. A deacon and a very useful man in town, and he had the confidence and esteem of his neighbors and townsmen. The day before the battle of Bennington, the Rev. Jedediah Dewey, in his prayer, made the following remarks: "All you who are liable to be engaged in the forthcoming battle, be sure and make your peace with God without a moment's delay, for should you go into battle without a converted heart and be killed, you would be eternally lost." As soon as Parson Dewey had ended his prayer, Col. Robinson rose to his feet and proclaimed in a loud voice: "All ye who go into the battle and fight valiantly for your country, if you are killed, will go to heaven; but those of you who are cowards and turn your backs upon our enemies, if you are killed, you will surely go to h——l and be eternally damned." Deacon Jesse Field stood during the prayer of Parson Dewey and the remarks of Col. Robinson, and trembled like a leaf, but went into the engagement the next day, and fought with great bravery through the whole of it. He was in Capt. Elijah Dewey's company in the battle of Bennington.

Mrs. Field's father, Lieut. Martin Dewey, was son of Jedediah 2d, b. May 18, 1716, at Westfield, Mass.; d. June 10, 1763, near Amenia, Dutchess county, N. Y. He was a blacksmith by trade; he was selectman in Westfield in 1757-8; he voluntarily enlisted into his Majesty's service for reinforcing the army destined for Crown Point, out of the southern regiment in Hampshire county. He served in the garrison at Fort William Henry, and later moved "to the Oblong," Dutchess county, N. Y., a gore of unincorporated land southeast of Sheffield, Mass., called Shawanon purchase.

He m. about 1782, Anna, dau. of Jesse Dewey, of Amenia, N. Y., and Bennington, b. June 17, 1760; d. March 10, 1829, in her 68th year. Res. Bennington, Vt.

1261. i. NANCY, b. March 14, 1783; d. Oct. 22, 1829.

1262. ii. SOPHIA, b. Feb. 27, 1785; d. July 7, 1841

1263. iii. FANNY, b. Aug. 4, 1787; m. William Seymour, of Bennington; d. January, 1859.

1264. iv. MARTIN, b. May 31, 1789; d. Aug. 14, 1809.

1265. v. BETSEY, b. Dec. 1, 1793; d. July 7, 1841.

1266. vi. ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 22, 1797; d in Burlington, Vt., April, 1877.

648. DOCTOR LEVI FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Northfield, Mass., April 25, 1755. He was a physician, a Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Peter Proctor's company, Col. Israel Williams' regiment, from July 10 to Aug. 12, 1777; in Capt. Samuel Merriman's company, Col. Israel Williams' regiment at Claverack, from Oct. 15 to Nov. 21, 1779. He m. ——.

Field, Levi. Private, Capt. Peter Proctor's company, Lieut. Col. Williams' regiment; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 month 9 days, travel included; company marched to reinforce Northern army; also sergeant, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) company, Col. Israel Chapin's (3d) regiment; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, 1 month 14 days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

649. ASA FIELD (Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 9, 1757; m. 1783, Anna Diggins, of East Windsor, Conn. He was b. in Northfield, Mass.; settled in 1781 in Wethersfield, Vt.; in 1790 removed to Pawlet, Vt.; in 1811 to Lancaster, Erie county, N. Y., where he d. Dec. 6, 1831. A Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Samuel Merriman's company, Col. Israel Chapin's regiment., at Claverack, from Oct. 15 to Nov. 21, 1779. He was a very useful man in Pawlet, being liberal in support of the gospel and holding various town offices. Anna Diggins, of East Windsor, Conn., b. May 9, 1764; d. April 14, 1829.

Field, Asa. Private, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) company, Col. Israel Chapin's (3d) regiment; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, 1 month, 14 days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

He d. Dec. 6, 1831, in Lancaster, N. Y. Res. Weathersfield, Vt.

1267. i. ANNE, b. May 9, 1784; m. Jan. 31, 1804, Hon. Phinehas Strong, son of Return Strong, of Pawlet, Vt., and Hannah Harman. He was b. Oct. 14, 1781; was a trader and extensive operator in marble, potash, butter, cheese and cattle, living at Pawlet and making New York and Philadelphia his business points. He was early in life a farmer; was several times a member of the Vermont Legislature; he was a genial, friendly man; d. May 7, 1839. She d. Oct. 5, 1851, at Utica, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Justin Smith, b. April 4, 1806; d. unm. at Fort Plain, N. Y., May 18, 1833, burnt to death in an attempt to save property at the burning of a hotel in the place. 2. Rollin Field, b. Feb. 18, 1808; graduated Middlebury College in 1828; studied law with Judge Isaac McConihe, of Troy, N. Y., and practised in Middleport, N. Y., where he d. unm. Feb. 14, 1835. 3. Martin Dewey, b. Dec. 23, 1809; m. Aug. 19, 1835, Betsey Shepherd Fitch, b. Oct. 11, 1815, dau. of Dorastus, of Pawlet, Vt.; d. Oct. 31, 1839; m., 2d, Feb. 24, 1841, Delia Maria Short, b. May 14, 1818, dau. of Joseph, of Granville, N. Y. Hon. Martin Dewey Strong was a merchant for twenty-one years in Pawlet, 1833-54. Since then he resided in Michigan, where he was probate judge of Calhoun county, and late cashier of the National Bank of Michigan at Marshall, Mich. He resided in Battle Creek, and d. 1879. Ch.: (a) Charles Wallace, b. July 8, 1836; d. March 13, 1858. (b) James Augustus, b. April 2, 1838; enlisted in Chicago in April, 1861, in Barker's Dragoons; reenlisted in Second Michigan Cavalry, and later in Eighth Michigan Cavalry, of which he was major; m. Louise ——; res. Chicago; was connected with the Tribune. (c) Mary Elizabeth, b. June 11, 1842; d. Oct. 11, 1843. (d) Julia, b. Dec. 10, 1844. (e) Henry Martyn, b. Aug. 13, 1847; res. Battle Creek, Mich. (f) George Frederick, b. Oct. 4, 1858. 4. Gustavus Adolphus Strong, b. March 12, 1812; early went to sea and nothing further heard of him. 5. Return George Strong, b. March 16, 1814; d. unm. in Mexican war, July 8, 1848. 6. John Wales Strong, b. Sept. 10, 1815; m. May 15, 1860, Margarette Jeanette Knox, b. London, England, Feb. 22, 1820, a lineal descendant of the celebrated John Knox. He was graduated at Norwich University, Vt.; res. Cincinnati, Ohio; a teacher. 7. Phinehas Harmon Strong, b. Aug. 16, 1817; studied medicine at Castleton, Vt.,

and Albany, N. Y., graduating in 1839; practised in Pawlet for seven years, and after 1846 in Buffalo, N. Y. In 1869 was appointed professor in the medical department in Howard University, Washington, D. C.; was a deacon in the Presbyterian church in Buffalo, N. Y.; m. Sept. 4, 1844, Eliza Ann Andrus, of Pawlet, b. July 15, 1823; d. June 22, 1869; m., 2d, Mrs. Kate Edgerton Allen; she d. in Buffalo in 1890. Ch.: (a) Anna Hawley, b. Dec. 9, 1845; m. W. J. Mann; res. Buffalo. (b) Rollin McDaniels, b. Aug. 18, 1847; d. June 24, 1848. (c) Mary Landie, b. Jan. 13, 1850; d. Jan. 11, 1857. (d) Rollin Field, b. June 5, 1852; m. and res. in Buffalo. (e) Catherine Maria Ingersoll, b. Dec. 17, 1858; d. Aug. 24, 1859. (f) William James, b. July 4, 1860; m. and res. in Buffalo. (g) Irving Edward, b. April 13, 1862. (h) Parker Jones, b. Nov. 14, 1864; d. Sept. 14, 1865. 8. Anne Field, b. Oct. 22, 1819; m. Sept. 16, 1845, Prof. William Franklin Bascom, b. Jan. 17, 1817, son of Artemedorus Bascom and Chloe (Hubbard). He was graduated at Middlebury College in 1838; tutor there for six years; also taught at Potsdam, N. Y., and later returned to Middlebury, where he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1855 and practised there; was a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1856, and State's attorney for four years; in February, 1863, he opened a claim agency for the United States Sanitary Commission at Washington, and Oct. 1, 1865, was appointed general agent for the army and navy claim agency of the Commission, and held the office until the agency was closed in 1867. Later he was professor of Latin and Greek in the Howard University at Washington. Ch.: (a) William James Bascom, b. May 11, 1847; d. Jan. 14, 1853. (b) Edith Maud Bascom, b. Nov. 4, 1849; m. May 1, 1873, Dr. Joseph Taber Johnson, 924 Farragut Square, Washington, D. C. (c) Gertrude Bascom, b. May 19, 1855; m. Nov. 25, 1880, Charles Carlyle Darwin, librarian United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C. Charles Carlyle Darwin, son of Charles Ben Darwin and Mary Abigail Platt (b. at Milford, Conn.), was b. at Paris, Tenn., Jan. 27, 1848. Prepared for college by his parents, he entered Oberlin College, Ohio, and graduated at the head of his class in 1868, when twenty years old. He removed to New York for further study and preparation, and afterwards entered the library of Congress in 1872, remaining there ten years. He m. Gertrude Bascom (dau. of William Franklin Bascom and Anne Field Strong), Nov. 25, 1880, at Shenford, Ransom county, N. D., then Dakota Territory. In 1882, he was asked to take in charge the formation of a library for the United States Geological Survey. He therefore resigned from the library of Congress and began work in the Survey library. His knowledge of all languages has enabled him to build up for the Geological Survey a rare scientific library by exchanges with the best foreign libraries and scientific societies. It is said to be the finest of its kind in the country, if not in the world, and numbers about 160,000 books, maps and pamphlets. Mrs. Gertrude Bascom Darwin was educated chiefly at home until 1874, when she entered Vassar College. She graduated there in 1878, and is a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society.

After graduation she spent some time in Europe studying painting. Ch.: Charles Bascom Darwin, b. April 18, 1882; Ruth Darwin, b. Feb. 5, 1884; Mary Darwin, b. Jan. 3, 1888; Gertrude Darwin, b. March 7, 1890. Mrs. Darwin is No. 168 among the charter members of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, now numbering about 32,000 women. In 1897 she was elected librarian general of that society, and was re-elected in 1898. In 1899 she was elected to be treasurer general for two years, which office she now holds. (d) Franklin Bascom, b. Dec. 23, 1856; d. Aug. 14, 1857. (e) Ruth Bascom, b. April 27, 1858; d. June 12, 1859. 9. Guy Chandler, b. Jan. 22, 1822; he was graduated at Middlebury College in 1847 and at the Union Theological Seminary in New York in 1850. He was b. nearly blind, with cataract in his eyes, and always had to overcome the difficulty of very imperfect vision, both as a student and a preacher. He m. at Fort Covington, N. Y., Oct. 22, 1851, Fanny Erwin, b. 1822; d. July 8, 1853; m., 2d, Sept. 19, 1853, Mary Jane Roberts, b. Sept. 22, 1832. He was supply at Moira, N. Y., for nearly three years, and for about four years at Grandville, Mich. From 1860 he was settled at New Boston, Mich., as pastor of the Congregational church. Ch.: (a) Phinehas Lawrence, b. March 16, 1853; d. soon. (b) Jenny Mary, b. April 8, 1856. (c) Ralph Wheeler, b. Nov. 26, 1857. (d) William James, b. July 29, 1854. William removed to Michigan when a small boy; high school education at Ionia, Mich.; studied law at Paxton, Ford county, Ill.; admitted to the bar by the Supreme Court of Illinois in June, 1879; went immediately to Kansas City, Mo., and commenced practice of his profession; was elected city attorney of Kansas City, Mo., April, 1881; re-elected April, 1882; m. Frances Warren Goodell in September, 1882, dau. of Hon. Addison Goodell, of Loda, Ill.; continued practice of his profession at Kansas City, Mo., until Feb., 1891, when he went to Nicaragua and Costa Rica as confidential attorney and agent of a syndicate for which he obtained a valuable land grant from the Government of Nicaragua; formed partnership with Wm. K. Carlisle, son of Hon. John G. Carlisle, in 1893, and commenced practice of law in Chicago; among celebrated cases he has tried are the blacklist conspiracy cases against the combined railroads of the United States, and the case of John M. Maxwell vs. Nat. C. Goodwin, for piracy of the play "Congress." Always Republican in politics until 1896, when he supported Wm. J. Bryan for President, being chosen by the democratic committee to deliver the address of welcome to Mr. Bryan at the opening of the campaign Aug. 8, 1896. Being an ardent bi-metallist, he wrote a pamphlet on the money question entitled "The Dollar We Promised to Pay," which had a circulation of over one million during the campaign of 1896; also wrote the leading article published in the Arena for March, 1899, entitled "Blacklisting the New Slavery," which the editor of the Arena said editorially in the May number attracted more attention than any article ever published in the Arena. Strong advocate and believer in public ownership of all public utilities, and

thinks private corporations for carrying on any mercantile or manufacturing business should be absolutely prohibited by law. Accomplished musician, which is his chief recreation.

1268. ii. JESSE, b. Dec. 27, 1802; m. Harriet A. Wakelee.

1269. iii. SOPHIA, b. May 30, 1785; m. Sept. 17, 1814, Jedediah D. Commins; she d. Akron, Ohio, Feb. 11, 1865. He was b. July 7, 1790, in Charlotte, Vt.; in 1832 he moved to Akron, Ohio; he was the earliest druggist to settle in that county; he was during all the years of his life there a leading townsman of Akron, acquiring there great prominence; he left one son, Alexander H. Commins, a prominent citizen of the place, b. June 21, 1815; m. 1860, Addie H. Stark, b. Feb. 8, 1836; d. June 29, 1884; she d. Aug. 17, 1880. Ch.: 1. Cora C. Commins, b. July 14, 1862; m. April 18, 1894, Chas. W. Hollister; now lives in Pasadena, Cal. 2. Augusta Commins, b. July 16, 1861; d. Sept. 7, 1861. 3. Kittie C., b. April 13, 1866; m. June 21, 1887, —— Smithers; res. Akron, Ohio. 4. Gertrude P. Commins, b. June 15, 1868, now living at 8 East 46th street, New York city. 5. Addie C. Commins, b. Oct. 20, 1869; m. Sept. 12, 1895, Fred M. Shiras, now living in Ottawa, Kan. 6. Daisy C. Commins, b. Mar. 31, 1871; m. April 29, 1898, Elias L. Toy, now living in Akron, Ohio. 7. Augustus J. Commins, banker, Akron, Ohio, b. Feb. 6, 1875. 8. Alexander H. Commins, b. Akron, Ohio, Nov. 19, 1872; he is a lawyer, unm; res. Akron.

1270. iv. POLLY, b. Aug. 12, 1787; d. Dec. 20, 1793.

1271. v. BETSEY, b. May 12, 1789; d. Dec. 16, 1793.

1272. vi. ASA, b. March 7, 1791; d. Dec. 21, 1793.

1273. vii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 17, 1792; m. ——.

1274. viii. ASA, b. Aug. 13, 1794; m. Betsey Cady and Mary A. C. Cady.

1275. ix. POLLY, b. June 25, 1796; d. Jan. 13, 1814.

1276. x. OLIVER, b. Sept. 17, 1798; res. Lancaster, N. Y.

1277. xi. BETSEY, b. Dec. 7, 1800; m. March 1, 1827, Dr. H. H. Bissell, of Clarence and Buffalo; son is L. F. Bissell, 127 West 78th street, New York city.

1278. xii. CHARLES BOWEN, b. May 8, 1805; d. July 25, 1806.

1279. xiii. CHARLES BOWEN, b. Aug. 28, 1807; went with his father in 1811 to Lancaster, N. Y.; later removed to New York city; d. 1865.

1280. xiv. MARTIN DIGGINS, b. July 16, 1813; res. Buffalo.

651. SILAS FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 16, 1747; m. Aug. 16, 1773, Azubah Root; d. April 20, 1774, b. in Northfield, Mass.; always resided there. His wife Azubah, was dau. of Samuel and Mary (Alexander) Root, of Northfield, b. March 8, 1741. He d. Nov. 20, 1773. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1281. i. AZUBAH ROOT, b. Mar. 25, 1774; posthumous; m. April 4, 1794, Gilbert Stacy. He was a ferryman; d. in Gill, March 23, 1813. She d. Feb. 11, 1843. Ch.: 1. Silas F., b. Sept. 10, 1796. 2. Sally B., b. March 25, 1800; d. July, 1803. 3. Charles, b. May 10, 1802; d. May 12, 1833. 4. Harrison G., b. July 9, 1804. 5. Marianne, b. July 26, 1806; m. Abidale Mattoon. 6. Harriet, b. May 1, 1809. 7. Almira, b. Sept. 27, 1812; m. Rev. C. Hayward.

1282. ii. BOY, b. March 25, 1774, posthumous; d. same day.

654. CAPTAIN SAMUEL FIELD (Samuel, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., March 3, 1755; m. May 14, 1776, Elizabeth Mattoon, dau. of Samuel, b. Feb. 15, 1760; d. Aug. 23, 1838. Was an adjutant in the Revolutionary war. Born in Northfield, Mass.; d. there. A Revolutionary soldier in Captain Leonard's company, Colonel Shepherd's regiment, at Ticonderoga, from May 1 to Dec. 31, 1779; afterward promoted to adjutant. He m. Elizabeth, dau. of Dr. Samuel and Abigail (Bardwell) Mattoon, of Northfield. Elizabeth, of Northfield, April 20, 1838, aged seventy-eight, made declaration before judge of probate to obtain benefit of act of Congress passed July 4, 1836, i. e., "she is widow of Samuel Field, who served in war of Revolution, and received pension; was m. to said Samuel, May 14, 1776; said Samuel d. May 30, 1837, and that she has remained widow since." He d. May 30, 1837. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1283. i. RHODA, b. May 17, 1777; d. unm. Jan. 13, 1852.
1284. ii. SILAS, b. April 12, 1779; m. Ruth B. Faxon.
1285. iii. ELISHA, b. Jan. 28, 1781; m. Miriam Hancock.
1286. iv. CALEB, b. Dec. 8, 1782; went to Georgia.
1287. v. JUSTIN, b. Dec. 22, 1784; m. Harriet Powers.
1288. vi. BETSEY, b. Jan. 14, 1787; d. July 20, 1787.
1289. vii. BETSEY, b. July 12, 1788; d. Jan. 26, 1796.
1290. viii. FANNY, b. Sept. 26, 1790; m. Dec. 31, 1812, Isaac Gregory, of Northfield; was a farmer.
1291. ix. SAMUEL, b. Nov. 2, 1792; m. Martha Bagnell. They went to Georgia.
1292. x. SUBMIT, b. Nov. 6, 1794; m. Oct. 13, 1825, Capt. Samuel Hunt, bap. Aug. 23, 1772; d. Nov. 29, 1832; m., 2d, Hon. Samuel C. Allen, Jr. Res. Northfield. She d. March 5, 1856. Ch. by Hunt: 1. Martha P., b. April 29, 1828; d. unm., Aug. 16, 1861. Allen was a farmer; was a representative in the legislature from Northfield; removed to East Boston, where he was postmaster at his death, April 7, 1860.
1293. xi. BETSEY, b. Jan. 26, 1797; d. unm. Nov. 28, 1851.
1294. xii. TIMOTHY, b. Aug. 18, 1799; m. September, 1838, Louisa, dau. of Obadiah and Sophia (Pomeroy) Dickinson, of Northfield, b. Dec. 10, 1807; d. Nov. 8, 1848; no issue.

Timothy, Northfield, 1887; d. Nov. 1, 1887; no widow. Joseph W. Field, of Weston, child of deceased brother Silas, administrator. Makes bequests to Thomas B. Field, of Amherst, Mass.; Benj. F. Field, of Boston, Mass.; Susan H Cushing, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mary P. Mattoon, of Clinton, Mass., and Henry and Miranda Williams, of Boston.—Franklin County Probate.

1295. xiii. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 11, 1802.
1296. xiv. MARY, b. June 10, 1808; d. June 13, 1808.

657. DOCTOR SPENCER FIELD (Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Sept. 26, 1754; m. Sept. 28, 1776, Betty Frink. He was b. in Northfield, Mass.; graduated at college; a physician. He settled in Oakham, Mass., where he was unfortunately killed by being run against in the early evening, while on his way to visit a sick lady, by two men named Bullard and Hagar, who were returning from a muster at New Braintree, riding at great speed, throwing him from his horse, although he had turned out nearly into the ditch, hitting his head against a large rock by the

side of the road, breaking his skull, from which injury he survived but a short time. He was a celebrated physician, and a man highly esteemed by his townsmen, who honored him with many town offices. His death was deeply deplored, and a mark placed where the accident occurred was standing until a few years since, but has now fallen to decay. The house which he built and in which he resided is now (1900) still standing and in good repair. He m. Betsey, dau. of Dr. John Frink, of Rutland, Mass. She m., 2d, —— Locke, Esq., of Ashby. She is said to have been a very lovely and genteel woman, charitable to the poor. On the spot where he was killed his townsmen erected a wooden monument, on which were these words:

Stop Passengers.
Behold this fatal rock.
Here from the wound
The crimson blood did flow
Here Dr. Field rec'd his fatal shock
That hastened death
And proved his overthrow.

Field, Spencer, Rutland. Official record of a ballot by the House of Representatives, dated Jan. 23, 1776, of officers chosen to command the six regiments raised to serve before Boston until April 1, 1776; said Field chosen surgeon's mate, Col. Josiah Whitney's Worcester county regiment; appointment concurred in by council Jan. 23, 1776.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Spencer Field, late of Oakham, 1801; will, wife, Betty; daughters, Betsey Beard, Isabel Field; son John executor; a physician. Nathaniel Paine, judge of Probate.

He d. Nov. 11, 1801. Res. Brookfield and Oakham, Mass.

1297. i. JANE DAY, b. Sept. 14, 1776.

1298. ii. JOHN, b. Nov. 3, 1777; m. Phebe Bowman.

1299. iii. BETSEY, b. 1779; m. Oct. 5, 1798, Dr. Daniel Beard, of Bridgeport, Conn. She d. October 26, 1833, in Norwalk, Connecticut. Dr. Daniel Beard was b. in 1767; d. in Stratford, Connecticut, Oct. 26, 1815; practiced in West Brookfield, Mass., in Trumbull, Conn., and Stratford, Conn., where he died. Ch.: 1. Algernon Edwin Beard, b. Oakham, Mass., June 11, 1801; m. May 7, 1828, Mary Esther Mallory, b. June 26, 1804; d. Oct. 10, 1857. He was a manufacturer and d. May 27, 1870. Her mother was of the Governor Seymour family; she d. Oct. 10, 1857. Upon his marriage he settled in Norwalk and engaged in manufacturing. He represented the town in the state legislature several years in succession, and was prominent in various public enterprises. He was president of the Fairfield County bank, of Norwalk. He d. May 27, 1870, aged sixty-nine. Ch.: (a) Edwin Lewis Beard, d. Feb. 9, 1829. (b) Isabella Francis Beard, m. James Nale; d. February, 1899. (c) Harriet Elizabeth Beard, d. April 9, 1889. (d) Edward Beard. (e) Augustus Field, b. May 11, 1833; m. Aug. 19, 1861, Eliza Payson Goddard; d. Jan. 27, 1863; m., 2d, Jan. 2, 1865, Annie Deming Barker. He is a clergyman and at present corresponding secretary of the American Missionary Society. He graduated (A. B.) Yale College, 1857; (B. D.) Union Theological Seminary, New York, 1860; took degree A. M. Yale 1860; was married to Eliza Payson Goddard, of Cape Elizabeth, Me., Aug. 19, 1861, who d. Jan. 27, 1863, leaving a daughter, Eliza Isabel Beard, b. in 1862; was pastor of Central church (Congregational), Bath, Me., from 1863 to 1869; m. 2d. to Miss Annie Deming

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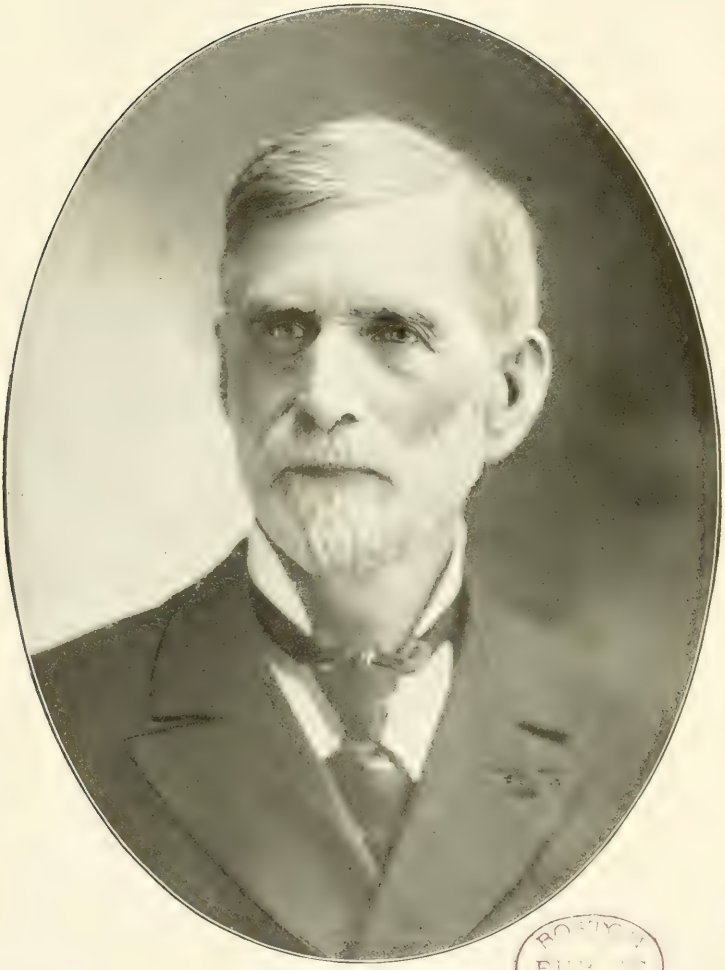

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Barker, of Calais, Me., Jan. 2, 1865; called to Plymouth church (Congregational), Syracuse, N. Y., in 1869; accepted and continued pastor there until fourteen years ago. During this time was also president of the New York State Home Missionary Society. He was called, in 1862, to the pastorate of the American Chapel, in Paris, France, also to be foreign secretary of the American and Foreign Christian Union for Protestant evangelization; was director in the McAll Missionary Society. In 1885 accepted call to the corresponding secretaryship of the American Missionary Association, which has schools, colleges and churches among the whites and blacks of the South under its care; also schools and churches among the N. A. Indians, and now in Alaska and Porto Rico. He has at present charge of educational work in the South and in Porto Rico. At the present time is a Fellow of Yale University and member of the Yale University corporation. He is also a trustee of Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn.; Straight University, New Orleans, La.; Tongaloo University, Tongaloo, Miss.; Howard University, Washington, D. C., and Talladega College, Talladega, Ala. Has written pamphlets upon Protestantism in France (republished in France) and upon educational and missionary topics. Res. 179 East Ave., Norwalk, Conn. Ch.: i. Eliza Goddard Beard. ii. Annie Beatrice Beard. iii. Mary Esther Beard. iv. Harriet Elizabeth Beard. v. Ethel Forrest Beard; d. vi. Emma Patten Beard. 2. Rev. Spencer Field Beard, the eldest son of Dr. Daniel Beard and Betsey Field, of Oakham, Mass., was born in West Brookfield, Mass., July 4, 1799; fitted for college at Stratford and Bridgeport, Conn., and entered Yale, but owing to ill health suspended study for a time; afterward entered Amherst, where he graduated in 1824. Graduated from Andover Theological Seminary in 1827. For two years thereafter he was an agent of the A. B. C. F. M., laboring principally in Massachusetts. He was pastor of the Congregational church in Methuen, Mass., 1829 to 1832; stated supply at Norton, Mass., 1832 to 1836; Greenville, Conn., 1836 to 1837; pastor at Montville, Conn., 1836 to 1846; stated supply at East Falmouth, Mass., 1848 to 1853; resided thereafter at Andover, Mass. July 26, 1831, he married Lucy Allen Leonard, of Paxton, Mass., dau. of Jonas Leonard, b. at Bridgewater, Mass., Feb. 10, 1767; d. at Oakham, Mass., April 18, 1812; and Chloe Allen, b. (I think at Bridgewater, Mass.) 1779, and d. in Paxton, Mass., Dec. 4, 1857. After the death of Jonas Leonard she m. Oct. 17, 1813, Rev. Gaius Conant, of Paxton, Mass. She d. in Montville, Conn., May 23, 1842, leaving three sons and a daughter. Mr. Beard m., 2d, Mary Ann Fellowes, of Montville, Conn., May 4, 1843, at the home of her brother, Hon. Francis Fellowes, of Hartford, Conn. She was a daughter of Dr. Ephraim Fellowes, of Montville; b. March 18, 1808; d. Oct. 4, 1891, at Andover, Mass. There were no children by this marriage. Mr. Beard d. at Andover, Mass., Jan. 8, 1876. The children of Spencer Field Beard are: (a) Edwin Spencer Beard, b. at Methuen, Mass., May 15, 1832; d. at Brooklyn, Conn , Dec. 25, 1891. He graduated at Phillips Academy, An-

dover, Mass., in 1855; studied two years at Amherst; graduated at Yale in 1859 and at Andover Seminary in 1862; ordained to preach at Riverhead, L. I., April 2, 1863; preached at the Presbyterian church, East Hampton, L. I., 1863-4; pastor at Warren, Me., 1864 to 1873; at Brooklyn, Conn., 1873, till death. He m. Mary Emma Bard, of Brooklyn, Conn., June 2, 1884. She d. Oct. 29, 1895, at Brooklyn. There were no children. (b) Susan Huntington Beard, b. Feb. 15, 1834, at Norton, Mass. She m. William Augustus Conrith, of Bridgehampton, L. I., at New York City, Aug. 2, 1860. Both are still living. Ch.: i. Anabel Jerusha Conrith, b. at Bridge Hampton, L. I., Aug. 15, 1861. ii. Eliza Miller Conrith, b. at same place, Sept. 23, 1862; d. in infancy. iii. William Spencer Conrith. iv. Lucy Miller, b. at same place, Feb. 14, 1866. William Spencer d. in infancy, six months old. v. Cornelia Edgar Conrith, b. at same place, March 19, 1870; all unm. (c) William Henry Beard, b. at Norton, Mass., April 1, 1836, d. at South Killingly, Conn., Oct. 2, 1896; graduated at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass.; did not go to college; at Union Theological Seminary, in New York City, in 1865; resident licentiate at Andover Seminary in 1866; ordained Nov. 19, 1867; acting pastor Freedom, Me., in 1866-69; Harwich, Mass., 1869-71; Wilton, Me., 1872; South Killingly, Conn., 1873 till death. He m. June 10, 1869, Mary Adelaide Parker, of Montville, Conn., dau. of Abishai Alden and Caroline (Fellows—dau. also of Ephraim Fellows) Parker. She was b. in Montville, Conn., Aug. 20, 1842. Ch.: i. William Spencer Beard, b. at South Killingly, Conn., June 9, 1870; graduated at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., 1890; Yale College, 1894; Yale Theological Seminary, 1897; ordained at Durham, N. H., Sept. 28, 1897; stated supply at Worcester, Conn., April and September, 1895; at South Killingly, Conn., October, 1896; June, 1897; pastor at Durham, N. H., July, 1897. ii. Edward Chester Beard, b. at South Killingly, Conn., July 11, 1874; graduated at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., 1894; entered Yale '97 S , but left next April on account of illness. Is now in business at 91 Bedford St., Boston. iii. Morris Lyon Beard, b. Jan. 26, 1884; at South Killingly, Conn., Phillips Academy, Exeter, N H., 1902. None of the above are married. (d) George Miller Beard, b. at Montville, Conn., May 8, 1839; d. in New York City, Jan. 23, 1883; graduated at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., 1858; at Yale College, 1862; studied medicine one year at Yale Medical School, and graduated from College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, 1866; was eighteen months, 1863-64, assistant surgeon on gunboat, New London, in Western Gulf Pickading squadron; returned to New York City and became specialist in nervous diseases and electro-therapeutics. (See Encyclopedia for list of works.) He m. on Dec. 25, 1866, Elizabeth Ann Alden, dau. of William Alden, of Westville, Conn.; b. 1838. She d. in New York City, Jan. 31, 1883. Ch.: i. Edith May Beard, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 7, 1873; d. in infancy. ii. Grace Alden Beard, b. at Westville, Conn., Sept. 28, 1874. Her home is with her grandmother, Mrs. William Alden, Westville, Conn; graduated from Vassar in 1895 with high honor.

She is now teaching in Rome, N. Y. 3. John Fink Beard, b. March 6, 1803; d. July 8, 1888; m. Lois Ann Wildman, June 12, 1826. She d. Jan. 12, 1880. He d. July 8, 1888. Ch.: (a) Edwin Wildman Beard, b. June 24, 1827; d. Aug. 8, 1843; unm. (b) William Spencer Beard, b. April 1, 1826; d. Oct. 3, 1848; unm. (c) Martha Maria Beard, b. Feb. 21, 1833; m. Philip W. Sommers, Feb. 4, 1858. Ch.: i. George Farnum Sommers, b. Dec. 19, 1858; d. April 7, 1859. ii. Annie Weldon Sommers, b. April 27, 1869; m. Charles W. Dunn, of Galesburg, July 2, 1885. Ch.: 1. Theodore Sommers Dunn, b. June 22, 1886. 2. Charles F. Dunn, b. April 6, 1890. 3. Martha Angeline Dunn, b. June, 1892. 4. Emma Cornelia Dunn, b. Feb. 14, 1894. 5. Harold Dunn, b. ——; d. ——. iii. William Beard Sommers, b. Aug. 30, 1863; living; unm. (d) John Pason Beard, b. March 21, 1836; m. May 9, 1861, Susan Higby; living; no children. (e) Mary Ann Beard, b. Sept. 16, 1839; m. Samuel Closson Holley, Oct. 6, 1858; d. Oct. 28, 1897. Ch.: i. Harriet Beard Holley, b. Sept. 10, 1861, m. Sept. 13, 1892, Harry Robert Williams, of Hartford, Conn. Res. 836 Prospect Ave. Ch.: 1. Beatrice Holley Williams, b. July 21, 1893. 2. Lois Paulding Williams, b. Aug. 16, 1895. 3. Elizabeth Wolcott Williams, b. Oct. 30, 1896; all living. ii. Mary Louise Holley, b. Nov. 29, 1863; m. George Raymond Tweedy, May 24, 1888. Ch.: 1. Raymond Holley Tweedy, b. Sept. 3, 1889. 2. Margery Beard Tweedy, b. April 18, 1892; all living. Res. 160 Deer Hill Ave., Danbury, Conn. iii. Alfred Wildman Holley, b. Aug. 31, 1865; m. Jennie Perry Robinson, June 3, 1895. Ch.: 1. Mary Beard Holley, b. Dec. 2, 1896. Res. 8 Terrace Place, Danbury, Conn. (f) James Bradley Beard, b. April 30, 1842; m. Julia M. Dodge, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, Sept. 29, 1868. Ch.: i. Edwin Spencer Beard. ii. Greenville Dodge Beard; both unm. 4. Elizabeth Field, b. March 8, 1805; m. Sept. 29, 1829, William B. Wildman, of Danbury, Conn. He was b. Dec. 8, 1797; d. Jan. 15, 1859. She d. Dec. 15, 1842. Ch.: (a) Isabella Beard Wildman, b. Oct. 15, 1831; m. Oct. 3, 1853, Morris W. Lynn, of Fairfield, Conn; is still living; no children. (b) John William Wildman, b. Aug. 8, 1834; m. Nov. 22, 1865, Alice L. Rockwell, of Ogdensburg, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Isabell L. Wildman, b. July 30, 1868. All living. (c) Alfred Nirum Wildman, b. Dec. 21, 1838; m. Dec. 19, 1867, Ellen Watkins Dellicker. Ch.: 1. Leonard Dellicker Wildman, b. Oct. 12, 1868. Res. Danbury, Conn. He is president of the National Pohquioque bank. 5. Catharine Jane Beard, b. Jan. 11, 1808; d. Jan. 1, 1885; m. Oct. 5, 1831, Levi Hopkins, of Hebron, N. Y. She d. Jan. 1, 1885. Levi Hopkins, her husband, was b. April 19, 1807; d. Dec. 2, 1874. Ch.: (a) Mary E. Hopkins, b. Jan. 15, 1835; m. Feb. 26, 1856, Samuel Chapman, Jr., M. D., of Saratoga county, New York. He was b. Aug. 29, 1825; d. June 19, 1876. He was a graduate of Union College and Albany Medical College. For many years prior to his decease he was a ruling elder in the Presbyterian church of Burlington, N. J. It may also be of interest to note that Dr. Chapman was a lineal descendant of Robert Chapman, of the original settlers of Saybrook, Conn. Ch.: i. Samuel

Spencer, b. Feb. 5, 1857; m. Dec. 19, 1889, Elizabeth Ireton McDonough. Ch.: 1. Jessie Chapman, b. Nov. 17, 1890; d. Nov. 21, 1890. 2. Walter Hopkins Chapman, b. Sept. 13, 1892. ii. Howard H., b. Nov. 3, 1864; d. June 26, 1889. iii. Edwin Hendrie, b. Oct. 20, 1865. iv. Herbert, b. March 9, 1867; d. Aug. 13, 1867. v. Francis, b. Aug. 19, 1869. vi. Sarah and Catherine, b. April 9, 1871. Sarah d. Sept. 22, 1871; Catharine d. Oct. 3, 1871. vii. William E., b. March 6, 1873. Samuel Spencer Chapman, Francis Chapman and William E. Chapman are all members of the Philadelphia bar, all having received the degree of LL. B. from the University of Pennsylvania. S. Spencer Chapman and Francis Chapman are attorneys-at-law, at 1001 Chestnut Street, rooms 515 and 516, Philadelphia, Pa. (b) Levi Hopkins, Jr., b Aug. 15, 1837; d. Oct. 4, 1837. 6. Isabella Maria Beard, b. June 20, 1810; d. about 1827. 7. William Otis Beard, b. Aug. 22, 1812; d. June 24, 1866, at Philadelphia, Pa. 8. Mary Ann Beard, b. March 10, 1816; m. Charles Hendric; d. November, 1850.

1300. iv. ISABELLA, b. 1781; m. —— Grey, of Salem, N. Y.

659. WALTER FIELD (Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 24, 1758; m. in 1782, Piana Pettee, b. June 16, 1762; d. May 21, 1800. She was dau. of Reuben and Lydia.

Walter, of Northfield, Aug. 11, 1817; widow Piana Field. Children, Gratia, minor, above fourteen years; Walter and Eloisa, minors, under fourteen years; grand-daughter Lucretia Field, minor, under fourteen years, dau. of James D. Janes.—Franklin County Probate. He d. May 4, 1817. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1301. i. NANCY, b. July 14, 1783; m. Sept. 13, 1810, Levi Stoddard, of Brattleboro. She d. Dec. 26, 1839.

1302. ii. PAUL, b. Jan. 22, 1785; d. Sept. 28, 1810.

1303. iii. ROXANNA, b. July 2, 1787; m. Oct. 28, 1807, James D. Janes. He was son of Ebenezer, b. 1782; d. Aug. 30, 1829. She d. Nov. 5, 1810. Ch.: 1. Lucretia F., b. Dec. 17, 1808; m. Daniel L. Callender. 2. Roxanna, b. Sept. 28, 1810; d. March 20, 1811. He m., 2d, Joanna Holton, and had two children.

1304. iv. PHILINDA, b. Sept. 18, 1789; d. unm. June 22, 1813.

1305. v. ERASTUS, b. Dec. 24, 1791; m. Hannah Callender.

1306. vi. SARAH, b. Dec. 4, 1793; d. Oct. 23, 1794.

1307. vii. SARAH, b. Sept. 11, 1795; m. Sept. 24, 1821, John G. Mudge, of Winchester. He was son of Joseph and Lois, b. Needham, Mass., Jan. 1, 1791; d. Winchester, N. H., Sept. 20, 1833. He went from Needham to Westminster with his parents when about seven years of age. At the age of thirty he was located at Winchester in trade. He dealt largely in cattle, having extensive pastures in Chesterfield, and accumulated considerable property. Sarah d. Aug. 18, 1829, and he m., 2d, March 15, 1831, Mary Mattoon, who was s. p. Ch.: 1. John Green, Jr., b. March 26, 1823; m. Dec. 7, 1848, Eliza A. Witherell, b. April 1, 1826. After the death of his father he resided with his uncle, Walter Field, in Northfield. Received a liberal education and became a farmer; married and moved to Petersham and engaged in business. He was representative a number of times, and senator for

two years. He was a man of much public spirit, and during the Civil war raised a company of volunteers; received a captain's commission, and served nine months as captain of Company F, Fifty-third regiment; was wounded while in the service. Ch.: (a) Arthur Charles, b. Jan. 1, 1850. (b) Mary Eliza, b. Dec. 7, 1853. (c) Ruth Witherell, b. April 21, 1857. 2. Augustus, b. March 13, 1825; d. Oct. 5, 1827. 3. Mary Augusta, b. Sept. 3, 1827; d. Feb. 3, 1837. 4. Sarah Field, b. June 19, 1829; d. Oct. 7, 1829.

1308. viii. GRATIA, b. March 3, 1798; m. Albro Blodget, of Claremont, N. H.
1309. ix. PIANA, b. April 20, 1800; d. Aug. 15, 1803.
1310. x. ELOISA, b. Sept. 19, 1802; d. Sept. 19, 1803.
1311. xi. WALTER, b. Oct. 22, 1805; m. Mary Holton, Anna Lyman and Lydia J. Smith.
1312. xii. ELOISA PIANA, b. June 4, 1808; m. John Mallord, of Georgia.
1313. xiii. WALTER, b. June 30, 1804; d. July 1, 1804.

663. ZECHARIAH FIELD (Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Sept. 27, 1768; m. Nov. 26, 1789, Abigail Mattoon, dau. of Dr. Samuel, b. Sept. 2, 1769; d. Nov. 13, 1853. He was a thoroughgoing and enterprising business man. Before 1800 he built a mill for the manufacture of castor and linseed oil on Miller's brook, just east of the home lot. In 1814 he removed to Athol, Mass., where he kept a noted tavern, which was favorably known throughout the surrounding country, and Uncle Zach, as he was familiarly called, was sure of his share of custom. He afterward returned to Northfield, where he died. He m. Abigail, dau. of Dr. Samuel and Abigail (Bardwell) Mattoon, of Northfield. His life was an uneventful one. A farmer by occupation, a stalwart representative of the early English colonists, he spent most of his life in Northfield, the place of his nativity, where he died in his ninetieth year, leaving behind him the fragrance of an upright life, and a strong and loving nature. He d. May 9, 1858. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1314. i. SON, b. June 2, 1791; d. same day.
1315. ii. LUCIUS, b. March 29, 1792; m. Lucia Hubbard.
1316. iii. SOPHIA, b. Aug. 12, 1794; m. Sept. 29, 1817, Joseph Young.
1317. iv. CHRISTIAN H., b. Oct. 12, 1796; m. Feb. 19, 1819, James Jones, of Athol.
1318. v. ABIGAIL, b. May 23, 1799; d. unm., Nov. 4, 1863.
1319. vi. CATHERINE, b. Nov. 25, 1801; d. unm., March 3, 1864.
1320. vii. SON, b. March 30, 1804; d. same day.
1321. viii. SPENCER, b. March 31, 1805; d. Sept. 6, 1805.
1322. ix. SPENCER, b. Oct. 8, 1806; m. Clara Humphrey.
1323. x. MARIA, b. Oct. 3, 1808; d. April 10, 1811.
1324. xi. ZECHARIAH, b. June 26, 1811; d. unm., Troy, N. Y., July 22, 1849.
1325. xii. CHARLES, b. June 9, 1815; m. Caroline C. Alden.
1326. xiii. SON, b. June 15, 1813; d. June 16, 1813.

665. DOCTOR HUBBARD FIELD (Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Northfield, Mass., Sept. 20, 1775; he graduated at college, and was a physician; he settled in 1802 in Lyndon, Vt.; he m. —— Abby ——.

1327. i. GEORGE, b. 1825 in Lyndon; m. Louisa Rawson.
1328. ii. DAUGHTER.

668. EBENEZER FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Oct. 11, 1744; m. July 21, 1767, Eunice Wright, dau. of Benoni and Martha (Sheldon), b. Jan. 26, 1752; d. July 6, 1826; he was a soldier in the Revolutionary war. Ebenezer Field, son of Ebenezer and Sarah Mattoon, b. in Northfield, Mass. (set off to Gill in 1805); res. some time in Western; returned to Gill, where he d. in 1811. He was a soldier in the Continental army, one of the company of Minute men, with the rank of corporal; on the Lexington alarm roll; Capt. Reuben Read's company, Col. Jonathan Warner's regiment, which marched April 20 in response to the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Western to Roxbury. He was sergeant in Capt. John Granger's company, Col. Ebenezer Learned's regiment; Oct. 7, 1775, enlisted in Western; he was in Colonel Shepard's regiment from Jan. 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; also from Jan. 1 to April 14, 1780; lieutenant; rolls dated at Providence, Nov. 13, 1778, and May 5, 1771; reported furloughed May 4 for ten days by Colonel Shepard. He m. July 21, 1767, Eunice, dau. of Benoni and Martha (Sheldon) Wright, of Northfield, Mass., b. Jan. 26, 1752; d. July 6, 1826. By occupation, Mr. Field was a farmer; he owned several hundred acres in what is now known as Gill, and was for years known as the richest man in that section. The farm was a fine one, and always under admirable cultivation; it was portioned off to various sons and daughters. The old homestead was years afterward sold. Mr. Field was an excellent townsman, kind, benevolent and much beloved. He and his wife were members of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Josiah Canning's, a prominent minister of their time. Mr. and Mrs. Field had nine children.

Eunice, of Gill, Oct. 10, 1826, recorded, widow, daughter-in-law, wife of Loring S. Field, my own son; grandchildren, sons and daughters of Loring S. Field. Ebenezer Field, filed June 22, 1813, yeoman; wife Eunice; sons, Rodolphus Dwight, Bohan Prentiss, Ebenezer, Asaph W., Loring Sheldon; daughters, Aurelia, Eunice, Gratia, Filena.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. in 1811. Res. Northfield, and Gill, Mass.

1329. i. AURELIA, bap. Oct. 16, 1768; d. Nov. 13, 1768.

1330. ii. RODOLPHUS WRIGHT, bap. Oct. 22, 1769; m. Hannah D. Hollister.

1331. iii. BOHAN PRENTICE, bap. April 26, 1772; d. young.

1332. iv. EBENEZER SERENO, bap. May 7, 1775; m. Amelia Connable.

1333. v. AURELIA, bap. March 11, 1778; m. in 1793, Deacon Elisha Hollister, of Gill. He was b. Sept. 3, 1767, son of Deacon Elisha; he d. in Glastonbury, Conn., Dec. 3, 1833; he studied medicine in the office of his brother-in-law, Dr. Asa Coleman; he settled in Gill and was prominent in his profession. Ch.: 1. Daughter, b. 1794. 2. Perez Graves; m. Oct. 8, 1835, Clarissa R. McKee, dau. of Judge Thomas; four children. 3. Dr. Dwight; res. Bristolville, Ohio. 4 and 5. Bohan and Horace, d. together in childhood and buried in one grave. 6. Chandler Chauncey, b. Aug. 4, 1804; m. Delany Stebbins; d. Dec. 10, 1881; six children. 7. Hiram Strong, b. ——. 8. Charles. 9. Mary Elizabeth, b. Sept. 4, 1810; m. July 4, 1835, Rev. Louis Clark, of Northampton; he d. in Glenville, Ohio, March 5, 1876; was a descendant of Lieut. W. Clark; member of the Methodist Episcopal Conference, Northampton, Mass; she d. in Glenville in 1881; six children.

1334. vi. EUNICE, bap. April 3, 1780; m. Zephaniah Pitts, of Gill, and removed to western New York.

1335. vii. ASAPH WARREN, bap. June 5, 1783; d. unm.

1336. viii. LOREN SHELDON, bap. April 9, 1786; m. Mary Hubbard.

1337. ix. GRATIA, bap. Oct. 11, 1789; d. unm.

1338. x. FILENA, bap. Jan. 7, 1794; m. Leonard Jacobs, of Guilford, Vt., from whom she procured a divorce, and m. John Warner, of Greenfield.

1339. xi. BOHAN PRENTICE, b. May 23, 1773; m. Abigail Davis.

670. ABNER FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., May 27, 1750; m. Dec. 17, 1776, Mary Mattoon, dau. of Dr. Samuel and Abigail (Bardwell), b. Feb. 9, 1762; d. Dec. 19, 1840.

Abner of Northfield, insolvent intestate, Aug. 24, 1832, administratrix, widow Mary Field; children, Ebenezer Field and Polly H. Alexander.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. July 17, 1832; res. Northfield, Mass.

1340. i. GEORGE P., b. April 10, 1779; d. March 23, 1794.

1341. ii. TIRZA PHILENA, b. April 6, 1781; m. April 4, 1816, Caleb Lyman, of Northampton, b. Aug. 7, 1750; d. Aug. 18, 1822; m., 2d, John Huntington. Lyman was a hatter by trade; was deputy sheriff at Northampton, Mass., for forty years; he d. s. p. by Tirza, Aug. 18, 1822; Huntington was of Sudbury.

1342. iii. POLLY H., b. April 2, 1783; m. May 31, 1804, Major Elijah Alexander. He was b. Sept. 9, 1780, son of Elisha; was a major and blacksmith; d. April 7, 1854. She d. May 21, 1848. Res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Harriet, b. Dec. 31, 1806; m. Charles Field. 2. George, b. May 8, 1808; m. Eliza Colton. 3. Charles, b. June 17, 1810; m. Amanda Colton. 4. Elijah, b. April 12, 1812; went south. 5. Arad, b. Feb. 14, 1814; m. Adelpha Davis and Mary Thompson. 6. Sally E., b. April 23, 1815; m. Hopkins Wood. 7. Sophia, b. Nov. 17, 1817; m. Noah Moody. 8. Fanny, b. May 30, 1820; m. Chauncey Merriam. 9. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 31, 1823; m. Elijah Howe. 10. Isabella P., b. March 18, 1826; d. Aug. 16, 1831.

1343. iv. CHARLES L., b. March 1, 1785; he settled in 1800 in Bridgeport, Vt., where he m. and moved to New York State, and d. s. p.

1344. v. SALLY E., b. March 2, 1786; d. unm. May 7, 1812.

1345. vi. ROSWELL, b. July 17, 1788; d. Dec. 24, 1788.

1346. vii. ROSWELL, b. Dec. 1, 1789; m. Peace Cook.

1347. viii. LUCY, b. Feb. 1, 1792; m. March 11, 1813, Henry Lyman. He was son of James, b. Dec. 18, 1787; removed to Hartland, Wis., and d. there June 24, 1845. Ch.: 1. Senah, b. Jan. 8, 1814; m. Albert Field. 2. Henry, b. Aug. 19, 1816; m. —— Morgan. 3. George, b. Jan. 24, 1819. 4. Lucy, b. March 16, 1821. 5. Marilla, b. Oct. 30, 1822. 6. Mary A., b. Nov. 22, 1824; d. unm. 7. John F., b. Nov. 2, 1826. 8. Abner F., b. March 8, 1829. 9. Waldo F., b. July 1, 1831. 10. Juliette, b. March 16, 1833.

1348. ix. GEORGE P., b. April 19, 1794; m. Pamelia Bardwell.

1349. x. MISILLA, b. Aug. 30, 1796; m. Oct. 23, 1822, James Anderson, of Charlestown, N. H.

1350. xi. ABNER, b. July 5, 1798; m. ——.

1351. xii. EBENEZER, b. April 4, 1800; m. ——.

1352. xiii. ADELAIDE, b. Dec. 11, 1802; m. ——.

675. LIEUTENANT MOSES DICKINSON FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Feb. 10, 1742. He settled in Surry, N. H., where he d. Sept. 8, 1828, aged 85 years, 6 months, 15 days. He was a celebrated hunter and marksman. At the age of eleven he went across the Connecticut river with his father to plough a piece of ground he had there, taking his gun with him for the purpose of hunting partridges in the month of March. In crossing a swale where a skunk cabbage grew, he noticed some of it had been eaten off. Knowing that no animal would eat it but the bear, he concluded one was in the vicinity; putting a small dog that was with him on the track, he followed it to a hemlock tree that had fallen down. Looking in among the brush, he saw a black object, and putting a couple of bullets into his gun, fired, when a bear sprang out wounded and made off followed by the dog. Loading his gun again, he followed, overtaking the bear who was retained by the dog; getting sufficiently near, he aimed at a vital part and fired, killing him. He then went for his father who was ploughing near by to assist him in carrying the bear home. His father, rather incredulous about bears being about, did not readily go with him, but upon his persistence that he had really killed one, went with him and took the bear home, complaining that it had lost him a day's work ploughing. He was a lieutenant in Captain Mack's company of New Hampshire militia at the battle of Bennington. The day before the battle, Aug. 15th, was a rainy day; as he and Captain Mack (of Gilsum) were on a reconnaissance, they came to a puddle of water in the road when they parted to the right and left to avoid it; just before they closed again, a bullet struck in the water in the middle of the road. As they were passing on, Lieutenant Field discovered an Indian crawling along on the ground in the woods not far from them. Apprising Captain Mack, they watched until they saw him raise his head, when both fired and the Indian fell. The day after the battle Lieutenant Field found where the Indian was buried, near the place where he was killed. He opened the grave, hoping to find his musket or some article, but nothing had been buried with him. It was ascertained that he was a sachem, and was shot through the breast. When marching on to the ground the next day, he observed several British officers looking through their glasses, scanning the American troops; he left his company, filling his mouth with bullets and getting a position where he was somewhat protected by an oak tree; he fired several shots in quick succession until his gun got hot, which caused them to move away, when he hastened on and regained his company. On examination after the battle the ground was found to be very bloody. It was said that General Baum was one of the party and probably received his fatal wound at that time. While the British were retreating, Lieutenant Field followed their track, seeing a soldier stoop to pick up something he had dropped, fired at him, when he pitched forward and fell to the ground. Of this particular act he always spoke with regret. His grandson, Mr. Jonathan R. Field, living in Surry, says: "My grandfather never related the incidents of that battle without shedding tears." He found upon the ground after the battle a small trunk containing several fine Holland shirts, also a silver ornament about the weight of a dollar, representing the Savior on the cross, about three inches in length. The ornament, together with his grandfather's powder horn marked with his initials, were stolen from Mr. Jonathan R. Field a few years since. He m. March 13, 1767, Patience, dau. of Jonathan Smith, of Surry, b. Aug. 16, 1748; d. July 2, 1833, aged 84 years, 10 months, 14 days.

1353. i. MOSES, b. July 9, 1769; m. Molly Hayward.

1354. ii. LUCINDA, b. Jan. 26, 1772; m. Oct. 27, 1791, Calvin Hayward, of Surry; d. Jan. 16, 1849.

1355. iii. SARAH, b. Feb. 6, 1774; m. Abner Howard, of Surry.

1356. iv. LEWIS, b. March 1, 1776; d. in infancy.
1357. v. JERUSHA, b. Dec. 19, 1778; m. Dr. Calvin Haskins, of Surry.
1358. vi. ISAAC, b. March 28, 1781; m. Dolly Robinson.
1359. vii. ELIPHAZ, b. Feb. 20, 1784; m. Susanna Robinson.
1360. viii. RHODA, b. May 4, 1787; m. —— Smith, of Surry.
1361. ix. CYRUS, b. Nov. 20, 1789; m. Nancy Baxter and Sarah Joslyn.
1362. x EUNICE, b. Feb. 7, 1792; m. William Thayer, of Rockingham, Vt.
1363. xi. ZENAS, b. 1795; m. —— Follett.

677. SOLOMON FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Northfield, Mass., June 28, 1746. He settled in Deerfield; in 1770 removed to Conway, where he d. April 20, 1828. A Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Israel Waite's company April 20, 1775; in Capt. Seth Murray's company at Moses Creek and Fort Edward from July 9 to Aug. 12, and in the battle of Bennington Aug. 16, 1777, and was some time longer in the service. He m. Oct. 25, 1770, Mary, dau. of Asahel and Lucy (Waite) Wright, of Deerfield (Wapping), b. Aug. 12, 1752; d. June 24, 1821. Res. Conway, Mass.

1364. i. PERSIS, b. Sept. 9, 1771; d. May 12, 1853. Persis Field, of Conway, spinster, 1853; recorded Aug. 23, 1853; nephew, Consider Field; brothers, Silas Field, Bro. Horace Field's heirs, Bro. Reuben Field; sisters, Electa, Anna Childs; brothers, Elijah, Chester, Solomon and Joachim (?); sister, widow Philena Field; Consider Field, executrix.—Franklin County Probate.
1365. ii. ANNA, b. Jan. 14, 1774; m. probably Sept. 9, 1804, Samuel Childs, of Deerfield; d. July 31, 1854.
1366. iii. SOLOMON, b. Nov. 1, 1776; m. Ruth Porter.
1367. iv. REUBEN WRIGHT, b. April 4, 1779; m. Polly White and Abigail L. White.
1368. v. SILAS, b. Sept. 3, 1781; m. Gratia Catlin.
1369. vi. HORACE, b. April 14, 1784; m. Zerviah Burnham.
1370. vii. JOEL, b. Oct. 27, 1786; m. Philinda Wilder.
1371. viii. CHESTER, b. Dec. 27, 1788; m. Sophia Loveridge and Rebecca Johnson.
1372. ix. ELIJAH, b. Nov. 13, 1791; m. Filana Arms and Nancy Grey Ranney.
1373. x. ELECTA, b. Feb. 17, 1794; m. David Edson, of Buckland, Mass.; d. Jan. 8, 1868.
1374. xi. ONE OTHER.

679. SERGEANT NOAH FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 29, 1750; m. Aug. 19, 1773, Mary Brown, dau. of Edward and Hannah (Thomas), b. 1748; settled in Whately, Mass., where he d. A Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Israel Waite's company, April 20, 1775; a sergeant in Capt. Seth Murray's company at Fort Edward and Moses Creek from July 9 to Aug. 12, and in the battle of Bennington Aug. 16, 1777, and in the service at other times.

Field, Noah, Whately. Private, Capt. Israel Chapin's company, Col. John Fellow's regiment, which marched April 20, 1775, in response to the alarm of April 19 1775; service to April 26, 1775, 7 days; also Capt. Israel Chapin's (2d) company, Col. John Fellows' (8th) regiment; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, 3 months, 12 days; also company return dated Oct. 8, 1775; also order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Dorchester, Nov. 25, 1775; also sergeant, Capt. Seth Murray's company, Maj. Jonathan Clap's regiment; en-

gaged July 9, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 month, 10 days, travel included, on an expedition to Fort Edward and Moses Creek.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

He d. July 8, 1797; res. Conway and Whately, Mass.

1375. i. NOAH, b. Aug. 13, 1775; d. July 19, 1813.

1376. ii. EDWARD, b. Feb. 6, 1780; m. Nancy Ingalls.

1377. iii. OBED, b. 1782; m. Tabitha Aldridge; he joined the Shakers at Shelby, N. Y.

1378. iv. POLLY, b. 1784; m. John Clapp, of New York.

1379. v. CHARITY, b. 1786; m. ——.

1380. vi. FANNY, b. 1788; m. Sept. 20, 1803, Silas Smith, of Buckland, Mass.

1381. vii. LUCINDA, b. May 11, 1790; m. April, 1812, Pliny Graves, of Whately.

1382. viii. CONTENT, b. 1792; m. Sylvanus Clark, of Florida, Mass.

1383. ix. LUCY, b. 1795; m. M. Ware, of Buckland.

683. MEDAD FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., April 25, 1759; m. in 1795, Phœbe Gould, of Petersham, b. 1765; d. May 17, 1841.

Field, Medad. Private, Capt. Salmon White's company, Colonel Woodbridge's regiment; enlisted Aug. 17, 1777; discharged Aug. 19, 1777; service, 4 days, at the Northward by order of Gen. Horatio Gates.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Medad, of Northfield; 1848, May 9; filed; wife Phœbe; ch., Achsah, wife of Elisha Wells; Solomon; latter, executor.

He d. Feb. 18, 1848. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1384. i. ACHSAH, b. Feb. 6, 1797; m. May 28, 1816, David Endy, of Leyden; m., 2d, Elisha Wells, of Deerfield.

1385. ii. SOLOMON, b. Jan. 6, 1801; m. Prudence Gould.

684. FIFER PHINEAS FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 29, 1760; m. 1st, Jan. 6, 1785, Diadama Morgan, dau. of Reuben and Editha (Chapin), b. 1767, d. Aug. 1, 1788; m., 2d, Nov. 14, 1790, Eunice Lyman, dau. of Capt. Seth and Eunice (Graves), b. April 17, 1770; d. Sept. 18, 1830. A Revolutionary soldier in Capt. Seth Pierce's company, Col. Seth Murray's regiment, as fifer at Claverack and West Point from July 4 to Oct. 10, 1780. Was at West Point at the time of Arnold's treachery. His mother was unwilling he should go. When the Northfield men returned unnoticed into the village by the people, they came to the big rock when he struck up a lively tune. His mother on hearing it, exclaimed, "Phinne has got back," going quickly out to meet him, and a general jubilee was held in the village for their safe return.

Field, Phineas, Northfield. Private, Capt. Elihu Lyman's company, Col. Elisha Porter's (Hampshire county) regiment; enlisted July 25, 1779; discharged Aug. 31, 1779; service, 1 month, 13 days, travel included, at New London, Conn. Also descriptive list dated Warwick, Aug. 4, 1780, of men detached from Sixth Hampshire county regiment, agreeable to order of court of June 22, 1780, to serve for the term of three months from time of arrival at Claverack; Capt. Seth Pierce's company, Col. Seth Murray's regiment; enlisted July 15, 1780; discharged Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 months, 6 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce Continental army for 3 months; roll dated Leverett.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

MAJ. CHARLES H. HITCHCOCK.

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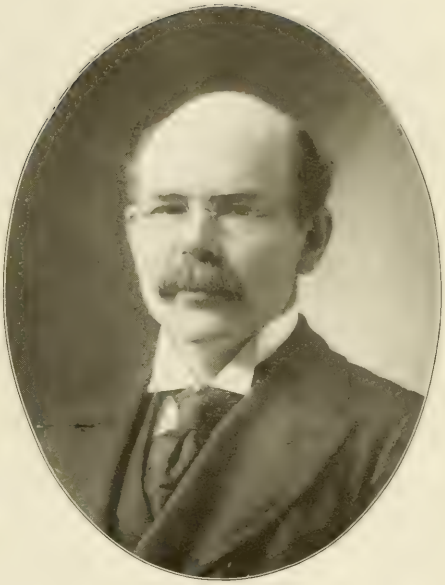

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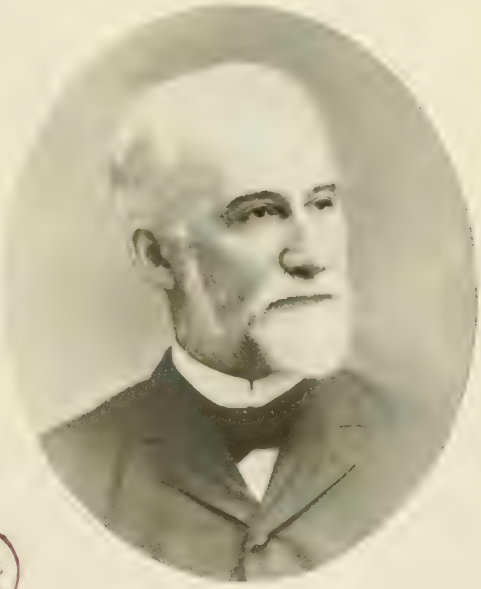

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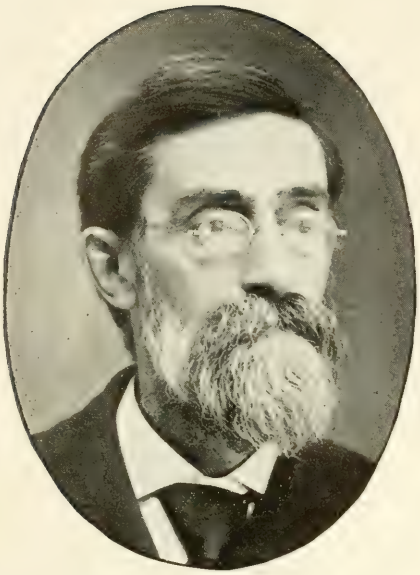

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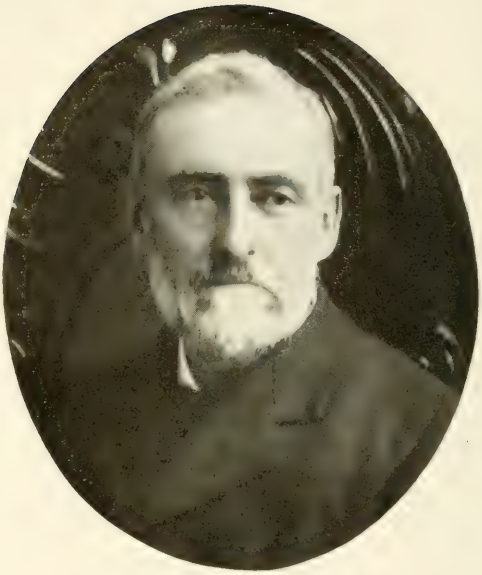

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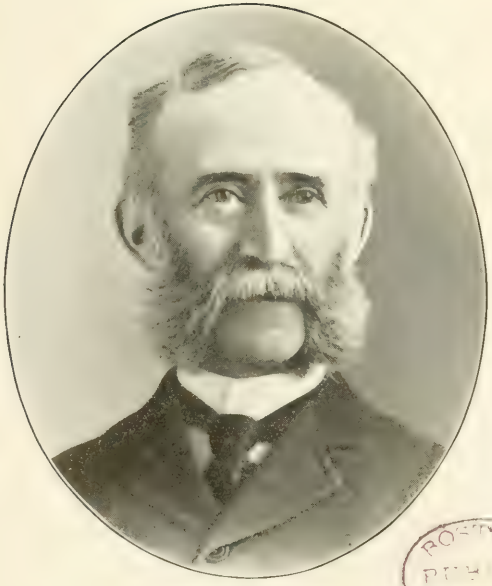

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Phineas, of Northfield; Dec. 17, 1833, recorded; wife, Eunice; sons, Sharon, Lucius, Phineas, Moses; daughters, Electa, Diadema, Mary; granddaughter, Lucy Smith.

He d. Oct. 18, 1833. Res. Northfield, Mass.

1386. i. SHARON, b. Oct. 17, 1785; m. Betsey Hastings.

1387. ii. ELECTA, b. July 23 1787; m. Dr. John Topliff, of Westfield, Mass.; res. Quincy, Ill. She d. in 1838 in Quincy, Ill.

Dr. John Topliff, b. Sept. 6, 1784; m. Electa Field Oct. 9, 1808; d. March 3, 1816; Electa Field Topliff, b. 1787; d. Nov. 10, 1838. He was descended from Clement Topliff, who came to Dorchester in 1636. For many years his ancestors were deacons, selectmen and men of high standing in the community. His immediate ancestors had settled in Connecticut, but his father lived at the time of his son's birth near Westfield, Mass. Dr. John was a student at Williams College, Mass., says his genealogist, but did not graduate. He m. Electa Field Oct. 9, 1808, and shortly after removed to Warren, Mass., where, after a brief but happy union of eight years, he d. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. Aug. 19, 1809; m. in Westfield, Mass., November, 1832, Porter Smith, b. Blandford, Mass., June, 1809; d. Quincy, Ill., June, 1872; she d. there March 13, 1878; he was the youngest child of William and Sally (Anderson) Smith; William d. Blandford, Mass., in 1825, and Sally Anderson passed away in Chester, Mass., in 1848. Ch.: (a) Charlotte T. Smith, b. July, 1836; m. 1862, Milton S. Kimball. Res. 282 Ontario street, Chicago, Ill (b) Mary J., b. Nov. 7, 1833; m. May 12, 1855, Henry S. Hitchcock, b. Dec. 24, 1830; d. July, 1866; m., 2d, Dec. 1, 1870, Hon. Paul Selby, b. July 20, 1825; res. 3813 Rhodes avenue, Chicago, Ill. Ch.: i. Frederick S. Hitchcock, b. March, 1856; d. February, 1857. ii. Charles Henry Hitchcock, b. Nov. 12, 1857, Binghamton, N. Y.; m., 1st, Jennie K. Brown, who d. same year, 1886; m., 2d, Estelle Heath, 1891; address, Binghampton, N.Y. iii. Sidney C. Hitchcock, b. October, 1859; d. December, 1871. iv. Charlotte S. Hitchcock, b. Quincy, Ill., July 20, 1863; m. Sept. 14, 1887, Dr. Arthur E. Prince; address, Springfield, Ill. Ch.: 1. Lucy Virginia, b. Oct. 5, 1888. 2. David Chandler, b. Feb. 5, 1891. 3. Mary, b. Nov. 24, 1892. v. Pauline Selby, b. January, 1873; d. 1877. vi. Clarence P. Selby, b. 1875; d. 1877.

Henry Samuel Hitchcock, son of Simon C. Hitchcock and Euphrasia Jackson Hitchcock, was b. at Cazenovia, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1830; m., 1st, Emily Greenland, May 1, 1852, at Cazenovia, who d. May 17, 1853. In 1853 he removed to Binghamton, N. Y., where he engaged in mercantile business; m., 2d, Mary Jane Smith, May 12, 1855. In 1860, he removed to Quincy, Ill., where he resided at the time of his death, which occurred at St. Louis, Mo., July 27, 1866. No children were born of the first marriage. The following children were born of his second marriage: 1. Frederick Smith Hitchcock, b. 1856; d. about a year later. 2. Charles Henry Hitchcock, b. Nov. 12, 1857. Graduated with degree of A.B. at Hamilton College in 1879; was instructor in classics and higher mathematics at De Garmo Institute, Rhinebeck, N. Y., 1879-87; studied law at Binghamton, N. Y., and

admitted to the bar January, 1885; m., 1st, Jennie K. Brown, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., April 19, 1886; she d. Sept. 20, 1886; m., 2d, Estelle Heath, of Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1891; resides and practices law at Binghamton, N.Y., firm Hitchcock & Seymour, representing several important local corporate and business interests. Served in National Guard, New York, since 1882; served in Spanish-American war as captain of First New York Volunteer Infantry, May 1, 1898, to Feb. 26, 1899; served with regiment in Hawaiian Islands with credit and recommended for promotion; now major commanding, battalion of First Infantry, National Guard, New York. No children.

Paul Selby, editor, was b. in Pickaway county, Ohio, July 20, 1825; removed with his parents, in 1837, to Van Buren county, Iowa, but, at the age of 19, went to southern Illinois, where he spent four years teaching, chiefly in Madison county. In 1848 he entered the preparatory department of Illinois College at Jacksonville, but left the institution during his junior year to assume the editorship of the Morgan Journal, at Jacksonville, with which he remained until the fall of 1858, covering the period of the organization of the Republican party, in which the Journal took an active part. He was a member of the Anti-Nebraska (afterwards known as Republican) State Convention, which met at Springfield, in October, 1854 (the first ever held in the State), and, on Feb. 22, 1856, attended and presided over a conference of Anti-Nebraska editors of the State at Decatur, called to devise a line of policy for the newly organizing Republican party. This body appointed the first Republican State Central Committee and designated the date of the Bloomington Convention of May 29, following, which put in nomination the first Republican State ticket ever named in Illinois, which ticket was elected in the following November. In 1859 he prepared a pamphlet giving a history of the celebrated canal scrip fraud, which was widely circulated. Going south in the fall of 1859, he was engaged in teaching in the State of Louisiana until the last of June, 1861. Just two weeks before the fall of Fort Sumter he was denounced to his Southern neighbors as an "abolitionist" and falsely charged with having been connected with the "underground railroad," in letters from secession sympathizers in the North, whose personal and political enmity he had incurred while conducting a Republican paper in Illinois, some of whom referred to Jefferson Davis, Senator Slidell of Louisiana, and other Southern leaders as vouchers for their characters. He at once invited an investigation by the Board of Trustees of the institution of which he was the principal, when that body—although composed, for the most part, of Southern men—on the basis of testimonials from prominent citizens of Jacksonville and other evidence, adopted resolutions declaring the charges prompted by personal hostility, and delivered the letters of his accusers into his hands. Returning North with his family in July, 1861, he spent some nine months in the commissary and transportation branches of the service at Cairo, and at Paducah, Ky. In July, 1862, he became associate editor of the Illinois State Journal at

Springfield, remaining until November, 1865. The next six months were spent as assistant deputy collector in the custom house at New Orleans, but, returning North in June, 1866, he soon after became identified with the Chicago press, serving, first upon the staff of the Chicago Evening Journal, and, later, on the Republican. In May, 1868, he assumed the editorship of the Quincy Whig, ultimately becoming part proprietor of that paper, but, in January, 1874, resumed his old place on the State Journal, four years later becoming one of its proprietors. In 1880 he was appointed by President Hayes postmaster of Springfield, was reappointed by Arthur in 1884, but resigned in 1886. Meanwhile he had sold his interest in the Journal, but the following year organized a new company for its purchase, when he resumed his former position as editor. In 1889 he disposed of his holding in the Journal, finally removing to Chicago, where he has been employed in literary work. In all he has been engaged in editorial work over thirty-five years, of which eighteen were spent upon the State Journal. His last and most important literary work has been as editor and, in considerable part, author of the "Historical Encyclopædia of Illinois," issued by the Munsell Publishing Company early in 1900. In 1860, Mr. Selby was complimented by his alma mater with the honorary degree of A.M. He has been twice married, first to Miss Erra Post, of Springfield, who died in November, 1865, leaving two daughters, and, in 1870, to Mrs. Mary J. Hitchcock, of Quincy, by whom he had two children, both of whom died in infancy.

2. Electa Field. 3. Charlotte, b. Nov. 4, 1811, Mrs. Robert Tillson, deceased, Quincy; she d. April 29, 1890; Ch.: (a) Mrs. Emily Boon, Mrs. Maitland Boon, Watertown, N.Y. (b) William, not married, Quincy, Ill. (c) Robert, not married, Colorado. (d) Sarah M., Mrs. Daniel G. Brinton, Media, Pa. Her husband, Prof. Daniel Garrison Brinton, was born in Chester county, Pa., May 13, 1837; graduated at Yale, 1858 (A.M., LL.D.); graduated at Jefferson Medical College, 1861 (Sc.D., University of Pennsylvania), assistant surgeon, surgeon and medical director Eleventh Army Corps, 1862-65; editor Medical and Surgical Reporter, 1867-87; he published many books, and at his death in the summer of 1899 was professor of American archæology and linguistics in the University of Pennsylvania. A Philadelphia paper has this: "In other fields than medicine, Dr. Brinton left the imprint of his personality. He was editor of the Medical and Surgical Reporter, and of the Compendium of Medical Science. He was also a contributor to a valuable work on therapeutics. He was an expert in native Americana and was well known as a writer and authority on the aboriginal races of this country. In 1886 he was awarded a medal for his researches in American ethnology by the Société Americaine de France. Dr. Brinton was professor of ethnology and archæology in the Academy of Natural Sciences of this city, and of American archæology and linguistics in the University of Pennsylvania. He was president of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia, and vice-president in 1886 of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, pre-

siding over the section on anthropology. Dr. Brinton established a library of original American literature. Each work is the production of native minds, and is printed in the original. The series, most of which were edited by Dr. Brinton, include 'The Maya Chronicles,' 'The Iroquois Book of Rites,' 'A Migration Legend of the Creek Indians,' 'The Lenape and Their Legends,' and the 'Annals of the Cakchiquels.' He contributed valuable reports on his examination of mounds, shell heaps, rock inscriptions and other antiquities. He was the author of 'The Floridan Peninsula,' 'The Myths of the New World,' 'The Religious Sentiment,' 'American Hero Myths,' 'Aboriginal American Authors and their Productions,' and a 'Grammar of the Cakchiquel Language of Guatamala.' Not long ago Dr. Brinton presented to the University of Pennsylvania his entire collection of books and manuscripts relating to the aboriginal languages of North and South America. It embraces about 2,000 titles, in addition to nearly 200 volumes of bound and indexed pamphlets, bearing on the ethnology of the American Indians. Many of the manuscripts are originals, and several are the only copies in existence. A number of the printed volumes are rare or unique. It will be designated and marked as 'The Brinton Collection.' " 4. Emily, b. 1813; d. 1838; Mrs. Dunsmore; left no children. 5. Margaret, b. 1816; Mrs. Farmer; d. 1845; left no children.

1388. iii. DIADAMA, b. Jan. 23, 1791; m. Oct. 29, 1815, Silas Jewell, of Guilford, N. Y.; she d. Feb. 24, 1864.

1389. iv. LUCIUS, b. Dec. 22, 1792; d. Jan. 9, 1793.

1390. v. LUCY, b. Dec. 22, 1792; d. April 3, 1793.

1391. vi. LURA, b. Dec. 22, 1792; d. unm. May 25, 1821.

1392. vii. LUCY, b. Aug. 21, 1796; m. March 5, 1816, Deacon Josiah Smith, of Gill.

1393. viii. LUCIUS, b. Aug. 21, 1796; m. ——; he graduated at Williams College in 1821; a clergyman; settled in 1833 in Tyringham, Mass.; d. June 1, 1839.

Lucius, of Northfield, Aug. 27, 1839, filed; Phineas Field, executor; brother, Sharon Field; children of deceased sister Electa Topliff, late of Westfield; sister, Diadama Jewell, of Masonville, N. Y.; Lucy F. Smith, dau. of deceased sister Lucy Smith; deceased sister Eunice Field; brothers, Phineas and Moses; sister Mary Field living.—Franklin County Probate.

1394. ix. PHINEAS, b. April 14, 1799; m. Chloe M. Leavitt.

1395. x. EUNICE, b. June 27, 1802; d. Aug. 2, 1825.

1396. xi. MARY, b. May 9, 1805; m. Jan. 2, 1861, David Allen, of Putney, Vt.; she d. Dec. 27 1868, s. p.

1397. xii. MOSES F., b. Aug. 11, 1808; m. Catherine S. Alexander.

685. DOCTOR JOHN MONTAGUE FIELD (Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., July 2, 1764; m., 1st, Jan. 19, 1794, Martha Harris, b. 1772; d. July 5, 1801; m., 2d, June 15, 1802, Olive Clark, of Sullivan, N. H., b. 1778; d. Feb. 4, 1838. A physician. He settled in Sullivan, N. H., and afterward removed to Philadelphia, Pa. Res. Northfield, Mass., Sullivan, N. H., and Philadelphia, Pa.

1398. i. JOSEPH R., b. Oct. 5, 1794. He graduated at D. C. in 1822;

ordained in 1827 as an evangelist in St. Lawrence county, New York; returned to Northfield; d. Aug. 9, 1828.

1399. ii. ELIJAH H., b. Oct. 3, 1796; m. Ann Taylor.

1400. iii. ELVIRA, b. Aug. 19, 1798; m. March 8, 1818, John Presson, of Mexico, N. Y. He was son of Lemuel; was b. 1789. Res. Warwick, Mass.

1401. iv. JOHN, b. April 17, 1803; m. Olive C. Morse.

1402. v. LYDIA, b. Jan. 2, 1805; m. Jan. 14, 1840, Charles Barber, of Winchester, N. H. He was son of David, b. 1802; was a farmer; removed to Winchester. Ch.: 1. Emily L., b. Nov. 14, 1840. 2. Charles J., b. July 13, 1842. He is a physician; m. Adeline Lawin. She d. Dec. 14, 1843.

1403. vi. LUCY, b. June 16, 1807; m. June 28, 1848, Charles Barber, of Winchester, s. p. by Lucy.

690. JESSE FIELD (Aaron, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bernardston, Mass., March 15, 1749; d. Jan. 6, 1823. He m. Lydia, dau. of Maj. John and Sarah (Hoyt) Burke, of Bernardston, Mass. A story of this marriage as told is too good to be lost. Mrs. Burke, when she found Lydia was receiving the addresses of Mr. Field, was greatly displeased, thinking Lydia ought to look higher. The major being away in the war of the Revolution, Mrs. Burke could not prevent the young folks meeting. On the major's return from the army for a short vacation, his neighbors met and escorted him home to have an evening's enjoyment, and stayed later at the social board than his wife desired. Being impatient to inform the major of the attentions between Lydia and Mr. Field, she informed him privately of their intimacy, and wished he would put a stop to it. The major bringing his hand down upon the table, making the glasses rattle, said, "Do you remember one Sarah Hoyt that came down a ladder and ran away with one John Burke and got married?" From this she was satisfied there would be no opposition from him to the marriage. Res. Bernardston, Mass.

1404. i. LETITIA, b. ——; d. May 20, 1864.

1405. ii. AARON, b. 1780; m. Lovina Scott.

1406. iii. EUNICE, b. 1782; m. John R. Slate, of Bernardston.

1407. iv. FARCIA, b. 1785; m. Bethan Dickinson, of Bernardston.

1408. v. LUCINDA, b. Jan. 11, 1787; m. 1804, Josephus Slate, of Bernardston.

1409. vi. LYDIA, b. 1789; d. Aug. 7, 1871.

1410. vii. JESSE, b. Aug. 25, 1792; m. Lurancy Scott.

1411. viii. SARAH, b. 1795; d. Aug. 11, 1871.

1412. ix. LOVINA, b. 1798; m. Thaddeus Parmenter, of Bernardston; d. 1872.

698. SAMUEL FIELD (Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bolton, Conn., Oct. 31, 1756. He removed to Vernon, Conn.; in 1795 to Ellington, Conn., where he d. Jan. 23, 1815. He m. in Bolton, April 18, 1781, Huldah Millard, of Bolton. Res. Ellington, Conn.

700. DANIEL FIELD (Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bolton, Conn., May 3, 1761. He m. Mary Reed (?) Res. Bolton, Conn.

1412½. i. NATHANIEL REED, bap. April 8, 1784; m. Ruth Noyes.

701. THOMAS FIELD (Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bolton, Conn., Nov. 13, 1763; m. July 4, 1786, Lucy,

dau. of Elisha and Mary Bissell, of Bolton, Conn., bap. May 10, 1761. Res. Bolton, Conn.

1413. i. INFANT, b. January, 1787; d. Jan. 30, 1787.
1414. ii. LUCY, bap. Aug. 24, 1788.
Seven others, all daughters.

702. DAVID FIELD (Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bolton, Conn., April 1, 1766. He removed, in 1791, to Tolland, Conn.; in 1801 to Somers, Conn., where he d. He m. Dec. 23, 1790, Betty Squires, of Bolton. Res. Somers, Conn.

1415. i. JOHN, b. July 3, 1791; m. Anna Gowdy.
1416. ii. CAROLINE, b. Aug. 25, 1792; m. Dec. 7, 1815, Jedediah Kibbee, of Somers, Conn.; d. May 14, 1840.
1417. iii. DANIEL, b. Aug. 9, 1794; m. Cherry Wood.
1418. iv. BETSEY, b. Feb. 16, 1797; m. Orrin Wood.
1419. v. CHESTER, b. Aug. 9, 1802; m. Rhoda Tiffany.
1420. vi. CHAUNCEY, b. July 20, 1804; m. Dolly Smith.
1421. vii. EUNICE, b. May 1, 1806; m. May 12, 1825, Edmund Warner, of Coventry, Conn.; d. Sept. 1, 1874.
1422. viii. AMELIA, b. April 17, 1808; m. Erasmus Calkins.
1423. ix. CHARLOTTE, b. Jan. 9, 1810; m. Feb. 24, 1831, Edmund Loomis, of Coventry, Conn.

703. NATHANIEL FIELD (Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bolton, Conn., Nov. 23, 1768; m. Nov. 27, 1794, Clarinda King, of Bolton. Res. Bolton, Conn.

707½. JAMES FIELD (Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Connecticut about 1750; m. —— ——. He enlisted in the Revolutionary war at Woodbury, Conn., in Capt. Elijah Chapman's company. He had prior to this time seen three years active service. After the war he moved to Niagara county, New York, and while living there, in 1818, was granted a pension for services as a private in the Connecticut Continental line. He d. near Niagara Falls, N. Y. Res. Woodbury, Conn., and Niagara, N. Y.

1423¼. i. SPENCER, b. ——; res. and d. near Niagara, N. Y.
1423⅓. ii. EDAD, b. ——; res. and d. in Michigan.
1423½. iii. ANNA, b. ——; res. and d. in Niagara, N. Y.

708. GEORGE FIELD (Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Connecticut in 1758; m. in Vermont, Eunice ——. He served in the Revolutionary army as a private, enlisting Jan. 1, 1777 for the term of the war, in Captain Roberton's company, First Connecticut regiment, Col. Zebulon Butler commanding. Later he was in Stoddard's company in Col. John Chandler's regiment. After the war, having been paid in land in Vermont, he moved there and located at Sandgate, which was settled in 1761 by a colony from Connecticut. While living there, in 1818, then in his seventy-third year, the government granted him a pension. Paid him $1,523.16 and $96 a year.

State of Vermont, Bennington county, ss.: On this twenty-third day of April, A. D., 1818, before me, the subscriber, one of the judges of the county court, within and for the county of Bennington aforesaid, personally appears George Field, aged sixty-two years, resident in the town of Sandgate, in said county of Bennington, who being by me duly sworn, accordingly, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by the late act of Congress, entitled "an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service

of the United States in the Revolutionary war." That he, the said George Field, enlisted in the month of August, A. D., 1777, in the town of Woodbury, and state of Connecticut, for and during the war, in the company commanded by Captain Stoddard, and in the regiment commanded by Colonel Chandler, in the Connecticut line; that he continued to serve in said corps until the close of the war, when he was discharged by Gen. George Washington, in the month of June, A. D., 1783, at the Highlands, in the State of New York, and that he was in the battles of Fort Mifflin, Stony Point and at the capture of Cornwallis, and that he is in reduced circumstances, and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support, and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services.

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year aforesaid.

Edmund Graves.

District of Vermont, ss.: On this twentieth day of June, 1820, personally appeared in open court, being a county court and court of record, which has power to fine and imprison, and is constituted a court of record by a special act of the Legislature of the state of Vermont, George Field, aged fifty-nine years, resident in Sunderland, in said county of Bennington, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath, declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows:

I served in the —— company, commanded by Captain Stoddard, in the —— regiment, commanded by Colonel Chandler of the Connecticut line, as will appear by my original declaration on file in the war office, dated the twenty-third day of April, 1818, on which original declaration I have received a pension certificate, and I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the eighteenth day of March, 1818; and that I have not since that time, by gift or sale, or in any manner, disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress, entitled "an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary war," passed on the eighteenth day of March, 1818, and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property, or securities, contracts or debts, due me; nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed, and by me subscribed.

The following is a schedule of all real and personal estate, to-wit: One cow, 1 calf, 3 sheep and 2 lambs, 2 small pigs, 1 iron kettle, 1 pot, 1 spinning wheel, 1 woolen wheel, 6 knives and forks, 1 table, 6 earthen plates, 2 earthen milk pans, 1 meat barrel. My occupation is that of a farmer. I am unable to do much labor in consequence of the rheumatism and lameness occasioned by a fever sore. My family consists of my wife, Eunice, aged fifty-three years, in comfortable health; three children, the oldest named Clarissa, sixteen years old, in good health; the second Lovinia, aged fourteen, in good health; the third eleven years of age, named Mary Ann, is a cripple and unable to labor. The above cow I paid for out of my pension money.

George × Field
his mark.

County of Washington, ss.: On this fifth day of June, 1837, before me, the subscriber, a justice of the peace for the said county of Washington, personally appeared George Field, who on his oath, declared that he is the same person who formerly belonged to the company commanded by Captain Stoddard, of Woodbury, Conn., in the regiment commanded by Colonel Chandler, of Newtown, Conn., in the service of the United States; that his name was placed on the pension roll of the state of Vermont, from whence he has lately removed; that he now resides in the state of New York, where he intends to remain, and wishes his pension to be there payable

in future. The following are his reasons for removing from the state of Vermont to New York: That he formerly resided in the town of Sandgate, in the said state of Vermont, that he removed from there to the town of Jackson, in the state of New York for the purpose of living with one of his children, in the said town of Jackson, and that it is more convenient for him to draw his pension money in the state of New York than in the state of Vermont.

(Signed) George Field.

Sworn and subscribed before me the day and year aforesaid.

James Thompson, Justice Peace.

Res. Woodbury, Conn., Sandgate, Vt., and Annaquapacook, Washington county, N. Y.

1423⅔. i. CLARISSA, b. 1804.

1423¾. ii. LOVINIA, b. 1806.

1423⅞. iii. MARY ANN, b. 1809; a cripple.

708½. FRANCES FIELD (Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Nov. 29, 1757; m. Sandgate, Vt., Naomi Wakelee, b. Nov. 9, 1756: d. Dec. 22, 1812. Frances Field was born in Connecticut. At the breaking out of the Revolutionary war he was residing in Woodbury. He enlisted July 13, 1775, and served to December 20 in the Fifth company, in the Seventh regiment from Connecticut, Capt. Nathaniel Tuttle and Col. Charles Webb. The following year he was in the same regiment, in Captain Bostwick's company, and on the evening of Dec. 25, 1776, crossed the Delaware to Trenton. He re-enlisted for three years, May 15, 1777, in Stoddard's company, in Col. John Chandler's Eighth Connecticut regiment. After the war he moved to Vermont and died there, in Manchester, Vt., Dec. 18, 1812. Res. Bennington, Vt.

1423-2. i. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Peter A. Story. She d. Nov. 27, 1844. Res. Bennington, Vt. Ch.: 1. Naomi. 2. Hazen. 3. Daniel. 4. Ruth.

1423-3. ii. JOHN, b. ——. Res. and d. Sept. 20, 1828, in Buffalo, N. Y. John was a witness on a very important trial in Buffalo. He went to Buffalo and died the night he got there, and it was always supposed he was poisoned, as he was the main witness in the trial.

1423-4. iii. EUNICE, b.——; m. Joseph Olin. Res. Shaftsbury, Bennington county, Vt. She d. Feb. 21, 1853.

1423-5. iv. SARAH ANN, b. May 21, 1787; m. Abel Selah Squire. She d. Sept. 17, 1860, in Arlington, Vt. He was b. Woodbury, Conn., Nov. 26, 1786; d. Sunderland, Vt., April 8, 1867. He was a farmer and blacksmith. Ch.: 1. Katherine Bentley, b. Dec. 27, 1810; d. March 8, 1830. 2. Angeline Goldthwait, b. July 17, 1817; d. September, 1892. Des., A. G. Goldthwait, 181 8th St., Troy, N. Y. 3. Margaret Houghton, b. Feb. 3, 1819; d. May 28, 1896. Des., Mrs. A. Y. Rogers, Schuylerville, N. Y. 4. Elizabeth Ursula Holt, b. June 9, 1821; m. Jan. 19, 1841, Timothy H. Holt, b. Oct. 14, 1815; d. Nov. 11, 1897, in Sunderland. Ch.: (a) Winfield Selah, b. Feb. 25, 1852; m. Aug. 11, 1880. Res. Sunderland.

1423-6. v. FRANCES, b. ——; m. Diadema Bolton.

1423-7. vi. WILLIAM SYLVESTER, b. May 29, 1791; m. Orphia Haskell.

1423-8. vii. MIRANDA, b. ——; m. —— Squiers. She d. in 1865, in Royal Oak, Mich.

1423-9. viii. ALBERT, b. March 26, 1795; m. Azubah Jackson.

1423-10. ix. HENRY, b. ——; res. and d. July 9, 1835, in Poland, Chautauqua county, N. Y. Henry was crossing a river near Buffalo with a yoke of cattle, got into a deep hole and was drowned.

1423-11. x. ABEL WAKELEE, b. July 26, 1802; m. Zilpha Witter.

713. ELISHA FIELD (Elisha, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bennington, Vt., March 3, 1763. He settled in Cornwall, Vt., where he d. Feb. 18, 1852. He was one of the burial party after the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777; was also one of the guard placed over the Hessian prisoners in the old Bennington meeting house and over the captured military stores. He was a man very much respected by his townsmen, receiving from them many town offices, the duties of which he performed satisfactorily. He m. March 10, 1790, Ruth, dau. of Elijah and Molly (Webster) Kirkham, b. in Marlboro, Mass., May 10, 1770; d. June 21, 1835. Res. Cornwall, Vt.

1424. i. CLARISSA, b. Dec. 20, 1790; m. 1808, Rev. Elihu B. Baxter; removed to Iowa; d. April 12, 186—.

1425. ii. ORRIN, b. June 12, 1792; m. Maria Atwood, Hannah Drury, Almira Scott and Mrs. Rhoda Weeks.

1426. iii. LUMAN, b. March 28, 1794; m. Abigail De Long.

1427. iv. HIRAM, b. Aug. 19, 1796; d. July 26, 1799.

1428. v. LOYALL C., b. Dec. 13, 1799; d. Sept. 20, 1802.

1429. vi. NORMAN, b. Sept. 28, 1802; m. Happalonia Chatterton.

1430. vii. ELISHA C., b. April 5, 1813; m. Lovina Bartlett.

715. DEACON ASAHEL FIELD (Elisha Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bennington, Vt., March 25, 1765. He settled in Cornwall, Vt., where he d. April 28, 1830. A deacon in the Congregational church, influential and very much respected in church and town matters. He m. 1788, Martha, dau. of Israel Field, of Brattleboro, Vt., b. 1768; d. in childbirth, Oct. 31, 1789, aged twenty-one; m., 2d, Sept. 15, 1796, Betsey, dau. of —— Parker, of Saybrook, Conn.; b. Oct. 9, 1762; d. March 16, 1831. Res. Cornwall, Vt.

1431. i. MARTHA, b. 1797; m. Chester Fenner, of Cornwall.

1432. ii. LYDIA, b. 1799; d. in infancy.

1433. iii. ANTHY, b. Oct. 15, 1802; m. Chesterfield Hooker, of Poultney, Vt.; d. Jan. 22, 1874.

1434. iv. BETSEY, b. 1805; m. David Hooker, of Poultney, Vt., later of Middlebury, Vt.

716. CAPTAIN ELIJAH FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Feb. 2, 1754. He removed, in 1785, to Hawley, Mass., where he d. Feb. 4, 1822. He m. Sept. 1, 1783, Tryphena, dau. of Oliver and Jerusha Cooley, of Sunderland, b. Aug. 18, 1756; d. Oct. 23, 1833.

Field, Elisha, Sunderland. Private, Capt. Noadiah Leonard's company, Col. Ruggles Woodbridge's regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, seven days. Also list of men returned as serving on picket guard under Maj. Loammi Baldwin, dated May 11, 1775. Also Capt. Noadiah Leonard's company, Col. Benjamin Ruggles Woodbridge's regiment (Twenty-fifth); receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 24, 1775. Also private, same company and regiment; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted April 27, 1775; service, three months, twelve days. Also company return (probably October, 1775); also order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money, dated Cambridge, Oct. 31, 1775; also corporal, Capt. Reuben Petty's company, Lieut.-Col. Samuel William's regiment;

engaged Dec. 16, 1776; discharged March 19, 1777; service, three months, fifteen days, travel included. Also sergeant, Capt. Moses Harvey's company, Col. David Well's regiment; engaged May 10, 1777; discharged July 10, 1777; service, two months, ten days, travel included, in northern department; roll dated Montague. Also private, Capt. Moses Harvey's company, Colonel Woodbridge's regiment; enlisted Aug. 22, 1777; discharged Nov. 29, 1777; service, three months, seventeen days, travel included; company raised to reinforce northern army; roll endorsed "service at Saratoga." Also assistant at the scale, under Timothy Leonard; assistant commissary of issues, northern department, in Brigadier-General Warner's brigade; enlisted Oct. 9, 1777; discharged Nov. 30, 1777; service, one month, twenty nine days, six days travel included. Also private, Capt. Samuel Merriman's (2d) company, Col. Israel Chapen's (3d) regiment; enlisted Oct. 15, 1779; discharged Nov. 21, 1779; service, one month, fourteen days, travel included; roll endorsed "service at Claverack."—Massachusetts Revolutionary Records.

Elijah, of Hawley, March 12, 1822; gentleman; wife, Tryphena; sons, Pindar, Theodore; daughters, Wealthy, Olive, Rosamond, Tryphena; speaks of son Pindar as taking a classical education at college, and gives him money to complete payment for same.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Hawley, Mass.

1435. i. WEALTHY, b. March 4, 1785; m. William Ferguson; removed to Sangersfield, N. Y.

1436. ii. OLIVE, b. Jan. 27, 1787; m. Sept. 26, 1805, Edmund Longley, of Hawley, Mass.; d. Dec. 10, 1879.

1437. iii. THEODORE, b. Sept. 22, 1788; m. Deborah Tobey.

1438. iv. ROSAMOND, b. Nov. 29, 1790; m. Calvin Cooley, of Hawley.

1439. v. PINDAR, b. May 1, 1794; m. Ciffonette Le Grass Milton and Mary Sewall.

1440. vi. TRYPHENA, b. May 28, 1797; m. Zephaniah Lathrop, of Hawley.

724. REV. JOSEPH FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., March 6, 1772. He graduated at Dartmouth College in 1796; was ordained in 1797; a Congregational minister and resided in 1797-98 in Fairfield, N. Y.; in 1799 settled in Charlemont, Mass., where he d. June 14, 1866. He was pastor of the Congregational church in Charlemont twenty-three years, when he became a Unitarian, and preached occasionally until he was eighty-five years of age. He represented the town of Charlemont in the Legislature seven years to the satisfaction of his townsmen. He was possessed of the Field characteristics—strong in their convictions and seldom giving up an opinion when once convinced of its correctness. In November, 1865, when ninety-three years of age, he walked to the polls and voted. He m. in 1798, Sabra, dau. of Rev. John and Sabra (Cobb) Emerson, of Conway, Mass; d. 1837.

1441. i. EUGENE, b. May 7, 1800; m. Abigail Hawks.

1442. ii. JOSEPH EMERSON, b. Nov. 12, 1802; m. Julia Jones.

1443. iii. CONSTANT, b. Oct. 3, 1804; a physician; d. Sept. 22, 1833.

1444. iv. CAROLINE, b. Oct. 15, 1806; d. Sept. 22, 1861.

1445. v. LOUISA, b. Dec. 19, 1808; m. Dec. 25, 1846, John F. Arnold, of North Adams, Mass., manufacturer of prints.

1446. vi. EDWARD, b. Oct. 28, 1810; a physician; d. Jan. 8, 1832.

1447. vii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 5, 1813.

1448. viii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 10, 1815; d. July 20, 1818.

727. PARIS FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Sept. 16, 1765; a farmer; d. Dec. 27,

1849. He m. Nov. 19, 1795, Cynthia, dau. of Gideon and Lucy (Ward) Lee, of Leverett, b. Sept. 16, 1772; d. Aug. 11, 1837. Res. Leverett, Mass.

1449. i. SOPHIA, b. July 4, 1796; m. Sept. 30, 1819, Alvin Childs, of Deerfield; d. July 12, 1835. He was b. Deerfield, Mass., Aug. 11, 1789; d. there Aug. 7, 1839. She d. July 12, 1835. Ch.: 1. Cynthia Childs, b. Aug. 15, 1820; m. Oct. 20, 1858, William Gaylord, of Sunderland, Mass. 2. Israel Childs, b. Jan. 27, 1824; m. Jan. 12, 1859, Elizabeth J. Adams, b. June 16, 1829. He is a farmer; res. Sunderland, Mass. He d. Feb. 11, 1883. Ch.: (a) George Adams, b. Oct. 24, 1860; m. Jan. 1, 1891. (b) Isabel Sophia, b. Dec. 28, 1864. (c) Alvin Francis, b. Jan. 2, 1869; d. Aug. 24, 1869. (d) George A. Childs, P. O. address, Sunderland, Mass. (e) Isabel Childs, res. 791 North Hamlin Ave., Chicago; m. Oct. 24, 1888, William W. Vernon. 3. Lucy Childs, b. March 7, 1822; d. June 10, 1824. 4. Paris Childs, b. Feb. 20, 1827; d. July, 1871. His daughter, Mrs. Augustus Temple, res. Millington, Mass.

1450. ii. ZEBINA, b. June 22, 1797; m. Sophonia Ball.

1451. iii. REBECCA, b. June 22, 1797; m. Oct. 1, 1821, Peter Hobart, of Leverett; d. June 9, 1864.

He was b. April 8, 1796; d. April 4, 1864. Ch.: 1. Louisa, b. May 1, 1822; m. Aug. 29, 1843; d. Nov. 12, 1891. Ch.: (a) Cephas F. Fray, Leverett, Mass. 2. Albert, b. Feb. 23, 1824; m. April 7, 1847; d. March 3, 1888. 3. Thomas, b. May 15, 1826; d. Jan. 9, 1849. 4. Caroline, b. Sept. 5, 1828; m. Nov. 18, 1851, Augustus Greenleaf Whitaker, b. May 1, 1833. Res. Leverett, Mass. Ch.: (a) Carrie Irene, b. Sept. 25, 1854; m. April 8, 1880; present name, Carrie Irene Taylor, Leverett, Mass. (b) Susan Isabella Whitaker, b. May 17, 1858; Amherst, Mass. (c) Cynthia Hobart, b. April 1, 1860; m. Aug. 25, 1891.—Cynthia H. Tufts, care of University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. (d) Harrison Marshall, b. Dec. 13, 1861; m. July 28, 1886; Amherst, Mass. (e) Louise Field, b. May 11, 1865; m. May 30, 1883. Present name, Louise Field, Leverett, Mass. (f) Hobart Karl Whitaker, b. Feb. 20, 1868; m. Dec. 24, 1896; Brattleboro, Vt. (g) Frances Jane, b. Nov. 14, 1870; Leverett, Mass. (h) Edwin Thomas, b. July 8, 1872; Greenfield, Mass. 5. Fanny, b. Feb. 17, 1831; m. April 7, 1863; d. Nov. 15, 1898. 6. Harrison, b. Aug. 11, 1833; d. March 20, 1860. 7. Cephas, b. Nov. 29, 1835; d. Nov. 25, 1857. 8. Cynthia, b. March 3, 1839; d. July 19, 1863.

1452. iv. SIMON COOLEY, b. May 7, 1799; m. Martha W. Keith.

1453. v. ASA LEE, b. Aug. 17, 1802; m. Mary W. Field.

1454. vi. CEPHAS, b. Aug. 17, 1802; d. September, 1803.

1455. vii. LUCY WARD, b. Dec. 29, 1806; m. May 20, 1841, George Hubbard, of Leverett.

1456. viii. CAROLINE, b. Feb. 2, 1812; m. Nov. 28, 1839, Alden Cooley Field, of Leverett; a dau. is Caroline Matilda, b. July 12, 1842; unm., res. East Leverett.

1457. ix. CEPHAS, b. July 3, 1814; m. Editha Ball.

1458. x. FOUR others, d. in infancy.

731. DEACON SILAS FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., April 22, 1775; d. Jan. 17, 1844; a deacon in the Congregational church and captain of cavalry. He m. Feb. 6, 1804, Mary Elizabeth Woodbury, of Leverett, b. May 26, 1782; d. Oct. 21, 1864. Res. Leverett, Mass.

1459. i. ELIZABETH COOLEY, b. Dec. 15, 1805; m. June 28, 1826, Dickinson Hubbard, of Leverett; m., 2d, Aug. 3, 1842, Elijah Ingram, of Montague; d. Toledo, O., Sept. 12, 1890.

1460. ii. MARY WARD, b. Nov. 30, 1807; m. June 12, 1834, Asa L. Field, of Leverett. She d. Feb. 25, 1883.

1461. iii. HARRISON OTIS, b. Jan. 20, 1810; m. Eleanor Pomeroy.

1462. iv. THANKFUL MATILDA, b. April 25, 1812; m. Nov. 27, 1834, Phinehas Field, of North Hadley, Mass.

1463. v. LUCY LEMIRA, b. Dec. 15, 1815; m. May 26, 1841, Frederick Q. Ball, of Leverett. Res. 31 Sargent St., Springfield, Mass.

1464. vi. HARRIET NEWELL, b. Dec. 18, 1817; m. June 9, 1844, William B. Caswell, of Buckland, Mass. She d. winter 1896-97.

733. ELISHA FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 19, 1781. He settled in 1806 in Sunderland, in 1816 removed to Deerfield, where he d. Aug. 24, 1865. He m. Nov. 18, 1806, Persis, dau. of Caleb and Calista Hubbard, of Sunderland, b. July 1, 1784; d. Feb. 4, 1857. Res. Deerfield, Mass.

1465. i. ALDEN COOLEY, b. Aug. 18, 1807; m. Lucena Adams and Caroline Field.

1466. ii. ELIJAH STRATTON, b. July 2, 1809; m. Mary W. Wright.

1467. iii. LUCRETIA ASHLEY, b. Aug. 25, 1811; m. Jan. 4, 1837, Alonzo Rice, of Deerfield. She d. Aug. 31, 1891. A descendant is Mrs. Walter C. Trask, of East Deerfield.

1468. iv. CALISTA HUBBARD, b. Nov. 5, 1813; m. Feb. 19, 1834, Charles Stone, of Deerfield; removed to state of New York. She d. Feb. 15, 1836. A descendant is Mrs. C. C. Furbush, of Greenfield, Mass.

1469. v. JONATHAN SPENCER, b. Jan. 3, 1816; m. Sarah Cobb.

1470. vi. PERSIS MARIA, b. Aug. 25, 1818; m. Sept. 6, 1843, Caleb Hubbard Bowman, of Springfield, Mass.; d. 187—. He was b. March 30, 1809; d. June 3, 1873. She res. 41 Mulberry St., Springfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Eva Maria Bowman, b. Dec. 16, 1844; m. Jan. 1, 1867.—Mrs. R. D. Sanderson. Res. 4 Sacketts Ave., Springfield, Mass. 2. Ellen Augusta Bowman, b. May 18, 1847; d. May 18, 1859. 3. Henry Hubbard Bowman, b. June 1, 1849; m. Nov. 18, 1874, Gertrude Mary Ellis. She d. Nov. 25, 1893; m., 2d, Jan. 23, 1895, Mrs. Lida Graves De Golyer. She d. Oct. 18, 1899. H. H. Bowman is president of Springfield National bank. Res. 41 Mulberry St., Springfield, Mass. 4. Jennie Elizabeth Bowman, b. Feb. 2, 1854. Res. 41 Mulberry St., Springfield, Mass.

Henry Hubbard Bowman, only son of Caleb Hubbard and Persis Field Bowman, was b. in North Sunderland, Mass., June 1, 1849. His parents removed when he was quite young to Springfield, Mass., and he was educated in the public schools of that city. In 1867 he began his long and honorable career as a banker, by entering the Springfield Institutions for Savings, as boy of all

work. He filled different positions in that bank until 1873 found him assistant treasurer. In May, 1879, he became cashier of the City National bank. In May, 1893, he was instrumental in organizing the Springfield National bank, and became its president, which position he now holds. Mr. Bowman m. Nov. 18, 1874, Gertrude Mary Ellis. She d. Nov. 25, 1893, leaving two daughters. A son died in infancy. Jan. 23, 1895, Mr. Bowman m. Mrs. Lida Graves De Golyer. She d. Oct. 18, 1899. Nearly the whole of Mr. Bowman's life having been spent in Springfield, he is closely identified with its interests, and holds many positions of trust and responsibility outside the bank. He is a genial man, with a large acquaintance and many warm friends.

Caleb Hubbard Bowman, son of William and Tirzah Hubbard Bowman, was born in Sunderland, Mass., March 30, 1809. He was the third of a family of nine children. When a young man he learned the mason's trade. Soon after his marriage, Sept. 6, 1843, to Persis Maria Field, of Deerfield, Mass., he established himself in North Sunderland, then a thriving village, and worked at his trade there and in the surrounding towns. In 1852 his health made it necessary for him to give up the work of a mason, and he removed to Springfield, Mass., where he engaged in other business. He continued to reside in Springfield until his death, from heart failure, June 3, 1873. His widow and three children survived him, another child having died young. Caleb Hubbard Bowman was a man of sterling worth, beloved and respected by all who knew him.

1471. vii. TRYPHENA MONTAGUE, b. Dec. 4, 1820; m. April 18, 1844, Edwin M. Eaton, of Sunderland. She d. July 14, 1880. A descendant is Mrs. Walter H. Langdon, of North Hatfield, Mass.

1472. viii. MARY JANE, b. Sept. 23, 1823; m. Jan. 10, 1847, Nathaniel S. Graves, of Amherst. She d. Jan. 16, 1894. He was b. Paris, N. Y., Jan. 28, 1820. Ch.: 1. Daughter, b. Feb. 11, 1848; d. Sept. 12, 1864. 2. Viola Mary, b. July 10, 1851. Res. Amherst, Mass.

1473. ix. ELISHA HUBBARD, b. April 11, 1827; m. Nancy Scott.

1474. x. MARTHA MARIA, b. Oct. 6, 1829; m. Dec. 23, 1852, Alvin Sanderson, of Deerfield. Res. 221 Linden St., Camden, N. J.

734. WALTER FIELD (Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., March, 1788. He settled in 1813 in Sunderland, in 1834 removed to Hatfield, Mass., where he d. Nov. 7, 1858. He m. April 13, 1813, Elizabeth Sprague, dau. of Ebenezer and Catherine (Dunn) Wiley, of Sunderland and Deerfield, b. 1791; d. Oct. 21, 1832; m., 2d, November, 1832, at Albany, N. Y., Fanny Stebbins, widow of Jesse Woolcott; d. April 20, 1840. Her remains were interred in Deerfield. Res. Hatfield, Mass.

1475. i. HORACE WILEY, b. Jan. 7, 1814; m. Elizabeth M. Hillman.

1476. ii. ABNER, b. Dec. 27, 1816; m. Wealthy Putney.

1477. iii. CLARISSA, b. Jan. 4, 1818; d. March 2, 1837.

1478. iv. FRANKLIN, b. March 21, 1820; m. Alma Scott.

1479. v. JOHN WILEY, b. April 5, 1822; m. Julia M. Warren.

1480. vi. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 15, 1824; m. 186—, Zacheus Crocker, of Sunderland. She d. Dec. 9, 1898.

1481. vii. WILLIAM WALTER, b. Aug. 17, 1826; m. Mrs. Sarah S. Frary.

1482. viii. CATHERINE, b. 1828; d. Oct. 18, 1803.

739. GENERAL MARTIN FIELD (Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Leverett, Mass., Jan. 12, 1773; m. Feb. 21, 1802, Esther Smith Kellogg, b. Feb. 25, 1780, Amherst, Mass.; d. June 6, 1867.

Gen. Martin Field was born in Leverett, Mass.; graduated at Williams College in 1798, and received the honorary degree of A.M. from Dartmouth College in 1805. He studied law with his uncle, Lucius Hubbard, Esq., of Chester, Vt., and upon the decease of Calvin Knowlton, in 1800, and at the special instance and request of Hon. Luke Knowlton, he went to Newfane in January, 1800, and entered upon the practice of the law. He married Esther Smith Kellogg, daughter of Daniel Kellogg, of Amherst, Mass., Feb. 21, 1802, an accomplished lady of fine personal appearance, of great goodness and exemplary piety. He was indebted in a great measure for his success in life to her great industry, prudence and discretion. She died June 6, 1867, aged 88 years, surviving her husband thirty-four years. He was full of anecdotes, and could tell a story with inimitable grace. His forensic efforts abounded with flashes of wit and occasional bursts of caustic sarcasm and biting ridicule, which he could use with great skill and effect. These peculiar powers rendered him a popular and distinguished jury advocate. His varied accomplishments and genial temper, with a heart overflowing with an irrepressible spirit of humor and mirthfulness, joined to a strong passion for music, of which he was extravagantly fond, rendered him an ornament to the social circle. A skilful player upon the violin, he never abandoned its use until he became so deaf that he could not distinctly hear its tones. He was eminently successful in his profession, and for nearly thirty years enjoyed a large and lucrative practice, which he was compelled to abandon by reason of his excessive deafness. On relinquishing his practice he commenced the study of geology and mineralogy, and by great perseverance and industry, he collected what, at that time, was regarded as the rarest and most extensive cabinet of minerals in the State. A few years since it was generously given to Middlebury College by his widow, Mrs. E. S. Field. He was, for ten years, State's attorney for Windham county, and repeatedly represented the town of Newfane in the General Assembly and Constitutional conventions. In 1819 he was elected major-general of the first division of the Vermont militia. We have copied from the twenty-sixth volume of the American Journal of Arts and Sciences, the following extract from an obituary notice of the subject of this sketch, written by a distinguished lady of Baltimore, Md., who was formerly a resident of that county.

"On account of his incurable deafness several years before his death, he declined the active duties of his profession, and, as a resource to an energetic mind, and as a solace in hours that might have been tedious for want of some interesting object of pursuit, he turned his attention to scientific investigation. When he was educated the natural sciences were scarcely studied in the schools and colleges of this country. He began with the elements, commencing with mineralogy, and for a time was zealously engaged in collecting a beautiful cabinet, but he found that in order to become a skilful mineralogist there was a kindred science to be grasped, and one without which he could not penetrate beyond the surface. He saw that it was beautiful and curious, and felt a desire to know those mysterious laws of combination by which, from a few elements, the wonderful variety of material things is produced. This desire led him to the study of chemistry. He purchased books and an apparatus, and for a time he directed his inquiries to the elements of matter and the laws by which they are governed. He was not satisfied with studying nature in his cabinet, and with reading the observations of others. He became an outdoor worker in science. Few points of interest were there among the romantic scenery around him that were not familiar to him: and many a precipice, glen and lofty summit of the Green Mountains can bear witness to his persevering research into

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the nature and arrangement of the rocky strata of which they are formed. His minute observations of philosophical and scientific facts were in various ways manifested in the pages of the scientific journals of this country, and particularly in the American Journal of Science, a work in which he ever delighted, and to which he felt himself indebted for much of that love of science and those acquirements which enabled him to endure with cheerfulness a misfortune by which he was, in a measure, cut off from the social enjoyments of life. It is a grave thing for a man who has been active in business to withdraw from those scenes in which his mind was stimulated to constant effort, to see the place he has filled occupied by others, and to feel that the world can move on without him; but this condition is incident to human nature. Fortunate are those who, at such a period, even, like him who is the subject of this sketch, find, in the contemplation of the works and operations of nature, a resource against ennuie, and a security against bitter and unavailing regrets. He died at his residence in Fayetteville.

Esther S. Field, wife of Martin Field, whose maiden name was Esther S. Kellogg, was a granddaughter of Daniel Kellogg, Sr., of Amherst, Mass., who married Esther Smith, daughter of John Smith, of Hadley, Mass., a lineal descendant of that grim old Puritan, Lieut. Samuel Smith, who came from Ipswich, England, to Boston in 1634, and removed from thence in 1638, with a large company, and settled on the banks of the Connecticut in the vicinity of Hartford, the "new Hesperia of Puritanism." In 1659, with sixty "Withdrawers or Separatists," as they were then called, who were opposed to the liberal and latitudinarian doctrines and practices of Drs. Hooker and Stone in relation to "baptism, church membership, and the rights of the brotherhood," he removed to Hadley, Mass., whose rich and fertile meadows were regarded as a paradise by the early Puritan settlers of the valley of the Connecticut. While residing in Hadley he occupied important positions both in church and State. This stern old Puritan possessed great energy, an indomitable will and was by profession and practice a strict Congregationalist, persistently adhering to all the formulas, austerities, and self-denying ordinances of the Calvinistic faith. He impressed upon his descendants to the latest generation his peculiar and marked characteristics. The subject of this sketch was thoroughly trained in her childhood in the discipline and religious faith of her Puritan ancestors. She early made a profession of her faith, and at the age of fifteen she was admitted a member of the First Congregational church in Amherst, Mass. Thrift, industry and economy were among the peculiar and prominent characteristics of her ancestors, and for their constant exercise she was proverbial. Possessing a vigorous constitution, she was untiring in her labors and faithful in the discharge of her domestic duties. Distinguished for her prudence and discretion, she carefully avoided all allusions or suggestions which would tend to excite suspicion or grieve an erring or wayward neighbor. Her strong sense and excellent judgment gave her great prominence and influence in the church of which she was a member, and the social circle in which she moved. She was a keen and close observer of the human face, and an accurate judge of human character, and when she fixed her dark penetrating eyes upon the face of a stranger she rarely failed to stamp his character at once, and that, too, with marked precision. She exercised the most perfect self-control, was familiar, yet dignified, in her bearing, positive in her opinions, grave and serious in her deportment, yet was never regarded as imperious or arrogant. Her husband enjoyed an extensive professional practice and possessed a large landed estate, a great portion of which he cultivated. Her superior executive ability, united with great energy, enabled her, during his absence, successfully to control and direct the labors upon the homestead, and at the same time to fully discharge the onerous duties incident to the care of a numerous household. Her husband was genial and

social, full of humor and mirth, oftentimes filling the house with his "jocund laugh." The wife, however, true to her refined womanly instincts, her sense of propriety, rarely disturbed by his merry and harmless jests, with great discretion pursued the even tenor of her way. Patiently and with unfaltering devotion to the higher and nobler purposes of life she always maintained her self-possession, studiously avoided all levity and frivolity, rarely relaxed the gravity of her deportment, and never failed in the end of controlling both husband and household. She always remembered, with a kind and grateful spirit, the favors conferred upon her by her friends and generously repaid them. She was withal so affable, gentle and benevolent that she won the admiration and good-will of all with whom she was associated. She was a faithful and affectionate wife and mother, who exemplified, in her pure and spotless life, the influence of the severe discipline and stern religious teachings of her Puritan ancestors. It affords her children great pleasure to be able to offer this slight tribute of filial affection and respect to the memory of a kind and loving mother.—Field pamphlet.

He d. Oct. 3, 1833; res. Newfane, Vt.

1483. i. CHARLES KELLOGG, b. April 14, 1803; m. Julia Ann Kellogg.

1484. ii. MARY HUBBARD, b. Sept. 13, 1804; m. July 27, 1824, Theodore Francis French, of Troy; he d. Sept. 11, 1828; m., 2d, Dec. 24, 1835, Thomas Jones, of Enfield; she d. Oct. 21, 1863. "Mrs. Mary Field French, a cousin of Eugene and Roswell M. Field, died at her home in Amherst, Mass., in April, 1900. When the brothers were between eight and ten years old their mother died, and Miss French came on from the East to St. Louis to care for the sister, Frances, and remained with the family until the boys were old enough to enter college. It was to her that Eugene Field dedicated his first volume, "A Little Book of Western Verse," paying her a tender tribute in these stanzas:

A dying mother gave to you
  Her child a-many years ago;
How in your gracious love he grew,
  You know, dear, patient heart, you know.

The mother's child you fostered then
  Salutes you now and bids you take
These little children of his pen
  And love them for the author's sake.

To you I dedicate this book,
  And, as you read it, line by line,
Upon its faults as kindly look
  As you have always looked on mine.

Tardy the offering is and weak—
  Yet were I happy if I knew
These children had the power to speak
  My love and gratitude to you.

It was for her that the late Eugene Field named his first child, Mary French Field, better known as "Trotty." In an article Mr. Field once wrote for one of the magazines he said the woman who had the most influence on his life and the molding of his character was his grandmother, but later he declared he was sorry he had said that, for after mature thought he was certain the woman was Mary Field French. Miss French had been an invalid two years previous to her death. She was 75 years old

and leaves a half-brother, S. Minot Jones, of Washington, D. C." —Chicago Post.

1485. iii. ROSWELL MARTIN, b. Feb. 22, 1807; m. Frances Maria Reed.

1486. iv. JOHN FISHER, b. Sept. 25, 1808; he settled in 1840 in St. Louis, Mo.; from there to Wisconsin, where he d. Aug. 25, 1847.

740. HON. ROSWELL FIELD (Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Dec. 29, 1767; d. March 31, 1842; he was a successful school teacher in his younger days; he was for many years a magistrate and trial justice for Franklin county, Mass.; he represented the town of Leverett in the Legislature several years; he was highly esteemed for the ability and integrity with which he discharged his official duties; he m. Sarah, dau. of Deacon Moses Graves, of Leverett; b. 1767; d. 1838, leaving no issue.

Roswell, of Leverett, May 14, 1842, recorded: wife d. ten years past; to Sarah Field, wife of Timothy Putnam; to Fanny Field, wife of Brother Orlando Field; to Mary D. Field, daughter of Brother Orlando Field; to Fanny F. Field, daughter of Brother Orlando Field; to Timothy Putnam, who has lived in family eight years; Capt. Asa L. Field, executor.—Franklin County Probate.

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741. RUFUS FIELD (Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., 1771; he resided on the old homestead; d. March 23, 1813; he m. Sarah, dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (Kellogg) Field, of Leverett, b. June 23, 1782; she m., 2d, Jonathan Conant, of Leverett; d. April 21, 1844; no issue.

Rufus, of Leverett, 1813; appointed Alpheus and Orlando Field, of Leverett, administrator, May 11, 1813; widow, Sarah Field; no lineal descendants; brothers, Roswell, Martin, Spencer, Orlando; Polly Adams, a deceased sister.—Franklin County Probate.

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743. SPENCER FIELD (Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Jan. 20, 1782; he settled in Putney, Vt.; removed to Richfield, N. Y.; from there to Springfield, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 26, 1850; he m. July 5, 1807, Hannah Cutler, of Putney, Vt., b. Jan. 27, 1782; d. Oct. 29, 1864. Res. Springfield, N. Y.

1487. i. CUTLER, b. July 4, 1809; m. Maria E. Davenport and Mary W. Cook.

1488. ii. SETH, b. Aug. 2, 1812; m. Lucy Ann Conant.

744. ORLANDO FIELD (Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 28, 1787; he resided on the old homestead with his brother, where he d. Nov. 7, 1854; he m., 1st, July 18, 1813, Dorothy, dau. of William and Editha (Frary) Field, of Leverett, b. April 22, 1794; d. July 22, 1817; m., 2d, Jan. 6, 1823, Fanny Baker, dau. of Martin Baker and Mary Smith, of Amherst, b. Jan. 8, 1798; d. in Amherst July 8, 1882; res. Leverett, Mass.

1489. i. MARY, b. Aug. 16, 1825.

1490. ii. FANNY, b. Oct. 25, 1827; d. March 3, 1851.

745. LUTHER FIELD (William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., September, 1771; d. June 5, 1852, m 1795, Beulah, dau. of Jefferson Moore and Abigail, of Shutesbury, b. 1775; d. June 29, 1855.

Luther, Sr. of Leverett, 1852, Aug. 24, filed; wife, Beulah, about 80 years of age; children, Dolly, Nabby, Luther, Polly, wife of Jacob Thayer; son Luther's share to go to support him from and after father's decease.

Beulah Field, of Leverett, Dec. 23, 1854, widow, filed; son, Luther Field; daughter, Dolly Field, and Polly, daughter of Jacob Thayer, and Abigail, granddaughter; Lucinda, daughter Dolly Field.—Franklin County Probate.

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1491. i. NANCY, b. 1796; m. 1821, Ward Woodbury, of Leverett.

1492. ii. ERASTUS, b. 1800; d. Oct. 23, 1838.

1493. iii. DOLLY, b. 1802; d. in Amherst.

1494. iv. CALVIN, b. 1804; m. Tamar Aldrich.

1495. v. ABIGAIL, b. ——; m. Elisha Warner, of Buckland, Mass.

1496. vi. LUTHER, b. ——; d. 1852, n. c. m., at Brattleboro.

Luther, Jr., of Leverett, 1852; insane; petition of Jacob and Polly (Field) Thayer, Dolly Field, Abigail, Luther and Beulah Field, Dec. 30, 1852, to have division of estate of Luther, late of Leverett.—Franklin County Probate.

1497. vii. MARY, b. ——; m. Jacob Thayer, of Belchertown, Mass.

746. ERASTUS FIELD (William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Leverett, Mass, July 22, 1773; d. March 1, 1817; he m. Nov., 1799, Salome, dau. of Capt. Stephen and Elizabeth Ashley, of Leverett, b. Oct. 26, 1777; d. May 11, 1838.

Erastus, of Leverett, 1851; sons, Stillman, Erastus Salisbury, Phineas; daughter, Julia Ann, wife of Nathan Sears; Emily, grandchild; Helen, Edward and Mary L. Marsh.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

1498. i. ELIZA, b. Sept. 22, 1801; m. Sept. 27, 1829, Consul B. Cutter, of Leverett; d. Sept. 15, 1849.

1499. ii. STILLMAN, b. Dec. 28, 1802; m. Aurilla Field.

1500. iii. ERASTUS SALISBURY, b. May 19, 1804; m. Phebe Gilman.

1501. iv. SALOME BILLINGS, b. May 19, 1804; m. probably Sept. 8, 1833, Capt. William Hubbard, of Leverett; d. May 23, 1838.

1502. v. CLARISSA, b. June 3, 1807; d. Feb. 18, 1836.

1502. vi. PHINEHAS, b. March 13, 1809; m. Thankful M. Field.

1503. vii. JULIA ANN, b. Sept. 29, 1811; m. Feb. 2, 1852, Nathan Sears, of Amherst; she d. Oct. 10, 1893.

1504. viii. MARYETT, b. Nov. 22, 1813; m. Feb. 25, 1835, Austin Lysander Marsh, of Sunderland; d. Aug. 26, 1842.

1505. ix. EMILY, b. Feb. 1, 1816; m. Aug. 31, 1861, Samuel A. Gaylord, of North Hadley; she d. Sept. 5, 1895.

751. HEMAN FIELD (William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., April 6, 1790; d. May 7, 1842; he m. Dec. 25, 1817, Achsah, dau. of Daniel Abbott, of Hadley, b. May 15, 1793; she m., 2d, July, 1848, Aaron Belding, of Whately, d. Sept. 15, 1856; res. Leverett, Mass.

1506. i. FREDERICK W., b. Jan. 20, 1819, m. Caroline Adams and Sarah M. Rice.

1507. ii. ROSELLA, b. Nov. 23, 1820; m. Jan. 27, 1841, Appleton Rowe, of Sunderland; res. Phillipston, Mass.

1508. iii. PAMELIA, b. Nov. 23, 1820; m. July 24, 1844, Elijah Fitts, of Leverett; b. July 30, 1869. Ch.: 1. Heman F.; res. Saratoga,

N. Y. 2. Robert C., b. ——; res. Milwaukee, Wis. 3. Elijah B., b. ——; res. Chicago, Ill.

1509. iv. EDWIN G., b. March 24, 1823; m. Nancy S. Clark.

753. CAPTAIN WILLIAM FIELD (William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Sept. 4, 1796; he was commissioned in 1817 captain of cavalry which he held until 1825, when he removed to Benson, Vt., which town he represented in the Legislature in the years 1837 and 1838; in 1840 he returned to Leverett; in 1842 to Amherst, where he d. July 3, 1843; his remains were interred in Leverett; was a farmer; he m. Dec. 30, 1818, Roxana Mattoon, dau. of John and Roxana (Mattoon) Kellogg, of Amherst, b. Dec. 24, 1797; d. Sept. 10, 1867; res. Amherst, Mass.

1510. i. HARRIET, b. May 1, 1821; d. in Benson, Vt., May 13, 1839.
1511. ii. WILLIAM DWIGHT, b. July 23, 1823; m. Carrie French.
1512. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Jan. 20, 1827; m. Nancy S. Hobart.
1513. iv. ELVIRA, b. Oct. 27, 1829; d. April 3, 1839.
1514. v. STILLMAN KELLOGG, b. Dec. 6, 1834; m. Mary E. Moore.
1515. vi. EDWARD PAYSON, b. July 9, 1837; m. Martha L. Wood.

756. SYLVANUS FIELD (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 26, 1776; d. Feb. 18, 1860; a successful farmer; he m. 1805, Cynthia, dau. of William and Dorothy (Kellogg) Field, of Leverett, b. Oct. 5, 1787; d. April 20, 1854.

Sylvanus, of Leverett, 1860, May 8; wife, Cynthia; sons, Frary, J. Sawyer, Dexter; daughter, Elvira (?).—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

1516. i. OLIVIA, b. March 21, 1807; m. Timothy B. Rice, of N. Leverett.
1517. ii. FRARY, b. May 28, 1810; m. Julia A. Comins.
1518. iii. DEXTER, b. August, 1812; m. Celinda Spooner.
1519. iv. JOSEPH SAWYER, b. Aug. 17, 1822; m. Sarah B. Lawton.

757. LUCIUS FIELD (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Jan. 6, 1778; he was a tavern keeper, his house being near the fish pond; d. Aug. 26, 1856; he m. Nov. 5, 1806, Virtue, dau. of Gideon Ashley, of Sunderland, b. Aug. 6, 1784; d. Nov. 1, 1834.

Lucius, of Leverett, 1856, Nov. 4 filed; daughter Aurilla (?), wife of Stillman Field; daughter Cynthia, wife of Elijah Bardwell, Jr.; grandson Lucius, son of Stillman and Aurilla Field; son Harrison.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

1520. i. AURELIA, b. Nov. 5, 1807; m. Dec. 13, 1833, Stillman Field, of Leverett; a child is Mrs. Ellen V. Wells, of Leverett, Mass. (see).
1521. ii. CYNTHIA, b. July 22, 1810; m. Dec. 10, 1834, Elijah Bardwell, of Hatfield. He was b. in Hatfield, Mass., Sept. 13, 1802; d. there March 28, 1883; was a farmer; she d. Feb. 14, 1878. Ch.: 1. Martha J., b. July 5, 1838; unm.; res. Hatfield. 2. Caleb D., b. Sept. 28, 1840; m. Sept. 28, 1870, Sarah A. Warner. 3. Henry F., b. Nov. 6, 1842; m. Nov. 4, 1868, Alice L. Brown; d. Oct. 4, 1892. 4. Elijah A., b. Feb. 1, 1846; m. Dec. 13, 1871, Sarah A. Dickinson; m., 2d, 1886-87, Lois S. Wright. 5. Asahel W., b. May 28, 1848; drowned July 28, 1864. 6. Frederic H., b. Feb. 12, 1854; m. Dec. 4, 1879, Maria Curtis.
1522. iii. HARRISON, b. June 13, 1813; m. Persis Jerusha Moore.

758. REV. LEVI FIELD (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 13, 1780; he gradu-

ated at Williams College in 1799, and was licensed to preach; he afterwards studied law and settled in Wilmington, Vt., where he d. July 12, 1820; he m. in 1804 Rachel, dau. of Enoch Kingsley, of Northampton, Mass., b. 1777; d. in Brattleboro, Vt., Nov. 1, 1843; res. Wilmington, Vt.

1523. i. LUCIA, b. Sept. 20, 1804; m. June 7, 1825, Lovell Farr, of Brattleboro; d. in Peoria, Ill., 1879.

1524. ii. A CHILD, b. April 20, 1806; d. April 22, 1806.

1525. iii. WILLIAM EATON, b. Aug. 30, 1807; m. Sarah R. Nichols.

1526. iv. RUFUS, b. Jan. 28, 1810; d. insane.

1527. v. SARAH ANN, b. May 13, 1812; m., 1st, Rev. Chester W. Carpenter, of Amherst, Mass.; 2d, —— Bly, of Jamestown, N. Y.

1528. vi. RACHEL, b. July 26, 1814; m. July, 1844, Rev. Samuel J. Parker, of Ithaca, N. Y.

1529. vii. THERESA, b. Sept. 27, 1816; d. Sept. 16, 1825.

1530. viii. FLORA, b. May 10, 1819; d. Sept. 9, 1833.

760. HON. ALPHEUS FIELD (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., June 26, 1786; he d. in the Bermuda Islands, where he had gone for his health, May 26, 1836; he was a farmer and a prominent man in town, holding various offices; was deputy sheriff for several years; he represented the town in the Legislature, and was a justice of the peace many years; he was president of the Amherst bank at the time of his death; he m. Nov. 18, 1811, Caroline, dau. of Nathan and Sybil Adams, of Leverett, b. Aug. 11, 1786; d. Oct. 23, 1868.

Alpheus Field, of Leverett, Mass., had two sons, Levi A. and D. S. Field. The former became clergyman, d. in Marlboro, Mass., leaving one child, Emma W. and widow Nancy M. Nov. 9, 1859, Stephen Morse, Marlboro, was appointed administrator. Petition said, "he left a wife, no debts and one child." Nov. 8, 1859, Nancy M. was appointed guardian of said Emma W., being under fourteen years of age. Later mother and daughter lived in Monson, Mass. D. S. Field resided, March 3, 1864, in Amherst.—Middlesex County Probate.

Alpheus, of Leverett, Aug. 23, 1836; wife, Lina; daughter, Caroline; sons, De Easting Salisbury and Levi; sister, Sarah Conant; brother, Sylvanus Field; witnesses, Stillman Field, Frary Field, Dexter Field.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

1531. i. DE ESTANG SALISBURY, b. Aug. 24, 1813; m. Editha Crocker.

1532. ii. CAROLINE, b. Dec. 8, 1817; m. June 21, 1838, Stoughton D. Crocker, of Sunderland.

1533. iii. LEVI ALPHEUS, b. Sept. 17, 1821; m. Nancy M. Holmes.

763. JONATHAN FIELD (Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Jan. 25, 1786; he removed in 1807 to Stanstead, Lower Canada, where he purchased a large tract of land and accumulated a large property; he was a very enterprising business man; d. Aug. 30, 1877, aged 91 years, 7 months, 5 days; he m., 1st, January, 1810, Elizabeth, dau. of John and Marjorie (Knowlton) Lothridge, of Pelham, Mass., b. April 22, 1783; d. Aug. 27, 1849; m., 2d, June 11, 1861, Ruth F., dau. of Daniel and Deborah (Barber) Dustan, and widow of Israel Parsons, b. in Lebanon, N. H., April 27, 1801; d. Dec. 11, 1869. He was b. in the northwestern part of Massachusetts, and in 1808 moved to Stanstead, Canada, and settled on the east part of number three, eleventh range, which he purchased of Selah Pomroy; his family belonged to the Wesleyan church. Res. Stanstead, Canada.

1534. i. MOSES SPELLMAN, b. June 9, 1811; m. Margaret I. Gibbs.

1535. ii. LAVINA, b. Sept. 14, 1812; res. at home: unm.

1536. iii. LUCY MARIA, b. Feb. 26, 1815; m. John M. Hubbard, of Stanstead; d. Feb. 18, 1839. He m., 2d, 1841, Lucy D. Wood; he was a farmer, settled on the family homestead.

1537. iv. ALONZO, b. Feb. 27, 1817; res. on homestead, unm.

1538. v. SUSAN M., b. Oct. 7, 1818; m. Dec. 31, 1845, Henry McGaffey, of Stanstead. Ch.: 1. Annie Maria, b. Feb. 19, 1847. 2. Herbert H., b. May 19, 1850; m. March 8, 1871, Inez Brewer, of Derby, Vt. 3. Ida Elizabeth, b. Oct. 5, 1853; d. June 7, 1872 4. Frederick B., b. Nov. 10, 1856; res. Stanstead.

1539. vi. ARVILLA, b. Dec. 1, 1820; m. May 14, 1849, Seth F. Ball, of Stanstead; a dau. b. and d. June, 1851, and Charles D., b. Oct. 5, 1859.

1540. vii. POLLY, b. Oct. 26, 1823; d. Nov. 9, 1830.

1541. viii. CLARISSA, b. Nov. 10, 1825; d. Feb. 6, 1827.

765. MOSES FIELD (Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 25, 1791; he inherited the old homestead, where he d. April 1, 1875, aged 84 years, 1 month, 5 days; he was a very worthy and prominent man in town, and had the confidence and respect of his neighbors and townsmen; he m., 1st, May 5, 1814, Dolly Russell, b. ——; d. May 26, 1816; 2d, Feb. 20, 1823, Almira Hubbard, b. ——; d. March 25, 1824; 3d, July 2, 1829, Rhoda Caroline, dau. of Nathan and Rhoda (Gatts) Putnam, of Wendell, Mass., the fifth generation from John Putnam, who emigrated to New England in 1634; she was b. June 20, 1809.

"Moses, of Leverett, 1875, April 16, filed; wife, Rhoda Caroline; seven children, Osmond H., D. Elmira, Moses, Jr., Putnam, Ophelia M., Herbert F., George E.; at this date Osmond H, resided Chautauqua county, N. Y.; D. Almira Stebbins resides Brattleboro, Vt.; Moses resides Leverett; Putnam resided Greenfield, now Cal——; Herbert F. resides Council Bluffs, Iowa; Ophelia M. resides Hadley; George E. resides Leverett.

R. Caroline, Leverett, 1887; d. Aug. 9, 1887; widow of Moses; sons, George E., Putnam, of Guilford; Osmond H., of Kiantone, N. Y.; Moses, of Leverett; Herbert F., of Council Bluffs, Iowa; daughters, D. Elmira, wife of John H. Stebbins, of Brattleboro, Vt.; Ophelia M., wife of Austin Field, of Hadley, Mass; mentions also Myra S. Field, Maud E. Field; mentions also Carrie M. (Field) Howard, the said Carrie representing her father Osmond H. Field in this bequest."—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

1542. i. OSMOND H., b. May 10, 1830; m. Lydia A. Perry.

1543. ii. DOLLY ELMIRA, b. March 6, 1832; m. Feb. 6, 1862, John H. Stebbins, of Brattleboro, Vt.; she d. May 2, 1890.

1544. iii. MOSES, b. Nov. 12, 1833; m. Ellen E. Hobart.

1545. iv. CORDELIA MARIA, b. May 12, 1835; d. Sept. 17, 1836.

1546. v. PUTNAM, b. Nov. 10, 1836; m. Kate M. Burt and Anne M. McGaffney.

1547. vi. OPHELIA MARIA, b. Dec. 5, 1838; m. June 13, 1872, Austin Field, of North Hadley; she d. March 28, 1891.

1548. vii. AN INFANT, b. April 17, 1840; d. April 17, 1840.

1549. viii. HERBERT FITZHENRY, b. May 9, 1842; m. Jennie I. Russell.

1550. ix. CHARLES CLIFTON, b. Nov. 25, 1843; he enlisted Dec. 11, 1861, in Company B, Thirty-first Regiment, Massachusetts Volun-

teers. Before leaving the State he was taken sick, but embarked with his regiment for Ship Island, La., from there to New Orleans, where he d. at the Lincoln hospital, Jan. 2, 1863.

1551. x. GEORGE EDWARD, b. May 26, 1846; m. Louisa Ingram.

769. RANSOM FIELD (Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 28, 1799; he removed to Montague, Mass.; in 1876 to Havana, Ill., where he d. March 19, 1877; He m., 1st, Eliza, dau. of Deacon Daniel and —— (Russell), of North Hadley, b. Jan. 1, 1803; d. Dec. 19, 1834; 2d, Nov. 18, 1836, Louisa, dau. of William and —— (Stevens) of Leverett, b. September, 1807; d. Feb. 27, 1861.

Louisa, of Leverett, 1869; ch., Clifton Ransom, b. March 7, 1854, child of Ransom and Louisa (deceased); Ransom appointed guardian June 1, 1869.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Havana, Ill.

1552. i. OREN RUSSELL, b. Oct. 8, 1826; d. Oct. 6, 1828.

1553. ii. LUCIA ANN, b. Sept. 10, 1829; d. Aug. 12, 1832.

1554. iii. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 30, 1832; m. June 1, 1861, Adolph Krebaum, of Havana, Mason county, Ill., where she went as a school teacher; he was county clerk for eighteen successive years.

1555. iv. NEWTON RUSSELL, b. Aug. 17, 1834; d. Dec. 5, 1834.

1556. v. JULIA ANN, b. Sept. 1, 1836.

1557. vi. FANNY ELECTA, b. June 12, 1841; d. Aug. 12, 1849.

1558. vii. ROSANNAH IANTHE, b. Dec. 12, 1845; d. Aug. 29, 1849.

1559. viii. CLIFTON RUSSELL, b. March 7, 1854.

770. DEACON JOHN FIELD (John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., 1727; m. Plainfield, Conn., April 6, 1747-48, Mrs. Lydia Warren, said to have been a sister of General Warren, who was killed at Bunker Hill, dau. of Joseph, b. Norwich, Conn., 1724; d. 1811. John Field 2d and John Field 4th were buried in Bridgewater; Capt. John Field, his wife Elizabeth, Deacon John Field and his wife Lydia. The remains of which were removed from the West Burying Ground to a lot on Linden avenue, North Burying Ground, 1864, in Providence, R. I. He was known as Deacon John.

B. 17, 290. From Archibald Young, July 1, 1767.

B. 18, 59. To Job Sweeting, July 1, 1763; wife Lydia.

B. 19, 485. To Daniel Snow, April 16, 1784, Friendship street.

B. 19, 503. To son Lemuel (p. 43), March 4, 1785, Friendship street.

B. 20, 168. To Jonathan Belcher, 1773.

B. 20, 702. To Joseph Eddy, May 5, 1772, Cowpen Point.

B. 21, 411. To son Daniel (p. 44), June 27, 1786, Ship street, Smithfield.

B. 6, 276. 1771, Feb. 6, to Caleb Aldrich, 6 acres, Scituate at Woonsocket.

B. 3, 414. 1748, Feb. 14, to Stephen Smith, no wife.

B. 4, 355. 1756, May 10, to Henry Carpenter, original right of Henry Fowler; Bro. James joins in deed.

Will of John Field (Deacon). Providence Probate Docket, Vol. I. No. A1465. Will Book No. 7, page 306.—In the name of God Amen I John Field of the Town of Providence being weak in Body but of perfect Mind & sound Judgment thanks be unto God calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die, do make & ordain this my last Will and Testament, that is to say principally & first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the Hand of Almighty God that gave it & my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in

decent christian burial at the discretion of my Executors; nothing doubting but at the resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God, and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life, I give, devise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form

First I give & bequeath to Lydia my dearly beloved Wife the one third part of the improvement of all my Lands & Tenements together with my dwell. House & its appurtenances & the adjoining inclosed Garden for her to possess and peacefully enjoy during her natural Life, she allowing the entire of the second Story of my said dwelling House to my beloved daughter Lydia & to my grandaughter Anne Bowler so long as each shall remain unmarried, likewise to her my beloved Wife Lydia I bequeath all my Quick Stock, my household Furniture & ready Money after my just debts are paid, and I give unto her my beloved Wife Lydia during her natural Life, liberty at pleasure in my Orchard situated East of Ship Street & I also bequeath like priviledge unto my daughter Lydia Bowler during the period whilst she shall continue unmarried. And further to my beloved Wife Lydia's care I commit the Silver Tankard presented to me by the Field Fountain Society and on her decease it shall be lodged with my son Daniel at whose decease it shall devolve to him or her of my Heirs who shall then live nearest to the Fountain out of respect to the Society who so generously & politely presented me therewith

Second, to my beloved daughter Lydia Bowler I bequeath Eight Lots of Land in Field Street on the East side beginning at Ship Street each Lot to contain forty feet in front & to extend back ninety-five feet, likewise I bequeath to her a Lot of Land on the Plain containing Eight Acres & adjoining to the Road leading from this Town to Randall's Mill, which Lot I call the second Lot, situated & adjoining on the West to the first Lot and to run parellel therewith to the Pond lying East thereof

Third, To my beloved daughter Abigail Proud I give & bequeath a Lot of Land on the Plain as aforesaid which Lot contains Eight Acres & beginning fourteen Rods West of Mess. Saml & Danl. Prouds Lot, shall run parallel with the fence of Mess. Mumford & Wm. Potter to the Pond lying East and being bounded on the West by the second Lot above mentioned I call this the first Lot likewise I give to her Eight Lots of Land in Field Street on the West side beginning at Ship Street each Lot to front forty feet on Field Street & to extend ninety five feet back, but a Gangway sufficient for a Cart to pass out of Field Street into the Meadow on the West side thereof must be left wherever my son Daniel may think convenient.

Fourth. To my beloved daughter Zerviah Wheeler I give one half of the House wherein she now lives that is to say the lower part which she now occupies together with one half of the Cellar & Garret & half the Garden belonging thereto likewise I give and bequeath to her a Lot of Land containing Eight Acres lying & being on the Plain aforesaid which Lot lying West of the second Lot and joining thereto shall extend parallel therewith to the Pond on the East thereot which Lot I call the Third Lot. And further unto my three daughters viz Lydia Bowler, Zerviah Wheeler & Abigail Proud, I bequeath an additional Gift of six Acres of Land lying, being & bounded as follows viz lying to the North West of Friendship Street & joining immediately thereto bounded on the North & North East side by Woodbury Coy & Nathl. Gladding holding thence to extend Westerly so as to contain six Acres and then to turn a square corner to the Northwesterly line of my Land. And it is my Will further that my three daughters above mentioned & their Heirs after them forever do keep in good order the outward fences adjoining to their several Lands & Lots so as to secure them without expense or inconvenience to either of my sons John or Daniel or their Heirs after them forever

Fifth. To my beloved grandaughter Ann Bowler (she having no father to assist

her) I give the Lot of Land next adjoining to the Parsonage Lot in Ship Street to contain forty feet in front & ninety five feet back & situated South East from the Parsonage Lot aforesaid, likewise I give to her the Sixth Lot on the Plain aforesaid containing three Acres & joining on the West to the fifth Lot shall run parallel therewith from the Road before mentioned to the Pond lying East thereof

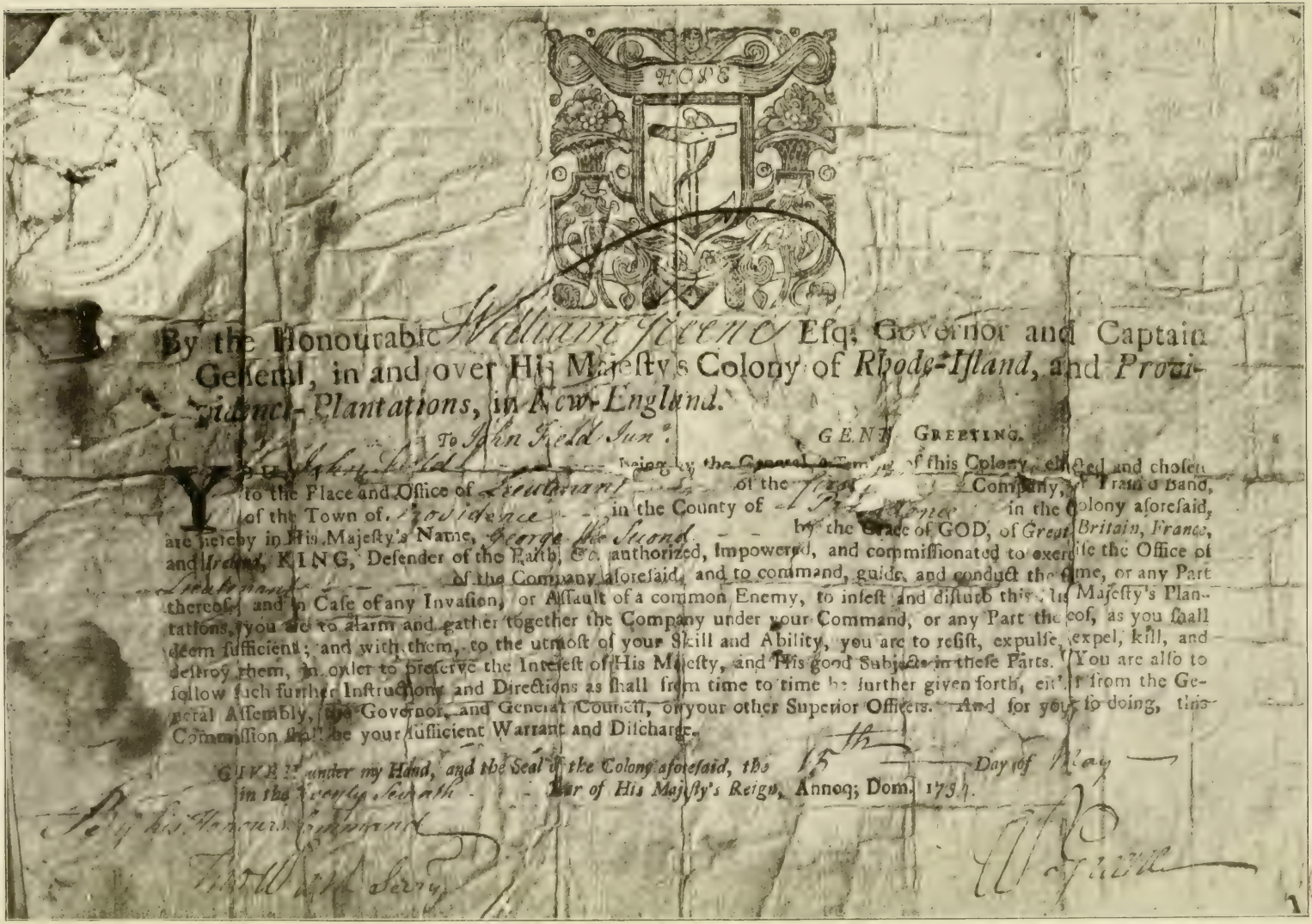
Sixth To my beloved grandson Joseph Bowler (he having no Father to assist him) I give the seventh Lot containing three Acres on the Plain above mentioned & joining on the West to the Sixth Lot shall run parallel therewith from the aforesaid Road to the Pond lying East thereof; likewise I give to him a Lot in Ship Street situated South East from the Parsonage Lot and is the second from it to be forty feet in front and ninety five feet deep

Seventh. To my beloved Grandson William Field I give the Lot next adjoining on the South East to the Lot mentioned, to extend forty feet in front and ninety five feet back in consideration of several years fidelity spent in my Service

Eighth. To my beloved Son Lemuel I bequeath the Lot bounded as follows viz situated South West of Ship Street from the corner of Prospect Street and Ship Street to front ninety feet on Ship Street East, then turning a square corner to run back one hundred and ten feet and again turning a square corner & retaining still the depth of one hundred and ten feet to run in a Straight line ninety feet to Prospect Street together with my dwelling House & Building, standing thereon to be occupied and peacefully possessed by him after the decease of my beloved Wife Lydia he allowing the upper Story of said house to my daughter Lydia & granddaughter Anne Bowler as already expressed in the former part of this my last Will and Testament, also I give to him the inclosed Garden joining on Prospect Street & should said Garden or any part of it be taken into said Prospect Street the same shall be made good to him by my Executors, likewise I bequeath to him a Lot containing Eight Acres on the Plain above mentioned and situated immediately West of the third Lot bequeathed to his Sister Zerviah Wheeler and joining thereto to run parallel therewith from the aforesaid Road to the Pond lying East this Lot I call the fourth Lot

Ninth. To my beloved son Joseph I give the fifth Lot of Land on the Plain above mentioned Lot containing Eight Acres and joining on the West to the last mentioned Lot to run parallel therewith from the aforesaid Road to the Pond as above mentioned. Also I give to him one half of the House wherein he now lives that is to say the second Story together with one half of the Cellar & Garret with one half of the Garden thereof. And further to my two Sons Lemuel & Joseph I give Eight Lots of Land joining to the Pautuxet Road from this Town each Lot to front said Road forty feet and to extend ninety five feet back on the West to join a Lot belonging to Potter Card & to extend from thence towards the Gate leading to the Burial Ground situated within my Lands. Also I bequeath to them all my Lands and Lots to the North of Richmond Street and East on North of Ship Street and not otherwise disposed of in this my last Will & Testament. Also I Will & command them to keep in Good order all the outer Fences of their several Lands & their Heirs after them without expense to my Sons John or Daniel, or their Heirs after them forever

Tenth. To my beloved son Daniel I give the Lot containing the Tobacco Yard & Hovel, North Westerly from his House to extend East to Mr. Oliver Pearcis, Lot from thence to run South East to the outer boundary of the Orchard & including said Orchard to run West to Ship Street in a direct line: likewise I give to him the Lot situated North of the Lot containing my dwelling House beginning at the North East corner of Lemuel Field's Lot extending ninety five feet on the East line of said Lot then turning a corner Easterly to Prospect Street, then Northerly on



HOPE

By the Honourable William Greene Esq; Governor and Captain General, in and over His Majesty's Colony of *Rhode-Island*, and *Providence-Plantations*, in *New-England*.

To John Field Junr. GENT GREETING.

YOU, John Field being by the General Assembly of this Colony, elected and chosen to the Place and Office of Lieutenant of the first Company, of Train'd Band, of the Town of Providence in the County of Providence in the Colony aforesaid, are hereby in His Majesty's Name, George the Second by the Grace of GOD, of *Great Britain, France*, and *Ireland*, KING, Defender of the Faith, &c. authorized, impowered, and commissionated to exercise the Office of Lieutenant of the Company aforesaid, and to command, guide, and conduct the same, or any Part thereof; and in Case of any Invasion, or Assault of a common Enemy, to infest and disturb this His Majesty's Plantations, you are to alarm and gather together the Company under your Command, or any Part thereof, as you shall deem sufficient; and with them, to the utmost of your Skill and Ability, you are to resist, expulse, expel, kill, and destroy them, in order to preserve the Interest of His Majesty, and His good Subjects in these Parts. You are also to follow such further Instructions and Directions as shall from time to time be further given forth, either from the General Assembly, the Governor, and General Council, or your other Superior Officers. And for your so doing, this Commission shall be your sufficient Warrant and Discharge.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Seal of the Colony aforesaid, the 15th *Day of* May *in the* Twenty Seventh *Year of His Majesty's Reign*, Annoq; Dom. 1754.

By his Honour's Command

Wm Wm Sevry

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MILITARY COMMISSION OF LIEUT. JOHN FIELD, JR., OF PROVIDENCE, R. I., 1754.

Prospect Street one hundred & ten feet to Ship Street, thence to the first mentioned bound with the Barn & Crib standing thereon, and he having with me purchased many of my Tools of Husbandry I therefore bequeath the whole thereof to him

Eleventh. To my beloved son John I bequeath the House & Farm which I bought of Stedman & to my sons John, Lemuel, Daniel & Joseph I give my wearing apparel to be equally divided amongst them, but my Sword & Gun I give to my son Joseph

Lastly. To my beloved sons John & Daniel whom I likewise constitute, make & ordain my sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament, I give all & singular my remaining Lands, Messuages & Tenements at home and upon the Plain together with all my undivided Lands within & without the seven Mile line by them to be equally & freely possessed & enjoyed

And I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke & disannul all & every other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies Bequests & Executors by me in any wise before named Willed or Bequeathed, ratifying & confirming this & no other to be my last Will and Testament

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & Seal this Eleventh day of February in the year of one thousand seven hundred and ninety four A. D. 1794

Signed, Sealed, Published & Declared by the said John Field to be his last Will & Testament in presence of us who subscribed as Witnesses in presence of the Testator & in presence of each other — JOHN FIELD, (L.S.)

Thomas Jones
Jacob Whitman Jun.
John Dorrance

Proved April 7, 1794.

He d. March 10, 1794; res. Providence, R. I.

1560. i. JOHN, b. March 22, 1748; m. Marcy Searle.

1561. ii. LEMUEL, b. Dec. 28, 1750; m. Rachel Downing.

1562. iii. DANIEL, b. May 19, 1755; m. Zipporah Benjamin.

1563. iv. JOSEPH, b. 1763; m. Prudence Carpenter, Mrs. Eliza (Usher) Burrows and Phebe Wallen.

1564. v. LYDIA, b. May 8, 1753; m. Dec. 1, 1774, Joseph Bowler. He d. before 1794; she d. Dec. 13, 1833. Ch.: 1. Joseph, d. quite young. 2. Nancy, m. Joseph Fry, of Albany, N. Y.; they had several children. 3. Anne, unm. in 1794. 4. Joseph.

1565. vi. ABBY, b. 1760; m. Dec. 6, 1787, Daniel Proud; she d. 1844, s. p.

1566. vii. ZERVIAH, b. 1758; m. May 25, 1780, Bennett Wheeler, b. Halifax, N. S., 1755; d. Providence, R. I., in 1806; she d. 1802. Ch.: 1. John, d. unm. 2. George, d. unm. 3. Betsy. 4. Bennett H. 5. Samuel. 6. Susan, d. unm. 7. Henry B., m. Eliza Boss, of Newport; removed to New York State.

771. JAMES FIELD (John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., June 1, 1729; m. Sept. 3, 1750, Sarah Birkett. Administration of his estate was granted May 15, 1788, to Maj. Daniel Box.

B. 12, 441. From John Field, April 10, 1751.
B. 12, 455. From Benjamin Man, 1750.
B. 12, 479. To Asaph Bowen, May 24, 1751; wife, Sarah.
B. 12, 480. From Asaph Bowen, May 30, 1751.
B. 13, 63. To Grindall Rawson, 1752; wife, Sarah.
B. 17, 113. To John Dexter, Oct. 9, 1760.

B. 17, 190. From Ezekiel Williams, Nov. 11, 1760.
B. 18, 198. To Benjamin Talbot, March 20, 1767.
B. 19, 143. To Nathaniel Jacobs, Aug. 29, 1770, 41 acres near Benedict Pond.
B. 20, 385. To Joseph Hoyle, Oct. 24, 1776, Snow Land.
Smithfield, 6, 276. To Caleb Aldrich, Feb. 6, 1771, 6 acres at Woonsocket.
He d. of small pox May 9, 1788. Res. Providence, R. I.

1567. i. JAMES, b. ——; m. Rebecca Waterman.
1568. ii. WILLIAM, b. 1752; m. Freelove Sprague.
1569. iii. GEORGE, b. 1757; m. Sarah Potter.
1570. iv. JOHN, b. ——; n. f. k.
1571. v. ARTHUR, b. ——; d. unm.; killed by Indians. Jan. 7, 1790. Arthur Field, son of James Field, deceased, liable to be chargeable to town, is apprenticed to Henry Huffman.—Early Providence Record.
1572. vi. EDWARD, b. ——; d. unm. Providence record gives marriage June 4, 1786, of Edward Field and Susannah Stone. Arnold 10, 162, gives this marriage, but gives Stowe, not Stone.
1573. vii. BENJAMIN, b. 1777; m. Sally Williams.
1574. viii. JOB, b. ——; m. —— Updike and —— Tillinghast, and d. s. p.
1575. ix. MEHITABLE, b. ——; m. Dec. 16, 1787, Daniel Anthony; m., 2d, —— Ingraham. Ch.: 1. James Anthony; d. in infancy.
1576. x. SALLY, b. 1753; m. March 10, 1776, Ford Wescott; d. Aug. 4, 1840. Ch.: 1. James, m. Hannah Potter. 2. George, went west. 3. Sally, unm. 4. Freelove, m. —— Miller.
1577. xi. POLLY, b. ——; m. Nov. 24, 1782, Maj.-Gen. Daniel Box. Ch.: 1. Polly, d. unm.
1578. xii. BETSEY, b. 1770; m. June 26, 1788, Thomas Prentice, b. 1758; d. January, 1830. Res. Providence, R. I. Ch.: 1. John. 2. Sally, m. Caleb Arnold. 3. James, m. Elmira Field. 4. Betsey, m. Jeremiah Barret. 5. Benjamin, unm. 6. Richard, unm. 7. Daniel, m. Mary Bogman. 8. Mary, m. George McGuire. 9. Mehitable, d. young. 10. Thomas, d. infant. 11. William, d. infant. 12. George, d. infant.

772. CAPTAIN ZEBULON FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass.; the second son; m. Charity Lincoln, dau. of Benjamin, of Taunton; d. 1783; m., 2d, July 28, 1784, Hannah Hall, dau. of Joseph and Nancy (Andrews); d. Dec. 4, 1829.

[Zebulon Field, son of Richard and Susanna (Waldo) Field, of Bridgewater, b. Aug. 23, 1707; m. Nov. 14, 1733, Anna Williams (Joseph, Joseph, Richard, of Taunton), b. Jan. 18, 1710-11; m., 2d, Patience Wetherell, Feb. 22, 1750. He d. in 1797, and she probably in 1798. His age, nearly seventy, shows that this Zebulon did not serve in the Revolutionary army. By his first wife he had seven children, and by his second wife ten, all born in Taunton. Among his children by his first wife was Zebulon, Jr., who m. Charity Leonard. She d. in 1783. In 1784 he m., 2d, Hannah Hall. He d. in 1805, and she in 1829. Have not investigated this family further than to ascertain the names of the children of Anna Williams, and the date of Zebulon, Jr.'s, death may not be correct. The Zebulon Field, who was on the pension roll in 1831-33, cannot have been Zebulon, Jr., for the latter was born before 1750, and probably as early as 1740, while the former was seventy-four years old in 1831 to 1835, and so was not born as early as 1755.—J. H. D.]—Boston Transcript, June 15, 1898.

[Anna Williams, who m. Zebulon Field, was a great-granddaughter of Richard Williams, one of the first settlers of Taunton. The line was Anna, Joseph, Joseph, Richard. Zebulon Field was b. in Bridgewater (according to Mitchell) in 1707, and was the father or grandfather of Zebulon, of Taunton, the soldier of the Revolution.—L. X.]—Boston Transcript, June 22, 1898.

It is said he had other children, if so, they probably died young. No other children are mentioned in the settlement of his estate. He left no will. His widow, Hannah, was appointed administratrix, Dec. 3, 1805. The above names are taken from the division of his estate.

Field, Zebulon (also given Jr.), Taunton. First lieutenant Capt. Israel Trow's company, Col. Jacob French's regiment; list of officers chosen to command companies in regiment raised in Bristol and Cumberland counties and stationed at Winter Hill, Feb. 27, 1776; company raised in Norton, Taunton, Freetown, Dartmouth, Mansfield, Raynham and Middleborough. Ordered in council March 26, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned March 13 (?), 1776. Also first lieutenant Capt. Elisha Barney's Tenth (Taunton) company, Third Bristol company, regiment of Massachusetts militia. List of officers chosen by the several companies in said regiment, as returned by George Williams and James Williams, Jr., field officers. Ordered in council April 13, 1776, that said officers be commissioned; reported commissioned April 5 (?), 1776. Also lieutenant Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) company, Col. George Williams' (3d Bristol county) regiment; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren via Rehoboth, on the alarm of Rhode Island, of Dec. 8, 1776. Also lieutenant Capt. Ichabod Leonard's company, Col. John Hathaway's regiment; service, 22 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777, by order of Brigadier-General Godfrey. Also first lieutenant Capt. Jonathan Shaw's company, Col. George Williams' regiment; service, 1 month, 1 day; company marched from Raynham, Taunton and Easton, in September, 1777, on a secret expedition.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Hannah Hall, dau. of Joseph Hall (Captain Joseph, Joseph, George, of Taunton) and Mary Andrews (Captain Edmund, Captain John, John, of Boston), d. in 1805.

He d. in 1805. Res. Taunton, Mass.

1579. i. ANNA HALL, b. Dec. 26, 1797; m. Nov. 21, 1825, Comfort Hardon, of Mansfield, Mass. (Jacob, David, Edward, Edward, Edward, of Ipswich and Gloucester), d. Sept. 14, 1854. They lived at Mansfield, Mass., where all their children were born, until about 1838, when they removed, to Martinsburg, W. Va. Ch.:

1. Anna Frances, b. March 26, 1827; m. Aug. 31, 1852, Hon. Isaac Tucker Burr, formerly merchant, president of the National bank of North America, at Boston, and representative to General court of Massachusetts. (See Burr family and Tucker family.) They reside at Newton, Mass., where all their children were born. Ch.: (a) Annie Hardon Burr, b. Sept. 21, 1853; m. Sept. 21, 1877, John W. Farlow; A. B. (Harv.), M. D. (Harv.), specialist in diseases of throat and nose. They reside in Boston, Mass. Ch.: i. Margaret Farlow, b. Aug. 22, 1880. ii. John S. Farlow, b. Sept. 20, 1882; a student at Harvard College. (b) Cora Frances Burr, b. Jan. 9, 1855; m. June 24, 1886, Henry Winthrop Hardon, A. M. (Harv.), LL. B. (Harv.), formerly professor of law at Cornell University Law School (1895-96) and at Columbia University Law School (1896-99), counsellor at law. They reside in New York City. Ch.: i. Henry Knox Hardon,

b. May 19, 1890. ii. Anne Frances Hardon, b. Nov. 12, 1891. (c) Hon. Heman Merrick Burr, A. B. (Harv.), LL. B. (Harv.), formerly mayor of Newton, Mass., paymaster on United States monitor "Katskill," during Spanish war (1898), counsellor at law; b. July 28, 1856; m. November, 1881, Mary F. Ames. They reside at Chestnut Hill, Mass. Ch.: i. Roger Ames Burr, b. Aug. 28, 1882; a student at Harvard College. ii. Francis Hardon Burr, b. Sept. 15, 1886. iii. Mary Hartwell Burr, b. Dec. 1, 1898. (d) Isaac Tucker Burr, Jr., A. B. (Harv.), of the firm of Parkinson & Burr, bankers, Boston and New York, b. Feb. 21, 1858; m. Oct. 12, 1882, Alice McClure Peters. They reside at Milton, Mass. Ch.: i. Isaac Tucker Burr, b. March 22, 1885, at Boston. ii. Barbara Burr, b. Nov. 1, 1886, at Boston. iii. Carleton Burr, b. Aug. 29, 1891, at Milton, Mass. iv. Alice Burr, b. Oct. 16, 1893, at Milton, Mass. (e) Winthrop Burr, A. B. (Harv.), of the firm of Parkinson & Burr, bankers, Boston and New York, b. July 25, 1861; m. February, 1887, Frances Page. They reside at Lawrence, Long Island, N. Y. Ch.: i. Rosamond Burr, b. June, 1889, at Boston. ii. Frances Burr, b. November, 1890, at Boston. iii. Winthrop Burr, Jr., b. September, 1895, at Lawrence, Long Island, N. Y. iv. Robert Burr, b. January, 1898, at Lawrence, Long Island, N. Y. (f) Bertha Burr, b. March 30, 1863; m. July, 1896, Charles Eriksson. They reside in Svarfvaretorp, Sweden. Ch.: i. Bertha Ericksson, b. March, 1897, in Sweden. (g) Allston Burr, A. B. (Harv.), of the firm of Perry, Coffin & Burr, bankers, at Boston, b. July 3, 1866; m. June 11, 1898, Elizabeth Jenks Randolph. They reside at Chestnut Hill, Mass., and have no children.

2. Henry C. Hardon, principal of Boston public schools, b. Aug. 9, 1829; m. Nov. 29, 1859, Anna Wallace Wilson (Nathaniel James, Jesse, James, James, Joseph, William, of Boston). They resided first at Boston, Mass., where their first two children were born, then at 28 Copley St., Newton, Mass., where their other children were born. The place of his education was the Berkeley Seminary, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., where he was for a short time after graduation a teacher of mathematics and surveying. Ch.: (a) Henry Winthrop Hardon, A. M. (Harv.), LL. B. (Harv.), formerly professor of law at Cornell University Law School (1895-96), and at Columbia University Law School (1896-99), counsellor at law; b. April 13, 1861; m. June 24, 1886, Cora Frances Burr. They reside at New York City. Ch.: i. Henry Knox Hardon, b. May 19, 1890. ii. Anne Frances Hardon, b. Nov. 12, 1891. (b) Robert Wallace Hardon, M. D. (Harv.); lecturer at Rush Medical School; physician; b. June 17, 1862; unm. Res. at Chicago. (c) Margaret Hardon, A. B. (Wellesley), formerly student of architecture at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and at Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris; b. March 28, 1869; unm. Res. at Paris, France. (d) Kenneth Wilson Hardon, leather merchant, formerly student at Lawrence Scientific School; b. Nov. 29, 1872; unm. Resides at Frankfort, Germany. (e) Richard Field Hardon, b. Dec. 4, 1878; d. Aug. 25, 1896; unm.

Henry C. Hardon was b. in Mansfield, Mass., Aug. 9, 1829.

At nine years his parents removed to Virginia; first Gerardstown, afterwards Martinsburg, Berkeley county. After graduating he went to Boston by request of his mother's brother, Barnum Field, and entered one of the large public schools of that city as instructor, where he has remained to the present day. His parents were Comfort Hardon, of Mansfield, Mass., and Anna (Hannah) Hall Field, of Taunton. He m. Anna W. Wilson, dau. of Nathaniel Wilson and Ruth Tucker Seward, of Lowell, afterwards Lawrence, Mass. Ch.: 1. Henry W. Hardon, lawyer in New York. 2. Robert W. Hardon, physician in Chicago. 3. Kenneth W. Hardon, merchant in Frankfort on Main, Germany. 4. Margaret, graduate of Wellesley College. Anna Wallace Wilson is the daughter of Nathaniel Wilson, who was a son of James Wilson, and lived in Hudson, N. H. His father was Capt. Jesse Wilson, a soldier in General Stark's regiment, in northern New York. Jesse's wife was Ruth Merrill. Jesse married Lucinda Page, daughter of Abel Page, of Haverhill. Ch.: 1. Gaius. 2. Dorcas. 3. James. 4. Joseph. 5. Frank. 6. Nathaniel. 7. Daniel. 8. Lucinda. 9. E. Gerry. 10. Lorenzo.

3. Harriet Sweet, b. March 31, 1832; m. Benjamin S. Lyeth; now d. She resides at Martinsburg, W. Va., where her children were born. Ch.: (a) Lieut. Clinton Hoffman Lyeth, United States Navy; graduate of United States Naval Academy; b. April 12, 1851; m. April 16, 1884, at Wichita, Kans., Helena E. McGee; d. at Martinsburg, W. Va., March 8, 1895. (b) Henry Burr Lyeth, b. May 14, 1853; d. Nov. 8, 1859. (c) Frank Benjamin Lyeth, b. Nov. 23, 1855; d. March 15, 1856. (d) John Chester Lyeth, railroad agent, b. Aug. 7, 1857; m. June 24, 1885, Dollie M. Richardson, at Carthage, Mo. Ch.: 1. John M. Richardson Lyeth, b. April 13, 1886. (e) Henry Comfort Lyeth, merchant, b. Sept. 28, 1859; m. Oct. 14, 1885, at Manhattan, Kans., Emma Virginia Maryfield. They reside at Baltimore, Md. Ch.: i. Margaret Fenn Lyeth, b. March 20, 1888. ii. Harriet Glenn Lyeth, b. Feb. 1, 1890. (f) Joseph Hardon Lyeth, merchant, b. July 18, 1865; m. Sept. 23, 1892, at Kansas City, Mo., Martha Rogers Crocken. They reside at Martinsburg, W. Va. Ch.: i. Benjamin Samuel Lyeth, b. Nov. 7, 1893. ii. Julia Crocken Lyeth, b. March 8, 1897. iii. Harriet Hardon Lyeth, b. March 8, 1897.

4. Joseph Bradford Hardon, A. M. (Harv.), merchant at Boston, b. March 31, 1834; m. June 29, 1876, Alison Cleveland, dau. of Prof. Charles Dexter Cleveland, of Philadelphia, and second cousin of ex-President Grover Cleveland. They reside at Jamaica Plains, Mass., where all their children were born. Ch.: (a) Cleveland Hardon, clerk, b. April 14, 1877; unm. (b) Frances Hardon, student at Radcliffe College, b. Feb. 27, 1879; unm. (c) Joseph Bradford Hardon, Jr., student at Harvard College, b. Nov. 18, 1880; unm.

5. Chester Field Hardon, merchant, b. Sept. 21, 1836; m. April 14, 1863, Isabella Wilson (Nathaniel James, Jesse, James, James, Joseph, William, of Boston). They resided first at Boston, Mass., then at Brooklyn, N. Y., and now at Oakland, Cal. Ch.: (a) Marion Hardon, b. June 28, 1867; m. July 9, 1895, Willie Oscar

Schroeder. Resides in Munich, Bavaria. (b) Elliot Hardon, b. July 18, 1868; m. Carrie Graves. They reside at Bridgeton, N. J. Ch.: i. Dorothy, b. May 4, 1892. ii. Muriel, b. April 7, 1895.

1580. ii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 10, 1786; m. 1806, Sylvester Leonard, b. 1770; d. May 28, 1843. She d. March 5, 1847. Ch.: 1. Stella, m. William Ayres, of Boston. 2. Edward L. 3. Emeline Frances. 4. Harriet L., m. William Cook, of Taunton. 5. Eliza. 6. Edward. 7. Emeline.

1581. iii. JOSEPH, b. March 29, 1787; m. Lydia Glover.

1582. iv. BRADFORD, b. Feb. 22, 1789; m. Sally Wetherell and Mary Phillips.

1583. v. LEONARD, b. Aug. 12, 1790; m. Lydia Eddy.

1584. vi. SALLY, b. Nov. 21, 1791; m. Jacob Hardon; d. Sept. 3, 1838. She d. Sept. 30, 1838. He was of Mansfield, Conn.; a school teacher and a manufacturer.

1585. vii. GILBERT, b. June 26, 1793; m. Mary Willerton.

1586. viii. ABNER, b. Feb. 13, 1795; m. Rebecca Delano.

1587. ix. BARNUM, b. June 11, 1796; m. Frances E. Field.

1588. x. ZEBULON, b. 1760; m. Olive White.

1589. xi. ABIEZER, b. 1762; m. —— ——.

1590. xii. DARIUS, b. ——; m. Rachel ——.

1591. xiii. DAVID, b. Aug. 30, 1774; m. Celia Lincoln.

1592. xiv. JONATHAN, b. 1781; m. Hannah Wilbur.

1593. xv. NANCY, b. ——.

773. RICHARD FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass.; m. June 24, 1766, Norton, Mass., Rachel Clapp, of Norton.

Field, Richard, Mansfield. Private Capt. Abiel Clap's company of Minutemen, Col. John Dagget's regiment; service between April 19 and April 29, 1775; 9 days. Also private Capt. David Packard's company, Colonel Cary's regiment; service, 11 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780. Also private Capt. John Dean's company, Col. Isaac Dean's (4th Bristol county) regiment; enlisted Aug. 1, 1780; discharged Aug. 7, 1780; service, 9 days, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Aug. 1, 1780. Roll dated Mansfield.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Mansfield, Mass.

1594. i. WILLIAMS, b. May 27, 1770; m. Margaret Clapp.

774. CORPORAL NATHANIEL FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Jan. 3, 1751; m. Sarah Leonard, dau. of William and Ruth (Hoar).

Field, Nathaniel. Corporal Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) company, Col. George Williams' (3d Bristol county) regiment; service, 19 days. Company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776; roll dated Taunton. Also Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's company, Col. Abiel Mitchell's regiment, commanded by Lieut.-Col. James Williams, Brigadier-General Godfrey's (Bristol county) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Probate, Taunton, 56, 457. Will of Nathaniel Field, of Taunton, Dec. 9, 1808; proved March 10, 1820. To wife, Sarah; to sons Bethuel and Artemas; to daughter Flora Wetherell, wife of Solomon; to daughter Philana, wife of Thomas Weth-

erell; to daughter Mereda, wife of Uriah Smith; to daughter Orvilla Field; son Artemas executor.

He d. about 1820. Res. Taunton, Mass.

1594⅛. i. NATHANIEL, b. Aug. 18, 1774; m. Sarah Leonard.

1594⅙. ii. FLORA, b. April 2, 1776; m. March 29, 1795, Solomon Wetherell, son of Solomon and Hepzibah (Lincoln). Res. Raynham, Mass. Ch.: 1. Solomon, b. 1796; d. Jan. 13, 1800. 2. Flora, b. May 8, 1798. 3. Seth, b. Nov. 11, 1801. 4. Artemus Field, b. May 31, 1804. 5. Cordana, b. July 13, 1806. 6. Nathaniel Leonard, b. Oct. 24, 1808. 7. Shephard Alger, b. Aug. 6, 1811. 8. Peleg Emery, b. March 23, 1814.

1594¼. iii. BETHUEL, b. March 12, 1778; m. Sally Lincoln.

1594⅓. iv. PHILENA, b. Feb. 17, 1780; m. Thomas Wetherell, son of Solomon and Hepzibah (Lincoln) Wetherell. Ch.: 1. Thomas, b. Nov. 12, 1798. 2. Daniel H. 3. Benjamin T. 4. Philena. 5. Lois H. 6. Lucetta. 7. Serepta. Res. Taunton, Mass.

1594½. v. ARTEMAS, b. Dec. 6, 1783; m. Lucinda Leonard.

1594¾. vi. MEREDA, b. Sept. 15, 1785; m. March, 1806, Uriah Smith, son of James and Hannah (Wilbur) Smith. Ch.: 1. Paran Field Smith, b. in Taunton, Aug. 28, 1809. 2. Thomas Leonard Smith, b. in Taunton, Dec. 3, 1812.

1594⅞. vii. ORILLA, b. Oct. 19, 1794; m. James Clapp.

775. JAMES FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass.; m. in 1779, Mary Drew, of Plymouth, Mass.

Field, James. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's company, Col. Abiel Mitchel's regiment; commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brig. Gen. Godfrey's (Bristol county) brigade; service, 6 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Taunton, Mass.

1594-5. i. POLLY, b. ——; Robert Lincoln, son of Stephen, of Taunton.

1594-6. ii. PAMELIA, b. ——; m. May 4, 1800, George Smith, son of James and Hannah (Wilbur), of Taunton.

1594-7. iii. MARZILLIA, b. ——; m. Feb. 16, 1809, George Pool.

1594-8. iv. ALSON, b. ——.

1594-9. v. AND probably others.

776. JOHN FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. 1740, in Taunton, Mass.; m. Hannah ——; d. March 22, 1790.

Field, John, Taunton. Private, Capt. Marcey Williams' company, Col. Timothy Walker's regiment; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775; service, 3 months, 7 days. Also company return dated Oct. 6, 1775. Also order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money, dated Roxbury, Dec. 12, 1775. Also private, Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) company, Col. George Williams' (3d Bristol county) regiment; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776; roll dated Taunton. Also corporal, Capt. Jonathan Shaw's company, Col. George Williams' regiment; service, 1 month, 1 day; company marched from Raynham, Taunton and Easton, in September, 1777, on a secret expedition. Also private, Capt. Israel Trow's company, Col. John Daggett's regiment; entered service Jan. 19, 1778; discharged March 31, 1778; service, 2 months, 13 days, under Major-General Spencer, at Rhode Island; company drafted to serve for 3 months from Jan. 1, 1778. Roll sworn to at Norton. Also

private, Capt. John Haskins' company, in a regiment commanded by Lieut.-Col. Samuel Pierce; enlisted May 28, 1779; discharged July 1, 1779; service, 1 month, 6 days, travel included, at Tiverton; company raised to serve at Rhode Island until July 1, 1779.

He d. May 4, 1824. Res. Norton and Attleboro, Mass.

1595. i. SOLOMON, b. Sept. 29, 1760; d. Jan. 1, 1782.

Know all men by these presents, that we, John Field, of Attleborough, laborer, Ephraim Lane, Esq., and Nathaniel Prior, yeoman, both of Norton, all in the county of Bristol, within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, are holden and stand firmly bound and obliged unto Benjamin Williams, Esq., Judge of the Probate of wills, and granting administrations within the county of Bristol, in the full sum of five hundred pounds, in lawful money of the said Commonwealth, to be paid unto the said Benjamin Williams, Esq., or his successors in the said office or assigns, to the true payment whereof, we bind ourselves, and each of us, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, for the whole and in the whole, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals. Dated the twenty-fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-two.

The condition of this present obligation is such, that if the above bounden, John Field, who is appointed administrator on the estate of Solomon Field, late of said Attleborough, deceased, do make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, which have, or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said John, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made, do exhibit, or cause to be exhibited, into the registry of the court of probate, for the said county of Bristol, at or before the 24th day of September next ensuing; and the same goods, chattels, rights and credits, and all other goods, chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, at the time of his death, which at any time after shall come to the hands and possession of the said John, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him, do well and truly administer according to law; and further, do make or cause to be made, a just and true account of his said administration upon oath, at or before the 24th day of June, which will be in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three. And all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels, rights and credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said administrators' account (the same being first examined and allowed of by the judge or judges, for the time being, of probate of wills, and granting administrations within the county of Bristol aforesaid) he shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively, as the said judge or judges by his or their decree or sentence pursuant to law shall limit and appoint. And if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the said deceased, and the executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same into the court of probate for the said county of Bristol, making request to have it

allowed and approved accordingly; if the said John Field, within bounden, being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said letter of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made) into the said court. Then the before-written obligation to be void and of no effect, or else to abide and remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and delivered in presence of
Geo. Leonard
Peddy Leonard

John Field (Seal)
Ephraim Lane (Seal)
Nathl. Prior (Seal)

Bristol, ss.: Commonwealth of Massachusetts. By the Hon. Benjn. Williams, Esq. L. S. Judge of the probate of wills, and granting letters of administration on the estates of persons deceased, having goods, chattels, rights or credits in the county of Bristol, within the Commonwealth aforesaid.

To John Field, of Attleborough, in the county and state aforesaid, laborer, greeting: Whereas, Solomon Field, late of said Attleborough, deceased, deceased having while he lived, and at the time of his decease goods, chattels, rights or credits in the county aforesaid, lately died intestate, whereby the power of committing administration and full disposition of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits of credits of the said deceased; and also the hearing, examining and allowing the account of such administration doth appertain unto me. Trusting therefore in your care and fidelity, I do by these presents, commit unto you full power to administer all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased; and well and faithfully to dispose of the same according to law, and also to ask, gather, levy, recover and receive all and whatsoever credits of the said deceased, which to him while he lived, and at the time of his death, did appertain, and to pay all debts in which the said deceased stood bound, so far as his goods, chattels, rights and credits can extend, according to the value thereof. And to make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits; and to exhibit the same into the registry of the court of probate for the county aforesaid, at or before the 24th day of September next ensuing. And to render a plain and true account of your said administration upon oath, at or before the 24th day of June, which will be in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three. And I do hereby ordain, constitute and appoint you administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said court of probate. Dated at Norton, the 24th day of June, Annoque Domini, 1782.

Benjn. Williams.

By order of the Honorable Judge, Geo. Leonard.

1596. ii. BEZALEEL, b. Dec. 20, 1761.

Field, Bezaleel. Private, Capt. Elisha May's company; enlisted September, 1776; discharged November, 1776; company served on a two months campaign at New York.

Fields, Bezaleel. List of men raised in Bristol county for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, agreeable to resolve of April 20, 1778; returned as received of Jonathan Warner, commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam, July 20, 1778; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill, June 17, 1778.

Field, Bezaleel. List dated Taunton, May 21, 1778, of men mustered by James Leonard, muster-master, to serve for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill; Capt. Samuel Robinson's (1st Attleborough) company, Col. John Daggett's (4th Bristol county) regiment; age, 16 years; stature, 5 feet, 10 inch; complexion, light; hair, black; eyes, dark; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill, June 19, 1778.

1597. iii. JOHN, b. Dec. 12, 1763.

Field, John. Private, Capt. Peter Procter's company, Lieut. Col. Williams' regiment; enlisted July 10, 1777; discharged Aug. 12, 1777; service, 1 month, 6 days, travel included; company marched to reinforce northern army.

Field, John. Private, Capt. Enoch Robinson's company; enlisted Aug. 12, 1779; discharged Sept. 11, 1779; service, 1 month, 1 day; company ordered to serve at Rhode Island for 4 weeks under Capt. Commandant Samuel Fisher; roll sworn to at Attleborough. (See Thomas Field.)

1598. iv. MARY, b. Sept. 3, 1766; m. March 31, 1796, Bezaleel Mann.

1599. v. SARAH, b. April 3, 1768.

1600. vi. EBENEZER, b. July 3, 1769; m. Miriam ——.

1601. vii. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 28, 1772; m. Chloe Hatch.

1602. viii. BENJAMIN, b. Sept. 28, 1772; d. July 9, 1776.

1603. ix. BENJAMIN, b. June 14, 1779.

777. JUDE FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., February, 1766; m. April 17, 1788, in Norton, Mass., Abigail Carpenter, of Norton. He d. May 14, 1832. Res. Taunton, Mass.

1604. i. JUDE, b. Sept. 21, 1805; m. Maria Parsells and Mary Ann Gwerineau.

1605. ii. ARBY, b. ——. A son is Arby Field, Mt. Hope, N. Y.

1606. iii. LYBEOUS, b. ——. A dau. is Mrs. Clark, of Albany, N. Y.

1607. iv. ALBERT, b. July 4, 1795; d. April 25, 1869. A son is Charles H. Field, of Taunton.

1608. v. BENJAMIN F., b. Nov. 6, 1808; m. Eveline B. Bradford.

778. SOLOMON FIELD (Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., in 1761; m. Lucy Patten.

Field, Solomon. List of men raised in Bristol county for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, agreeable to resolve of April 20, 1778; returned as received of Jonathan Warner, commissioner, by Col. R. Putnam, July 20, 1778; engaged for the town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill, June 17, 1778. Also list dated Taunton, May 21, 1778, of men mustered by James Leonard, muster-master, to serve for the term of 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill; Capt. Samuel Robinson's (1st Attleborough) Company, Col. John Daggett's (4th Bristol county) regiment; age, 17 years; stature, 5 feet, 8 inches; complexion, dark; hair, black; eyes, black; engaged for town of Attleborough; arrived at Fishkill June 19, 1778. Res. Norton, Mass.

1609. i. LUCY, b. March 19, 1792; m. April 13, 1815, Sampson Patten, of Dedham, Mass. Ch.: 1. William Sampson, b. Norton, Nov. 27, 1851. 2. Sarah Ann, b. Norton, Oct. 8, 1817.
1610. ii. SOLOMON, b. Oct. 30, 1794.
1611. iii. CYNTHIA, b. Dec. 18, 1796; m. April 25, 1815, Asa Patten.
1612. iv. PATTEN, b. Aug. 20, 1798; m. Louisa ——.
1613. v. RUSSELL, b. April 6, 1801.
1614. vi. JOHN, b. Aug. 2, 1803.
1615. vii. ABIGAIL P., b. Nov. 12, 1805; d. unm. in Norton, Dec. 14, 1863.
1616. viii. EMMA, b. April 10, 1808.
1617. ix. OLIVER LAMB, b. Sept. 12, 1811; m. —— —— and Sarah E. ——.

792. RICHARD FIELD (Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., July 22, 1751; m. there Aug. 8, 1778, Rebecca Harris, dau of Seth.

Field, Richard, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Josiah Hayden's company of Minutemen, Col. Bailey's regiment, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 12 days. Also corporal, Capt. Josiah Hayden's company, Brig.-Gen. John Thomas' regiment; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enlisted May 1, 1775; service, 3 months, 1 week, 1 day. Also company return dated Oct. 6, 1775. Also muster roll made up from Sept. 1, 1775, to Oct. 30, 1775, 61 days, dated Camp at Roxbury. Also private, Capt. Nathan Packard's company, Col. Edward Mitchell's regiment; service, 5 days; company ordered to march to Squantum March 4, 1776, on an alarm. Also sergeant, Capt. Daniel Lathrop's (7th) company, Col. Thomas Craft's (artillery) regiment; abstract for advance pay, travel allowance, etc., dated Boston, June 3, 1776. Also same company and regiment; enlisted May 13, 1776; service to Aug. 1, 1776, 62 (?) days, travel included. Also same company and regiment; service from Aug. 1, 1776, to Nov. 1, 1776, 3 months. Also same company and regiment; service from Nov. 1, 1776, to Feb. 1, 1777, 3 months; reported as serving 1 month in Colony service, 2 months in Continental service. Also same company and regiment; service, from Feb. 1, 1777, to date of discharge, May 7, 1777, 3 months, 7 days. Also corporal, Capt. Nathan Snow's company, Colonel Hawes' regiment; enlisted Sept. 24, 1777; service, 1 month, 9 days, on a secret expedition to Rhode Island. Roll sworn to at Plymouth.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Bridgewater, Mass., and Claremont, N. H.

1618. i. POLLY, b. April 10, 1779; m. Obadiah Thayer, of Braintree.
1619. ii. SALLY, b. Dec. 23, 1780; m. William Sims, of Claremont, N. H.
1620. iii. BELINDA, b. Oct. 25, 1782; d. unm.
1621. iv. CYRUS, b. June 5, 1784; m. Mary Laurence, of Unity, N. H.
1622. v. LOIS, b. Aug. 27, 1786; m. —— Judkins, of Lempster, N. H.
1623. vi. SUSANNA, b. Dec. 4, 1798; m. Wm. Osgood, of Newport, N. H.
1624. vii. ZERVIAH, b. Jan. 29, 1790; m. Josiah Judavine, of Charlestown, N. H.; m., 2d, Joseph Philbrick, of Reading, Vt.
1625. viii. HANNAH, b. March 4, 1795; m. Thomas Moody, of Unity, N. H.; m., 2d, Joseph Townes, of Windsor, Vt.
1626. ix. ELIZA, b. Oct. 7, 1797; m. Joseph Smart, of Newport, N. H.
1627. x. REBECCA, b. Oct. 28, 1800; m. Cady Phelps, of Newport, N. H.
1628. xi. ALDEN, b. ——; d. unm.

793. WILLIAM FIELD (Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., July 28, 1753; m. in 1797, Jemima Keith, dau. of Levi, b. 1767; d. December, 1839.

7671. William Field, of Bridgewater, trader. Ichabod Howard appointed ad-

ministrator Feb. 1, 1808. Jemima Field, the widow of deceased, declines to be appointed administratrix. No will and no heirs mentioned.

7664. Ozias Field et als. Nov. 6, 1809, Benjamin Keith was appointed guardian unto Ozias Field, Jabez Field, Zilpha Field, Serena Field, minors, under the age of fourteen years, and children of William Field, of Bridgewater. On Oct. 3, 1814, Isaac Keith was appointed guardian of Ozias and Jabez, above the age of fourteen, and Zilpha and Serena, under the age of fourteen.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. January, 1808; res. Bridgewater, Mass.

1629. i. OZIAS, b. Nov. 17, 1798; m. Charlotte Whiting, of Roxbury.
1630. ii. JABEZ, b. June 13, 1800; m. Mary Alger.
1631. iii. ZILPHA, b. ——; m. June 5, 1832, Linus Howard.
1632. iv. SERENA, b. ——; m. July, 1847, Consider Southworth.

794. EPHRAIM FIELD (Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Oct. 19, 1755; m. there Dec. 14, 1786, Ruby Brett, dau. of Simeon; she d. Paris, Me., aged 94. He went to Paris, Me., in 1786, from Bridgewater, Mass., and settled on the farm purchased of Reuben Hubbard, now included in the farms of Jonathan Richards and Henry Fobes. He was a blacksmith. June 16, 1802, he sold land to Daniel Fobes, of Bridgewater, which he had purchased of Reuben Hubbard, being No. 8 in the fourth range. Mr. Field, June 4, 1794, bought of Luke Bemis, of Watertown, Nos. 19 and 20 in the second range; Jan. 25, 1795, he purchased of William and Josiah Brown, of Boston, lots 15 and 16 in the fourth range, and March 7, 1796, he bought of Reuben Hubbard his lot. In 1798 he was one of the largest taxpayers in the town, and at this time owned 499 acres of land valued at $1,280. He was a man of character, industrious, enterprising and economical; was a member of the church, and a constant attendant. He m. Ruby Brett, a direct descendant of John Alden, the last survivor of the signers of the compact made on board the Mayflower in November, 1620.

Field, Ephraim. Private, Capt. David Packard's company, Colonel Cary's regiment; service, 11 days; company marched to Rhode Island on the alarm of July 22, 1780.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Bridgewater, Mass., and Paris, Me.

1633. i. MEHITABLE, b. 1787; m. in 1805, David Bemis. He was son of Jonathan, who was son of David; was b. April 24, 1784; d. April 14, 1839; res. Paris, Me. Ch.: 1. Charles W., b. Sept. 26, 1806; m. Avice Pratt. 2. Mary Vose, b. March 6, 1808; m. Cyrus Bessey. 3. Anna Richardson, b. Jan. 31, 1810; m. Charles Tribou. 4. Charlotte Field, b. March 12, 1812; m. Cyprian Benson. 5. Jane Field, b. May 15, 1814; m. David Lumey. 6. Hannah Richardson, b. June 17, 1816; m. Charles Woodbury. 7. David Waldo, b. Oct. 19, 1818. 8. Catherine Mehitable, b. Oct. 26, 1821; m. Charles Woodbury. 9. James Francis, b. April 3, 1824; d. May 7, 1832. 10. Abigail Bridge, b. Oct. 13, 1826; m. Isaac S. Curtis, of Woodstock.
1634. ii. GALEN, b. Dec. 29, 1788; m. Polly Thayer.
1635. iii. ANSEL, b. 1790; m. Orra Ripley and Dolly Moore.
1636. iv. CHARLOTTE, b. 1793; m. Osgood Holt.
1637. v. JENNY, b. 1794; d. unm.
1638. vi. ZIBEON, b. Dec. 17, 1795; m. Lydia Howe, Mrs. Cyprian (Benson) Whitman and Mrs. Polly Coburn.
1639. vii. ALVIN, b. Oct. 9, 1800; m. Olive Record.

795. DANIEL FIELD (Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Bridgewater, Mass., Sept. 20, 1758; m. there July 13, 1786, Hannah Snell, dau. of Capt. Zebedee.

Field, Daniel. Capt. Nathan Alden's company, Col. Jeremiah Hall's regiment; company order, payable to Captain Alden, for wages for three months' service at Bristol, R. I., dated Bristol, March 7, 1777. Field, Daniel. List of men in Capt. J. Sprague's division in service in October, 1777.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Daniel was granted a pension for his Revolutionary war services, Nov. 30, 1832.

7647. Daniel Field, North Bridgewater, left a will written May 11, 1841. He mentions his daughter Patty: "I give to my grandson Marshall Field, fifty dollars to be paid him when he shall arrive at the age of 21 years." He gives to his grandsons Waldo Field and Perez Field twenty-five dollars, on the same conditions. He mentions his granddaughter Hannah Field, his son Zopher and his (Zopher's) wife Bernice. "After the decease of my son Zopher Field & His wife Bernice I give unto each one of my grandchildren who are the children of Zopher Field one dollar each; and should any real estate be left after the decease of my son Zopher & his wife unsold and not disposed of by my executor & trustee I give & devise the same to my two youngest grandsons, children of Zopher Field, viz—Charles Copeland Field and William Lawrence Field." The will does not state who the first grandchildren mentioned are the children of. Partition of real estate filed with this estate, of land common and undivided with the estate of Daniel Field and George Field. Daniel Field's and George Field's part was set off from this Daniel's part. Executor appointed April 5, 1836.

He d. April, 1836; res. Bridgewater, Mass.

1640. i. MARTHA, b. Nov. 19, 1786; d. young.

1641. ii. ZOPHAR, b. Jan. 14, 1789; m. Bernice Howard, dau. of Oliver Howard.

1642. iii. WALDO, b. March 8, 1791; m. Abigail Marshall and Sally Perkins.

1643. iv. MARTHA, b. ——; m. Nov. 30, 1809, Gustavus Sylvester, of Bridgewater; he was b. 1786, son of Joseph, Jr., and Lucy D. Sampson.

796. BARZILLIA FIELD (Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Dec. 6, 1760; m. there Dec. 25, 1794, Patty Packard, dau. of David.

Field, Berzillai, Bridgewater. Private, Capt. Abiel Pierce's company, Col. Nicholas Dike's regiment; pay abstract for mileage to and from camp, etc.; warrant allowed in Council, Nov. 30, 1776. Also Capt. Edward Cobb's company; service 2 months, 4½ days; company marched from Bridgewater and Abington April 21, 1777, to Bristol, R. I.; roll endorsed "Col. Titcomb's regiment." Also Capt. John Amos' company; enlisted June 26, 1778; discharged July 20, 1778; service, 24 days; company marched to Rhode Island June 26, 1778, and joined Colonel Wade's regiment, June 27, 1778, for 24 (also given 21 days' service. Also private, Capt. Zebedee Redding's company, Col. Gamaliel Bradford's (12th) regiment; pay roll for December, 1778. Also Capt. Jacob Pool's company, Col. Jacob's (Plymouth county) regiment; enlisted July 21, 1780; discharged Oct. 21, 1780; service, 3 months, 13 days, travel included; company raised to reinforce the Continental army for 3 months; roll sworn to at Boston.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Barzillia was granted a pension July 22, 1833, for Revolutionary war service.

7642. Barzillai Field, North Bridgewater, yeoman, left a will written Sept. 6, 1831. Children mentioned: Daughter Mary Cheesman, son John Field, son Lucius

Field, daughter Chloe Field, brother Bethuel Field, daughter Mary Field. "The subscribers, heirs-at-law of Barzillai Field, have been duly notified that the last will and testament of said deceased will be presented to be proved and allowed at the Court of Probate to be holden on the first Tuesday of April next, at E. Bridgewater. March, 1839. Signed, Patty Field, Chloe Field, John Field, Zachariah Chesman, Lucius Field." The executor was appointed first Tuesday of April, 1839. —Plymouth County Probate.

He d. March, 1839; res. Bridgewater, Mass.

1644. i. JOHN, b. Dec. 15, 1796; m. Olive Thompson.

1645. ii. CHLOE, b. Nov. 14, 1799; unm.

7644. Chloe Field, West Bridgewater, insane person. Petition for appointment of guardian presented by Chas. T. Field and Barzillai Field, of Brockton, Mass., nephews and nearest relatives of Chloe Franklin Field, appointed guardian Feb. 25, 1878. His relationship to Chloe Field not given.—Plymouth County Probate.

1646. iii. MARY, b. April 24, 1802; m. 1819, Zibeon Cole.

1647. iv. CLARISSA, b. Aug. 20, 1806.

1648. v. LUCIUS, b. June 11, 1811; m. Mary B. Thomas.

809. JOHN FIELD (John, Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., 1738; m. March 21, 1761, Abigail Carey, b. in Bristol, 1735; d. May 19, 1820.

B. 18, 201. To Joseph Martin, June 1, 1767, house, etc., near Weybosset Bridge.

B. 18, 228. To Jonathan Ward, July 31, 1762, house, etc., near Weybosset Bridge.

B. 19, 485. From Daniel Snow, April 16, 1784, lots on Friendship street.

B. 20, 266. To John Smith, Aug. 18, 1774.

Mrs. Brownell quotes from Probate Records of Providence that in 1752, John Field, son of John, late of Providence, chooses his grandfather, Joseph Snow, of Providence, to be his guardian, and he was appointed.

1789. From John and Lydia Field, lot on south side of Friendship, fourth lot west of Richmond street.

1799. May 7, to Richard M. Field and Joseph Fuller, Jr., above lot.

He d. Sept. 3, 1808; res. Providence, R. I.

1649. i. JOHN, b. Dec. 17, 1761; m. Hannah Gladding.

1650. ii. ALLEN, b. 1763.

1651. iii. ELIZABETH, b. May 27, 1766; m. July 6, 1788, Andrew Taylor. He was b. Nov. 17, 1764; d. Sept. 10, 1835; she d. Oct. 21, 1849. Ch.: 1. Allen Field, b. Dec. 27, 1790. 2. Robert, b. Dec. 27, 1790; d. young. 3. Abby Field, b. April 26, 1789. 4. Julia Ann, b. Oct. 31, 1794. 5. Eliza, b. Oct. 23, 1796. 6. George Washington, b. Feb. 28, 1793. 7. Benjamin Franklin, b. June 13, 1798. 8. Joseph Warren, b. Oct. 10, 1800. 9. Mary Brownell, b. Nov. 16, 1802; d. unm. 10. Sophia Field, b. Jan. 14, 1805. 11. Maria, b. July 26, 1807; d. young. All the children were born in Little Compton. Andrew and Elizabeth Taylor moved to Providence about 1810.

1652. iv. BENJAMIN, b. 1768; d. young.

1653. v. BENJAMIN, b. 1769; m. Sally Carter.

1654. vi. ABIGAIL, b. 1771.

1655. vii. JOSEPH, b. 1773; m. Lucy Potter.

1656. viii. RICHARD M., b. July 8, 1775; m. Eliza Snow and Caroline Snow.

1657. ix. HANNAH, b. Sept. 4, 1778; m. May 6, 1798, Charles Dyer. He was b. Sept. 16, 1778; d. Dec. 11, 1862; she d. May 26, 1834. Ch.: 1. Julia Ann, b. June 20, 1799. 2. Eliza T., b. Aug. 27, 1801; d. Aug. 27, 1802. 3. Charles, Jr., b. June 8, 1803; d. Sept. 28, 1852. 4. Albert T., b. Nov. 14, 1805; d. April 4, 1841. 5. Caroline, b. Sept. 22, 1827; d. March 11, 1834. 6. John F., b. March 7, 1811. 7. James Burrell, b. July 29, 1815; d. infant.

814. GEORGE FIELD (Isaac, Joseph, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Aug. 9, 1774; m. June 13, 1793, Mary Green, dau. of Joshua. Administration of his estate was granted his widow Mary Oct. 3, 1796. Widow Mary, Feb. 22, 1798, m. Mathewson Williams, son of Jeremiah, and were father and mother of William Greene Williams. He d. in Jamaica, W. I., in 1796; res. Providence, R. I.

1658. i. ISAAC, b——; m. Sarah A. Walcott.

817. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. 1723, Providence, R. I.; m. Abigail ——; m., 2d, Sarah Manchester, dau. of Thomas.

Freeman of Providence, 1746.

Providence Probate, 1752, Thomas Field.

Scituate 3, 140, 1744, May 21, to Amos Hamman, 28 acres; no wife.

Cranston 2, 95, 1767, July 25, to Stephen Knight, 7 acres; wife Abigail.

Cranston 2, 238, 1773, April 20, to James Burlingame; no wife.

Cranston 2, 293, 1765 July 10, Thomas, of Scituate, to John Field, of Cranston; no wife.

Cranston 2, 314, 1774 Oct. 26, Thomas, of Scituate, to grandson William, Jr., of Cranston; no wife.

Cranston 2, 347, 1775, March 23, Thomas, of Scituate, to Wm. Field, Jr., of Cranston; no wife.

Cranston 2, 351, 1775, May 1, to Wm. Aldrich, land at Pawtuxet; no wife.

He d. in Cranston; res. Cranston, R. I.

1659. i. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Hannah Moses.

1660. ii. JOHN, b. ——; m. Waite White.

1661. iii. WILLIAM, b. ——; he res. Connecticut; had ch., William, Jr., and Sarah, who m. a Mr. Streeter.

1662. iv. STEPHEN, b. ——; m. Parsia Capwell.

1663. v. FREELOVE, b. ——; m. Caleb Baker, b. Jan. 5, 1763. Ch.: 1. Sterry. 2. Wheaton. 3. Two daughters.

818. SILAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., before 1720; m. Nov. 8, 1744, Freelove Barnes, dau. of Thomas, of Scituate; m., 2d, Feb. 4, 1762, Sarah Collins, dau. of Thankful, deceased, of Scituate.

Freeman of Providence, 1741.

The above Sarah was probably a second wife, as Nov. 8, 1744, a Silas Field m. at Scituate Freelove Barnes, dau. of Thomas, of Scituate. See Record of Freelove Field.

B. 11, 264. From Father Thomas, 1743-44, one-half of homestead farm.

B. 13, 383. From Philip Roberts, 1754.

Silas Field, of Scituate, d. March 19, 1774; Sarah, widow, and John, son, administrators; Stephen Knight and William Field, of Cranston, sureties.

Sarah Field and Stephen Knight, guardians of Stephen and Freelove Field, infants.

He d. March 19, 1774; res. Scituate, R. I.

1664. i. WILLIAM, b. ——: m. Betsy Godfrey.

1665. ii. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Hannah Jones.

1666. iii. STEPHEN, b. ——.

1667. iv. FREELOVE, b. ——; m. ——.

Cranston Record. Freelove Field, in eighteenth year, dau. of Silas Field, late of Cranston, deceased, chooses Richard Knight (her uncle) to be her guardian in place of E. Collins, who was appointed by the town in her infancy.

1667½. v. JOHN, b. ——; m. ——. He is mentioned as administrator of his father's estate in 1774, and would be only ten years old if above date is correct.

822. CAPTAIN WILLIAM FIELD (Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., April 30, 1728; m. Jan. 4, 1750, Waite Westcott, dau. of Thomas; d. Sept. 23, 1808.

The presence of the French allies in Providence inspired the life of the town, and the liberality with which they circulated their silver and gold rendered them welcome customers at a period when a Spanish milled dollar bore a fabulous value in paper currency. The exact discipline of the soldiery and rigid restrictions under which they were permitted to pass out of camp and mingle with the citizens, were strong safeguards against the indulgence of excesses, and left little cause for complaint on that score. The officers were on terms of pleasant intimacy with the leading families, and their presence imparted an additional charm to social gayety. Balls, parties, and other entertainments were frequent, and the repetition of reciprocal courtesies served to strengthen mutual respect and friendship. The old Field homestead, at Field's Point, was much frequented by the French officers, where they were always sure of a hearty hospitality, and where they participated in social assemblies with the characteristic zest of mercurial temperaments. The impressions made upon the community were of the most agreeable character, and during the subsequent years of those at whose homes the officers were received as guests, the memories of those days were cherished as among the pleasantest of their recollections.

The patriotism of the Field family was of the purest type. In 1780, William Field was appointed captain of a company in the second regiment of Providence county militia. Abner and Nehemiah Field were distinguished for personal bravery. When the news reached them of the battle of Bunker Hill, and the burning of Charlestown, like Putnam, they instantly left the field, and with rifle in hand joined the volunteers crowding on to the scene of action. They were placed in the body of reserves. During the war Abner was taken prisoner, and thrust into the notorious Jersey prison ship, where he soon became covered with vermin. Both Abner and Nehemiah held commissions. Capt. William Field, with a noble heart, was "plain of speech." One day, Major De Prez, an officer of the Royal Deux-Ponts, engaged in fortifying the Point, called upon him, and while the captain was occupied outside the house in his morning ablution, the following colloquy ensued. Said the major, in a respectful tone: "Are you Esquire Field, the gentleman who owns the land adjoining this beach?" "I am," was the laconic reply. "I have made bold," continued the major, "to land my guns below, and hope no offence is

given." "None at all," was the sententious answer. "We are about to become friends, and hope we shall be friends," continued the major. "Amen," responded the sturdy "lord of the manor," and applied himself vigorously to the cleansing process. The major having thus taken gauge of his host, silently raised his chapeau, and proceeded to Providence. The Field family at the Point was numerous. The last survivor of the William Field family was Eleanor, a woman of uncommon natural endowments. She sold the Point estate to the city of Providence, and removed to Elmwood, and died March 8, 1864, aged ninety-one years. The family burial ground was near the homestead house, but after the estate became the property of the city, the bodies there buried were removed to the North burial ground.

B. 13, 314. From Stephen Smith, 1753.

B. 13, 315. To James Verney, 1754, same lot.

Austin. By will of grandfather Richard Waterman he gets, 1742, 100 acres of land in Warwick.

Scituate 4, 41. 1750, Aug. 9, from Father Jeremiah, near Sunhangansett River.

Scituate 4, 183. 1753, Dec. 26, to Stephen Smith, land, 4-41; no wife.

He d. April 18, 1816; res. Providence and Cranston, R. I.

1668. i. REMEMBER, b. Sept. 7, 1751; d. April 12, 1755.

1669. ii. PARDON, b. May 1, 1753; d. April 6, 1755.

1670. iii. ABNER, b. July 5, 1754; m. Rebecca Payne.

1671. iv. MOSES, b. March 21, 1756; d. Dec. 6, 1763.

1672. v. NEHEMIAH, b. May 15, 1757; m. Sarah Whitman.

1673. vi. ROXANNAH, b. Feb. 20, 1759; d. unm. March 26, 1828.

1674. vii. ESTHER, b. Jan. 10, 1761; m. July 13, 1783, Capt. William Waterman, of Cranston, R. I. Ch.: 1. William F. 2. Nathan, m. Nancy Grinnell; no children. 3. Sophia, d. unm.

1675. viii. DAVID, b. March 27, 1763; m. Mary Greene.

1676. ix. HULDAH, b. Aug. 2, 1764; m.—— Tabor; m., 2d., Feb. 22, 1798, John Warner; she d. April 11, 1824. Ch.: 1. Lydia Warner.

1677. x. RHODA, b. Feb. 14, 1767; d. unm. Dec. 26, 1832.

1678. xi. ELEANOR, b. Dec. 13, 1772; d. unm. March 8, 1864.

1679. xii. GEORGE, b. Dec. 25, 1768; m. in Providence, Abigail Davis, dau. of Moses, b. 1775; d. Aug. 26, 1873; he d. s. p. Aug. 29, 1839.

Will of Abigail Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 12. No. A10729. Will Book 24, page 223.—This is the last Will and testament of me Abigail Field of the city of Providence in the State of Rhode Island.

First. I give and bequeath to my niece Caroline Davis the sum of Two hundred dollars payable in one year after my decease.

Second. I give and bequeath to my niece Harriet A. Brownell wife of Josiah Brownell all my household furniture and wearing apparel at the time of my decease; but if she shall die in my lifetime then I give and bequeath the same to Harriet R. Arnold daughter of my niece Abigail F. Cooke.

Third. In case my said niece Harriet A. Brownell shall die in my lifetime but not otherwise I give and bequeath to my grand nieces Aria Sumner Benedict, Ann Sumner Booth, Philena Sumner Whetton, and Ellen Sumner Knowles (children of my nieces Amy & Elsie Sumner) my grand nieces Emma, Julia, Charlotte, and Harriet (daughters of my niece Julia L. Ward) and my grand niece Harriet (daughter of my niece Mary Ann Hunting) the sum of One hundred dollars each.

Fourth. In case my said niece Harriet A. Brownell shall die in my lifetime but not othewise I give and bequeath to the said Josiah Brownell his executors. administrators and assigns the sum of Two thousand dollars In trust to lay out & invest the same in good stocks or mortgages of real Estate and pay the net interest dividends & income thereof unto my nephew Rodman J. Davis during his natural life and after his decease to pay the net interest dividends and income of the said trust property to his present wife Judith during her natural life and after the decease of both of them the said Rodman and Judith to pay assign & transfer the said trust property to the right heirs of the said Rodman J. Davis absolutely.

Fifth. In case of the decease of my said niece Harriet A. Brownell in my lifetime but not otherwise I give and bequeath unto the said Josiah Brownell his executors administrators and assigns sixty of the shares owned by me of and in the Capital Stock of the Commercial Bank in said city of Providence In trust to manage the same and receive the dividends and income thereof, whenever it shall be necessary or advisable so to do, to sell and dispose of the said shares or any part thereof and invest the money to arise therefrom in other good stocks or mortgages of Real Estate with power to vary such investments for others of a like nature, and from time to time to pay the net dividends and income of the trust premises in this present clause mentioned unto the said Harriet R. Arnold during her natural life, and on her decease the trustee or trustees for the time being of this my Will shall stand possessed of the said trust premises in this present clause mentioned upon the trusts hereinafter declared (that is to say) In trust for such of the children of the said Harriet R. Arnold, as shall be living at her death and the issue then living of any child or children of hers then deceased and his her or their respective executors administrators and assigns in equal shares as between brothers & sisters; but so that no issue of any grand child of said Harriet R. Arnold shall be included in this gift; and so that the child or children collectively of any deceased child of said Harriet R. Arnold shall take only the share which his her or their parent would have taken if living. And in case the said Harriet R. Arnold shall die without leaving any child or issue who shall be capable of taking under the last preceding trust then the said trustee or trustees shall stand possessed of the said trust premises in this present clause mentioned In trust for such of my said grand nieces named in the third clause of this my Will as shall be living at the decease of the said Harriet R. Arnold in equal shares if more than one, but if none of my said grand nieces named in said third clause shall survive the said Harriet R. Arnold then the said trustee or trustees shall stand possessed of the said residuary trust premises in this present clause mentioned In trust for the person or persons for the time being who shall be entitled to my other estate under the provisions hereinafter contained.

Sixth. I give devise & bequeath all and singular my real & personal Estate whatsoever & wheresoever at the time of my de-

cease, subject and without prejudice nevertheless to the dispositions & provisions hereinbefore contained unto and to the use of my said niece Harriet A. Brownell her heirs & assigns forever if she shall be living at the time of my death but if she be then dead then I give devise & bequeath such real & personal Estate, subject & without prejudice as aforesaid, unto & to the use of the said Josiah Brownell his heirs & assigns forever.

Lastly. I appoint the said Josiah Brownell executor of this my will & hereby revoking all wills by me heretofore made I declare this only to be my last Will & testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunder set my hand & seal this twenty-sixth day of May Eighteen hundred and sixty six.

ABIGAIL FIELD. (L. S.)

Signed sealed published & declared by the above named testatrix Abigail Field as and for her last Will & Testament in the presence of us being all present at the same time who at her request in her presence and in presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. The name "Hariett R. Cooke" first altered to "Harriet R. Arnold" throughout.

J. G. Markland
Henry D. Martin
Esek A. Jellson.

Proved September 23, 1873.

1680. xiii. ELIZABETH, b. March 26, 1775; d. Feb. 26, 1828; unm.

1681. xiv. SARAH, b. April 18, 1777; d. March 17, 1828; unm.

825. JAMES FIELD (Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., July 31, 1738; m. Oct. 12, 1760, Hannah Stone. Providence record says her name was Susannah; m., 2d, Dec. 12, 1763, Jane Stone—his first wife's sister. Res. Cranston, R. I., and Chester, Vt.

1682. i. PARDON, b. April 13, 1761; m. Elizabeth Williams.

1683. ii. HANNAH, b. ——; m. Joseph Williams. Ch.: 1. Joseph. 2. William. 3. James.

1684. iii. CHARLES, b. 1769; m. Jemima Wilson.

1685. iv. DORCAS, b. ——; m. —— Williams. Res. Chester, Vt. Ch.: 1. Thomas; res. Chester. 2. Arthur. Res. Chester. 3. Dau.; m. Ezekiel Davis.

1686. v. DANIEL, b. Sept. 9, 1764; m. Sarah ——.

1687. vi. ELIJAH, b. ——; m. Mary ——.

1688. vii. REST, b. ——; m. Consider Miller, of Cranston.

1689. viii. SUSAN, b. ——; m. Jan. 12, 1794, Dr. Chauncey C. Chandler. He was son of John Chandler, of Chester, Vt., and his wife, Esther Painter, was b. Oct. 23, 1773. Susan d. and he m., 2d, 1810, Louisa Miller, b. Jan. 8, 1788, of Lincoln, Me. Dr. Chandler practiced his profession in Belfast, and then removed to Warren, Me., where he resided for six years, but died in Belfast, Sept. 12, 1833, age sixty. "He was one of the kindest of husbands and devoted of fathers." Ch.: 1. Walter Raleigh, b. July 10, 1794; went to Black River. 2. Jane, b. Sept. 5, 1796. 3. Arralucia, b. Aug. 4, 1797; m. John Gilman Howard. 4. Rosa-

linda, b. Aug. 7, 1798; m. Gen. David Bailey, of Chester, Vt. 5. Four ch. by second wife.

1690. ix. JAMES, b. ——; m. —— Taylor.

826. THOMAS FIELD (Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., April 7, 1741; m. Sept. 8, 1765, Deliverance Hammon, b. March 2, 1743; d. May 8, 1818.

Scituate 5, 265. Nov. 26, 1763, from father Jeremiah, 150 acres.

Scituate Probate. Will of Thomas Field, "advanced in years," dated Aug. 13, 1829, proved March 2, 1833. To son Thomas and grandson, James, son of Thomas; to daughter, Ellen Pratt, Molly Wilbur and Betsey Hopkins, and granddaughter Betsey Angell, $5.00 each. Mentions son Jeremiah. Reason other children are not named because they had their portion.

He d. June 27, 1833. Res. Scituate, R. I.

1691. i. ELEANOR, b. March 15, 1766; m. Abner Pratt. She d. Dec. 28, 1851. Ch.: 1. Nabby. 2. Almira. 3. Arnold.

1692. ii. MARY, b. Jan. 29, 1767; m. Job Wilbur. Res. Scituate and Cranston, R. I. Ch.: 1. Jeremiah. 2. Thomas.

1693. iii. AMEY, b. March 6, 1769; m. Benjamin Medbury.

1694. iv. MARCY, b. Nov. 30, 1770; m. Stephen Fuller.

1695. v. WATERMAN, b. Oct. 20, 1772; m. Dorcas Atwood.

1696. vi. ISAAC, b. December, 1774; m. Sally Fenner.

1697. vii. PELEG, b. Jan. 30, 1776; m. Elizabeth Battey.

1698. viii. THOMAS, b. Dec. 6, 1778; m. Thankful Windsor.

1699. ix. JEREMIAH, b. Oct. 27, 1780; m. Florinda Manchester.

1700. x. ABBY, b. in Scituate, Dec. 7, 1782; m. Job Hill.

1701. xi. BETSEY, b. Scituate, R. I.,; m. Emery Hopkins. Ch.: 1. Horace; had dau. Ellen. 2. Abby: m. Rev. Thomas Brown had dau. Elizabeth; m. Doane; grandson Thomas. Res. Prov. 3. Henry; m. Bowen. 4. Eliza; m. Seril Cornell. 5. Emery A., d. young.

827. DANIEL FIELD (Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Aug. 30, 1743; m. there 1776, Hannah Whitman, b. Oct. 4, 1754; d. Sept. 10, 1834. Daniel Field came to Springfield from Rhode Island before 1780. He settled on what is now know as the Field place, at the mouth of Field brook, and the family were living there at the time the Indians burned Royalton, October, 1780. He was a soldier of the Revolution, in Colonel Hitchcock's regiment of Rhode Island infantry, which served under Washington, participating in the battles of White Plains, Trenton and Princeton. He was also a musician or drummer in Capt. James Snow's company, in Col. John Mathewson's regiment, in the expedition to Rhode Island, in August, 1778. They came 200 miles to Springfield, through the forest, with an ox cart, and he used to relate how he paid $100 in Continental bills for having the tire set, so much had the value of the money depreciated. He bought about 200 acres of land and built a log cabin in the little hollow between the two-story house, now standing (1894) and the brook, and after working through the summer went back to Rhode Island to work at his trade, in the winter, that of a blacksmith, to pay for his land. This he did for several years. The small piece of bottom land below the mouth of the brook was a beaver meadow, and the industrious little animals had entirely cleared it of timber. This was the only cleared spot on the tract, all the remainder being heavily timbered with beech, maple, hemlock, elm, etc. It is said that one white elm, which stood a little above the meadow, near where the road now enters the narrow

valley going north, measured seven feet in diameter, and made fifteen cords of wood. The early settlers of these towns in Vermont endured hardships which our modern pioneers know little about. Mrs. Field used to spin wool for some of the wealthier families at "Number 4." When her week's work was done she would take the yarn and travel to Charlestown on foot, through the woods, and take her pay in such articles as were most necessary in the family. Mr. Field sometimes worked for the farmers at Charlestown, and carried home on his back the proceeds of his week's labor, a bushel of shelled corn.

Daniel Field was commonly called "Quaker Field," from the fact that he always wore the Quaker style of dress, though he was never a member of the sect. His word was always sacredly kept. When the term of service of the Rhode Island troops was about to expire in the army, Washington went among them and personally besought them to re-enlist, as it was the darkest time of the Revolution. Mr. Field would not enlist, but told Washington he would stay a month longer. Washington replied, with thanks, saying, "your word is as good as your bond." During that month of voluntary service he was in the battles of Trenton and Princeton. While her husband was absent working at the forge in the winter to pay for the farm, Mrs. Field lived alone with her two children, in the Vermont forests. Wild animals, especially black bears, wolves and catamounts, were then plenty. Once she scared a huge panther from her door, and at another time thought the Indians were upon her when at night she heard the fierce howls of what proved to be a pack of wolves that came down over the Whipple hill, up to the yard, near the house, in which were two yoke of oxen and a cow. They tried to get the latter, but the oxen stood with their heads facing outward and kept them at bay with their sharp horns. There were sixteen wolves, and though Mrs. Field had two loaded guns in the house, she feared to shoot lest she should kill the cattle. After a half hour fighting with the oxen, the wolves galloped off and left them. She used to hunt the cows in the woods, leading her little boy and carrying the baby in her arms. In those days there was no dam on the river, and she used to ford it at the "Point of Rock," and again at the mouth of the brook. Daniel Field carried on blacksmithing in the shop on the brook until near the time of his death. His son Arthur followed the business after his father's death. Daniel and his wife both died in the old Field mansion.—History of Springfield.

He d. July 6, 1824. Res. Springfield, Vt.

1702. i. SALATHIEL, b. Oct. 4, 1778; m. Sally Howe, Lydia Bragg and Susan Merritt.

1703. ii. ZILPHA, b. Jan. 26, 1780; m. Ira Haskins, b. 1783; d. at Middlesex, Vt., Dec. 20, 1812. She m., 2d, Lewis Ward, of Middlesex. She d. about December, 1856. By her second husband she had one son, David Ward, who resides in Middlesex, Vt. One of David's sons, Frank A. Ward, m. a dau. of Nathaniel King Herrick.

Zilpha's daughter, by first husband (Ira Haskins), was Zilpha Ann, b. Sept. 28, 1811; m. Dec. 11, 1832, Lorenzo Dow Herrick, b. Sept. 8, 1806; d. Randolph, Vt., Sept. 12, 1874. He was a farmer, a captain of militia, justice of the peace, selectman, and other township offices, and was one of the founders of the West Randolph (Vt.) Academy, and was on the board of trustees and executive committee during the entire existence of that institution until it was merged into the public school system of that village and became a part of the graded school. He also took a great interest in the general welfare of the community. She d. May 19, 1849. He m., 2d, Sept. 9, 1849, Betsey A. Booth, b. Sept. 7,

1822; d. Dec. 10, 1897. Ch.: 1. Stephen Solon, b. Dec. 11, 1833; m. in New Orleans, La., Sept. 20, 1867, Julia Cowand, b. May 26, 1842. Res. 322 Haight St., San Francisco, Cal. Ch.: (a) Charlotte Ball H., b. Aug. 18, 1868; m. Jan. 17, 1900, Dr. George D. Brownlee, of San Jose, Cal. Res. San Jose. (b) Stephen Scholes H., b. April 15, 1870; unm. Res. 322 Haight St., San Francisco. (c) Alfred Cowand H., b. June 26, 1872; m. June 28, 1892, Miss Henrietta T. Chamberlain, of Berkeley, Cal. Res. Pasadena, Cal. (d) Clarence Greene H., b. Aug. 25, 1874; m. Sept. 18, 1896, Miss Rosa J. Davies, of San Francisco. Res. San Francisco. (e) Cora Ruth Henrietta H., b. Nov. 4, 1876. Res. San Francisco. (f) Annie Elizabeth H., b. April 19, 1884. Res. San Francisco. All born at New Orleans. Stephen Solon was fitted for college at Randolph, Vt.; took degree of A. B. at Dartmouth, 1854; taught school in Kentucky and Mississippi, 1854-59; took degree of M. D. at University of Louisiana (New Orleans), 1861, and immediately began practice in that city. Served as assistant-surgeon in Confederate army and navy, April, 1862, to April, 1865; resumed practice at New Orleans, May, 1865, and continued till March, 1887. Meanwhile served as visiting physician at Charity Hospital, New Orleans, 1865-67; as an editor of the New Orleans Medical and Surgical Journal, 1866-67, and again 1878-82; member of board of health of Louisiana, 1869-70, and for several years afterward as sanitary inspector; inspector and gauger of coal oils, 1877-79; secretary and treasurer board of health, 1879-86; professor of chemistry New Orleans School of Medicine, 1869-70; professor of physics and chemistry, Louisiana Agricultural and Mechanical College, 1876-77; delegate to American Medical Association, 1869, and since 1893 an ordinary member; active member of American Public Health Association, 1878-86; an organizer of New Orleans Medical and Surgical Association and of Orleans Parish Medical Society, and served as president of both; a reorganizer of Louisiana State Medical Society, 1878, and its corresponding secretary, 1878-87. He removed to San Francisco in 1887. In addition to general practice has served as assistant secretary to San Francisco board of health, 1888-89, and special sanitary inspector to the California State board of health in 1888 and 1890; has done editorial work at times on the Pacific Medical Journal; since January, 1895, has been a medical examiner for life insurance for the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company. He has contributed to medical journals in New Orleans, Philadelphia, Louisville, Chicago, New Albany (Ind.), Charlotte (N. C.), San Francisco and Sacramento; to health reports of the Louisiana and California State Boards of Health and city board of New Orleans and San Francisco; to Transactions of the American Medical Association, the American Public Health Association, the Louisiana State Medical Society, to Buck's Public Health and Hygiene, to Buck's Cyclopedia of Medical Science, to American Supplement to Encyclopedia Britanica, to American Railroad Journal (N. Y.), two series of articles on railway medical service. Member of California Genealogical Society, and honorary member of Old Northwest Genealogical Society; Knight Templar in Mas-

onry. 2. Julius, twin, b. May 17, 1836; m. twice, Mary B. Baxter and Lillie Francisville. 3 Justus, twin, b. May 17, 1836; m. Elizabeth Pitcher. Three ch.; all d.; he d. Dec. 3, 1872, at New Brunswick, N. J. 4. William Slade, b. May 3, 1838; m. Mrs. Lucy Ann (Thompson) Ream, and had ch.; d. May 10, 1885, at Steward, Ill. One son, William V. Herrick, res. Dixon, Ill. 5. Ellen Amelia, b. May 16, 1842; d. Dec. 11, 1842. 6. Edwin Zenas, b. Nov. 13, 1843; d. Dec. 14, 1843. 7. Delia Ann, b. May 14, 1845; m. Nov. 24, 1870, Thomas N. Jacobs; resided in Shreveport, La.; he d. May 30, 1875; she d. Aug. 37, 1884; had two ch., both living: (a) Delia A., b. Feb. 9, 1874. 8. Ellen Elizabeth, b. Oct. 13, 1847; m. Chas. C. McDermid; no ch.; d. June 15, 1885, at Lowell, Mass.; he d. Oct 11, 1888. at Columbus, O.

9. Lucius Carroll, b. Sept. 2, 1840, in Randolph, Vt.; m. Aug. 16, 1871, in Woodstock, O., Louise Taylor, dau. of Jason Davis and Mary (Comer) Taylor, b. Aug. 20, 1851. He is a physician; secretary of the "Old Northwest" Genealogical Society and editor of the Old Northwest Genealogical Quarterly. Res. 1447 Highland Av., Columbus, O. Religion, New Church (Swedenborgean); politics, Bryan Democrat. Ch.: (a) Louise, b. Aug. 11, 1872; m. July 12, 1898, Henry Ives Abbott. Res. 1454 Highland St., Columbus, O. Ch.: i. Louise, b. May 4, 1899. (b) Nellie, b. Dec. 8, 1873. Res. 1447 Highland St., Columbus, O. (c) Justus Taylor, b. April 3, 1876. Res. 1447 Highland St., Columbus, O. (d) Mary, b. Sept. 16, 1879; d. March 18, 1888. (e) Charles McDermid, b. Feb. 28, 1887. Res. 1447 Highland St., Columbus, O. Dr. Herrick revised the Herrick family register of Gen. Jedediah Herrick in 1885; was one of the founders of the Old Northwest Genealogical Society; editor of the Old Northwest Genealogical Quarterly; historian of the Ohio Society Sons of the American Revolution, and editor of the Year Book of 1898. He received the degree of M. D. from the medical department of the University of Vermont, and served in the War of the Rebellion as a private in the Eighth Vermont volunteers, and as assistant surgeon of the Fourth United States colored cavalry. 10. Lorenzo Dow, b. Sept. 9, 1850; m. Dec. 24, 1875, Lydia A. Ryan; d. Nov. 11, 1895. 11. Frank, b. July 17, 1852; m. Aug. 14, 1874, Estella S. Spear. Res. Randolph, Vt. 12. Annie, b. Dec. 25, 1854; m. Jan. 4, 1882, Walter F. Wedgewood. Res. Randolph. 13. Charles Fremont, b. Oct. 1, 1856; m. June 11, 1879, Julia E. Dart. Res. Randolph or Lowell, Mass. 14. Minnie Draper, b. Aug. 22, 1861; m. Oct. 3, 1888, Fred W. Coan, of Ware, Mass. 15. Flora Belle, b. Oct. 10, 1864; m. April, 1888, Charles S. Pettigrew, of Lowell, Mass.

1704. iii. MARY, b. Feb. 27, 1782; m. —— Reed; moved to western New York and d. advanced age.

1705. iv. ARTHUR, b. Dec. 1, 1783; m. Laura Rodgers.

1706. v. SUSANNAH, b. May 7, 1785; m. Isaac Tower and d. near Grand Rapids, Mich., in 1850.

1707. vi. OLIVER, b. Feb. 7, 1787; d. 1860, Elk Grove, Ill.

1708. vii. HANNAH, b. Nov. 14, 1789; d. May 8, 1798.

1709. viii. ESTHER, b. April 7, 1791; m. Capt. Samuel Haskins, and d. Middlesex, Vt., Nov. 21, 1841.

1710. ix. ANNA, b. July 15, 1792; d. from accidental poisoning in Michigan about 1863.

1711. x. PHEBE, b. Feb. 28, 1794; m. John Harrington, and d. near Big Rapids, Mich., in 1876.

1712. xi. ANNIE, b. June 8, 1795; d. July 10, 1809.

1713. xii. DESDEMONIA, b. April 9, 1798; m. Jan., 1827, Samuel W. Durant and d. Sept. 12, 1881, in Franklin Grove, Ill. She lived with her daughter, Rosalind, at Franklin Grove, Ill., until her death. She was a small, frail, but hard working and remarkably active woman. She taught school in her earlier years, and was accounted the best grammarian in Vermont. An older sister, Anna, came west also, but died many years ago. He was b. Springfield, Vt., July 8, 1800; d. Oct. 15, 1833, in White River Village, Vt. Ch.: 1. Rosalind Durant, m. Louis M. Blaisdell, deceased. A dau. unm. is Alice Blaisdell, who resides in Pasadena, Cal. He d. March 26, 1863. Res. Franklin Grove, Ill. She d. Pasadena, January, 1889. 2. Desdemonia Durant, d. in childhood. 3. Leir Durant, res. in Aurora, Ill. 4. Samuel Wilkins, Jr., b. Springfield, Vt., Oct. 8, 1827; m. St. Charles, Ill., Aug. 7, 1853, Lucy C. Matterson, b. Ellisburg, N. Y., May 18, 1838. He d. Jan. 3, 1891. He was lieutenant in the One Hundred and Twenty-seventh Illinois infantry during the Civil war and served in Grant and Sherman's army. He was editor and publisher of the Valley Chronicle, at St. Charles, Ill. Ch.: (a) Samuel Wilkins Durant, b. July 28, 1857, at St. Charles, Ill., m. May 16, 1883, Mabel Clark; four young children, all residing with their parents at Huntley, McHenry county, Ill. (b) Martha Clara Durant, b. June 8, 1866, St. Charles, Ill.; m. at Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 27, 1886, Will S. Alverson; four young children at home with parents, St. Charles, Ill. (c) Alice Cornelia Durant, b. Sept. 24, 1869, St. Charles, Ill.; m. same place, Dec. 23, 1889, George M. Irwin; three young children at home with parents at Huntley, McHenry county, Ill. (d) Harvey Lee Durant, b. Nov. 23, 1871, St. Charles, Ill.; m. same place, Aug. 19, 1894, Esther Borg; res. at St. Charles, Ill.; three children; (e) James Blaine Durant, b. Jan. 26, 1876, St. Charles, Ill.; m. same place, July 27, 1898, Mabel E. Nelson; now resides at St. Charles, Ill. (f) Pliny Ayres Durant, b. May 21, 1854; m. Aug. 14, 1877, Elkhorn, Wis., Eunice M. Viles, b. June 1, 1853. Res. 355 Spruce St., Aurora, Ill. Is connected with C., B. & Q. Railroad. Ch.: i. Lucy Abigail Durant, b. Oct. 28, 1878, at Jonesville, Hillsdale county, Mich., resides with her parents at Aurora, Ill.

1714. xiii. DAVID SEYMOUR, b. April 12, 1800; m. Martha Wheeler.

828. JEREMIAH FIELD (Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., July 4, 1746; m. Lydia Colwell, great-great-granddaughter of Roger Williams, b in 1750; d. Pomfret, Conn., Jan. 8, 1842. He was born in Rhode Island, where he lived and married. About 1777 the family moved to Pomfret, Conn. There the father ever after resided and died. He was a farmer.

B. 20, 23. From George Rounds, 1772.

B. 20, 38. To Eleazer Harding, April 30, 1772.

B. 20, 63. From John Cater, mortgage, June 8, 1772.
He d. April 26, 1815. Res. Cranston, R. I., and Pomfret, Conn.

1715. i. ZUBA, b. Dec. 21, 1769; d. Aug. 21, 1771.
1716. ii. BARNET, b. in Cranston, R. I., March 25, 1771; d. at Pomfret, Feb. 15, 1851; m. June 26, 1796, Lucy Williams. She d. and he m., 2d, Sally Webster, who d. Dec. 24, 1856, s. p.
1717. iii. REUBEN, b. in Cranston, R. I., Nov. 22, 1772; d. at Troy, N. Y., 1842; m. Alicey Brayton.
1718. iv. RUTH, b. Nov. 16, 1774, in Providence; m. George Holbrook, of Abington, Conn. She d. 1860.
1719. v. NANCY, b. Oct. 8, 1776, in Cranston; d. 1842; m. Edward Kingsbury, of Pomfret, Conn., March 21, 1783.
1720. vi. JEREMIAH, JR., b. March 21, 1783, Pomfret, Conn.; d. Dec. 10, 1866, in Killingly, Conn.; m. Hannah Angell, of Scituate, R. I.; m., 2d, Lucine Durfee, of Killingly, Conn.
1721. vii. LYDIA, b. July 21, 1786, in Pomfret, Conn.; d. July 5, 1787.
1722. viii. HANNAH, b. Oct. 5, 1788, in Pomfret, Conn.; d. Dec. 1, 1788.
1723. ix. WILLIAM, b. April 18, 1790, in Pomfret; m. Martha Pinney, of Stafford, Conn.; m., 2d, Juliett M. Johnson, of Stafford, Conn.
1724. x. CHARLES C., b. Nov. 24, 1791, in Pomfret; d. Dec. 30, 1831; m. Hannah White, of Pomfret, Conn.

842. CHARLES FIELD (Thomas, William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. 1730, in Rhode Island; m. Mrs. Amy (Winsor) Colwell. He d. in 1826. Res. Rhode Island.

1725. i. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. —— ——.

849. JOSHUA FIELD (John, John, Jeremiah, Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William), bap. Bradford, Dec. 31, 1742; d. Sept. 25, 1819; buried at Bradford. He married Mary, younger daughter and sole surviving heir of her father, Randal Wilmer, Esq., bap. at St. Cuthbert's, York, Sept. 17, 1751; marriage settlement dated Sept. 7 and 8, 1774; married at Scarborough, Oct. 4, 1774; living 1821. Her father, Randal, was of Helmsley, and representative of a junior branch of the ancient baronial house of Thwenger. Joshua Field was a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the West Riding of Yorkshire. Res. Heaton, England.

1726. i. JOHN WILMER, b. Aug. 20, 1775; m. Anne Myddleton and Isabella Helena Salter.
1727. ii. ZACHARY, b. Jan. 7, 1777; d. in infancy.
1728. iii. JOSHUA, b. May 10, 1778; m. Elizabeth Wainman.
1729. iv. MARY ANNE, bap. May 8, 1779; m. Feb. 4, 1802, at Goodram Gate, Eugene Thomas Whittell, sometime of Over Helmsley. He died about June 20, 1821, and was buried at Chelmsford.
1730. v. DELIA, her younger sister, b. 14th and baptized 15th July, 1780; m. September, 1806, at Bradford, Thomas George Fitzgerald, of County Mayo, Ireland; d. Dec. 9, 1817; buried at Oaklands.

856. THOMAS FIELD (Elnathan, Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Newtown, L. I., Jan. 18, 1760; m. in 1790, Rebecckah Shepherd, dau. of Capt. Moses Shepherd, who was an officer in the Revolutionary war, b. Oct. 15, 1760; d. Dec. 1, 1843. He d. May 3, 1842. Res. Middletown, N. J.

1731. i. THOMAS S., b. Aug. 1, 1810; m. Martha Taylor.
1732. ii. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 26, 1792; m. Euretta Headen.
1733. iii. MARY, b. Aug. 18, 1796; m. Daniel West. She d. March 30, 1886.

1734. iv. REBECKAH, b. ——.
1735. v. CAROLINE, b. ——; m. James Wilson, s. p.

857. ELNATHAN FIELD (Elnathan, Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Middletown, N. J., ——; m. —— ——. Res. Middletown, N. J.

1736. i. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. —— Crawford.
1737. ii. GEORGE, b. ——.
1738. iii. ELNATHAN, b. ——; m. Rebecka Field.
1739. iv. ANNE, b. ——; m. Daniel Warren.

860. ROBERT FIELD (Robert, Robert, Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. White Hill, N. J., April 5, 1775; m. 1797, Abigail Stockton, dau. of Richard and Anice Boudinot. She d. Princeton, N. J., aged thirty. Robert Field, the son of Robert and Mary Peale Field, was born April 5, 1775, two months after the death of his father. He was graduated from Nassau Hall College, of New Jersey, in 1793. He lived at White Hill, the family residence, and married Abigail daughter of Richard and Anice Boudinot Stockton. He died April 24, 1810, leaving two sons and four daughters. A sister of Lieut. Robert Field (both natives of New Jersey) married William Dunbar, near Natchez. They had four daughters, who have all married. Three are living at or near Natchez. The oldest, Mary Dunbar, born about 1831, married Capt. Alfred V. Davis, of Natchez, and I think is still living. He d. April 24, 1810. Res. White Hill, N. J.

1740. i. ROBERT, b. 1797-98; m. Charlotte Brooks.
1741. ii. RICHARD STOCKTON, b. Dec. 31, 1803; m. Mary Ritchie.
1742. iii. ANNIS STOCKTON, b. ——; m. Dr. William Dunbar.
1743. iv. MARY, b. ——; m. Dr. William Dunbar. Res. Mississippi.
1744. v. JULIA, b. ——; d. in infancy.
1745. vi. HANNAH BOUDINOT, b. ——; m. George T. Olmstead. Res. Princeton, N. J. Ch.: Two girls and three boys.

867. JOSEPH FIELD (Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. near Bordentown, N. J.; m. Rebecca Shreve. Res. Burlington, N. J.

1746. i. CALEB SHREVE, b. Nov. 12, 1778, Catherine Thomas.
1747. ii. ABIGAIL, b. ——; m. Abraham Warner, of Bristol, Penn.
1748. iii. BENJAMIN, b. in 1776; m. Martha Tallman.
1749. iv. THOMAS, b. ——; m. Rebecca Woodward.
1750. v. JOB, b. ——.
1751. vi. ISAAC, b ——; m. Martha Woodward, Mrs. Mary (Biddle) Bates and Malinda P. ——.
1752. vii. JOSEPH, b. ——.
1753. viii. WILLIAM AMBROSE, b. ——. William Ambrose while homeward bound from Canton, China, on the ship "North America," of which he was supercargo, was lost with the vessel off Sandy Hook. His brother, Caleb, when he heard the news of the disaster, drove to the wreck, and on the beach found his trunk, but his body was never recovered.

867½. AUSTIN FIELD (Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. near Chesterfield, N. J.; m. in Flushing, Mary ——. Res. Flushing, L. I.

1753½. i. AUSTIN, b. about 1774; m. Mary Cornell.

869. PETER FIELD (William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. July 7, 1753, New York, N. Y.; m. May 20, 1779, Phebe Doty, of Quaker Hill, Dutchess county, N. Y. She was dau. of Elijah and Susannah (Ferris). He was a noted speaker in the House of Friends, b. Nov. 3, 1756; d. March 28, 1840. He first studied medicine, but not liking the practice he gave it up, and went in the jewelry, watch making and silversmith business. His granddaughter has a small pocket medicine case he carried. It is very small, and the material is turkey morocco bound with silver and clasp of the same. The lancet is in it. She also has the surgeon's scissors that were in it. Peter Field resided in Albany soon after his marriage, where his two youngest children were born, and then he moved back to New York to his old home, where he carried on the jewelry business, watchmaking and silversmithing. He did a very extensive business, and his granddaughter writes that he made the first watch manufactured in America. This watch was stolen during the Revolutionary war by a band of organized robbers, but recovered. He was robbed three times. The band of thieves made a regular business of it. The family was called in one room, and a guard with pistols in hand, guarded them while the other robbers stole. At one time they took thirty linen shirts of the family, and at another time his watch, stock-buckles and knee-buckles. The watch and stock-buckle had his name on, and were redeemed from a pawn shop by a friend, who saw them there. Everything else that was of value was taken, unless they belonged to Mrs. Field. The head of the party was named John Hoag, and he had been a schoolmate of Mrs. Field's, and recognized her, and when he went in the room where she was would pull his hat over his eyes and turn his face so that she would not recognize him. He would ask if different things were hers, and if so, would not touch them. The authorities were constantly searching for the robbers, and finally tracked them to a piece of woods, where they were seated on a rock, playing cards. The members of the searching party, each selected his man, and took aim and killed all the members of the gang. John Hoag, the leader, was shot in the head, his brains blown out, and he still held the cards in his hands. Mrs. Field often told of it. The watch Peter Field, Sr., made is in a descendant's family. The stock-buckle, another great-grandchild has. Phebe Doty Field was called the Quaker Hill beauty, and her oldest daughter, Deborah Doty Field Dill, was in her maidenhood, called the belle of Broadway, New York. At the time of the marriage of the youngest sister, Maria, to Horace Hall, the clergyman who united them said, they were the handsomest couple he had ever married. The family were all Quakers. Peter Field and his wife, in their old age, after they had given up housekeeping resided with their daughter. They moved to Auburn, N. Y., where Mr. Field owned 600 acres of land, and where he combined farming with his other business as long as his health permitted. He d. Aug. 6, 1839. Res. Albany, New York City, and Auburn, N. Y.

1754. i. DEBORAH B., b. Sept. 17, 1781; m. Oct. 21, 1818, Major Samuel Dill, of Auburn, N. Y. Samuel Dill was an associate judge in Rome, Oneida county, N. Y., and justice of the peace. He entered the army in the war of 1812, and served as major in the United States infantry, and was stationed at Sacket Harbor. He had charge of the works there during nearly all the time of the war, and also had supervision over the territory from the St. Lawrence to the Niagara, along the northern frontier of the state. Winfield Scott and Jared Brown served under him in that time as lieutenants. On account of the death of an older brother in Auburn, who left a very large estate, he resigned his commission in the army and moved to that city. On his removal there,

however, he was at once made United States commissary during the remainder of the war. He was twice elected to the legislature from Cayuga county; was appointed to serve on the committee to receive General LaFayette. He took an active part in politics and all affairs of the time, and donated part of the ground where the famous Auburn State Prison was built. Samuel Dill, son of Robert and Hannah McNeil Dill, was born in Shawangunk, Ulster county, N. Y., Oct. 22, 1767; died in Camillus, N. Y., May 1, 1869, aged ninety-one years, six months and nine days. Deborah Field was born in Danbury, Conn., and died in Newark, Wayne county, N. Y., June 21, 1862, aged eighty years, nine months. Samuel Dill and Deborah Field were married in Auburn, Cayuga, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Robert Lafayette, b. in Auburn, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1822; d. in Camillus, N. Y., Nov. 26, 1877. (b) Cornelia Adeline, b. in Auburn, N. Y., Sept. 23, 1824. Robert Lafayette Dill was married in Canton, St. Lawrence county, N.Y., February, 1848, to Helen M. Clark. Ch.: i. Maria Eliza Dill, b. ——; m. Ernest Holmes. ii. Ida Angelica Dill; not married; both live in Trinidad, Col. William H. Lee, son of Dr. Jonathan Lee and Jane Vanderveer Lee, was b. in Glen, Montgomery county, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1822; d. in Newark, N. Y., April 2, 1864, aged forty-one years. William H. Lee and Cornelia Adeline Dill were m. in Camillus, N. Y., May 5, 1847. Res. 69 Chestnut St., Rochester, N. Y. Ch.: i. Samuel Dill Lee, b. in Camillus, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1848. ii. Cornelia Adeline Lee, b. in Camillus, N. Y., Dec. 6, 1849. iii. William Henry Lee, b. in Camillus, N. Y., May 18, 1852. William H. Lee, Jr., and Hannah L. Wright were m. in Weedsport, N. Y., Sept. 17, 1873. Ch.: 1. Richard Henry Lee, b. in Weedsport, N. Y., Aug. 10, 1876. 2. Mabel Louise Lee, b. in Weedsport, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1879. 3. Samuel Wright Lee, b. Weedsport, N. Y., July 27, 1887. Samuel Dill Lee was one of the founders of the Daily Rochester Morning Herald; was president of the company; managing editor, literary editor and art critic, and one of the directors of the United Press, for many years, until ill health obliged him to retire. William H. Lee had for over twenty years the entire charge of all business connected with the Lehigh Valley railroad, formerly the Southern Central, at Weedsport, N. Y. Lately he went into other business.

1755. ii. ZEBULON, b. April 16, 1780; d. in Charleston, S. C., of yellow fever, Oct. 19, 1801, aged twenty-one.

1756. iii. PETER, b. Oct. 21, 1783; m. Ann Akin.

1757. iv. AMBROSE SPENCER, b. July 9, 1785; m. Susannah Ryerson.

1758. v. PHEBE, b. Nov. 10, 1789; m. Dec. 22, 1808, Jonathan Hasbrouck, of Newburgh, N. Y. He was b. Newburgh, N. Y., Sept. 10, 1785, and d. there. Ch.: 1. Isabella, b. Oct. 23, 1809; m. David L. Proudfit and Charles W. Grant. 2. Hannah Maria, b. July 29, 1811; m. Andrew Johnson. 3. Ann Eliza, b. June 22, 1813; m. William M. Stoner; drowned. 4. Phebe Field, b. June 9, 1815; unm.; res. Westfield, N. J. 5. Isaac, b. March 8, 1817. 6. Robert Stewart, b. June 5, 1819; m. Sarah Sophia Cook, of Hartford, Conn. 7. George Washington, b. June 29, 1821.

8. Jonathan, b. Oct. 30, 1823, Orange, N. J.; m. Elizabeth May Hasbrock. 9. Henry Waring, b. July 16, 1828; m. Isabella Burrell. 10. Frederick Sibell, b. Sept. 6, 1830; m. Jane Augusta Allairn. 11. Julian Augustus Hayden Hasbrock, b. March 2, 1826; m. 1848, Henrietta Halstead; m., 2d, 1865, Margaret Newland. Res. 578 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Julian A. H., b. January, 1849. (b) Frederick H. (c) William H. (d) Elizabeth Newland. (e) Annie Griswold. (f) Helen Augusta.

1759. vi. MARIA, b. July 10, 1796; m. Dec. 20, 1815, Horace Hall, in Auburn, N. Y.

1760. vii. WALTER, b. July 16, 1798; m. Maria Simonton.

872. WILLIAM VAN WYCK FIELD (William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. May 21, 1767, New York, N. Y.; m. June 23, 1791, Mary Vail, dau. of Thomas and Sarah, b. Aug. 8, 1770; d. April 27, 1792; m., 2d, Oct. 21, 1794, Sybilla Akin, b. Nov. 25, 1767; d. 1827. He d. Feb. 14, 1843. Res. New York and South East, N. Y.

1761. i. THOMAS, b. March 19, 1792; d. Feb. 13, 1793.

1762. ii. WILLIAM, b. April 2, 1805; d. Oct. 22, 1828, South East, unm.

1763. iii. SYBILLA, b. May 5, 1797; d. Dec. 15, 1828, South East, unm.

1764. iv. JONATHAN, b. Sept. 15, 1798; d. Aug. 14, 1843, unm.

1765. v. VAN WYCK, b. Dec. 10, 1801; d. 1870, unm.

1766. vi. EDWARD, b. Nov. 18, 1811; m. and d. s. p. July 29, 1882, New York city.

1767. vii. OLIVER, b. Nov. 13, 1808; m. Lydia Crane.

1768. viii. THOMAS, b. Oct. 29, 1795; d. April 4, 1858.

875. STEPHEN FIELD (William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Feb. 7, 1774, New York, N. Y.; m. Molly Hunt, who soon d. s. p.; m., 2d, Feb. 14, 1796, Phœbe Whitman, of Ridgefield, Conn., b. Sept. 13, 1777; d. April 10, 1837. He was b. in New York city; went to the Oblong, Putnam county, N. Y., late incorporated as South East, where he ever after resided. He conducted a large nursery; was an extensive farmer, and highly esteemed and respected in the community where he lived. He d. April 23, 1843. Res. South East, N. Y.

1769. i. EMMA, b. April 9, 1797; d. Sept. 8, 1805.

1770. ii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 30, 1798; d. Aug. 30, 1805.

1771. iii. HANNAH HULL, b. March 29, 1800; m. Barnabas Allen; he was a banker; res. Danbury, Conn.; had two children; she d. Oct. 29, 1871.

1772. iv. AMANDA, b. July 29, 1805; d. Aug. 28, 1805.

1773. v. CHARLES, b. Jan. 15, 1803; d. Aug. 23, 1805.

1774. vi. SALLY WHITMAN, b. Nov. 16, 1804; m. April 11, 1832, Albert Gallatin Beers; res. Walton, N. Y.; ch.: (a) Cyrus Beers; res. Walton, N. Y.

1775. vii. CHARLOTTE, b. Oct. 4, 1806; m. Oct. 30, 1828, Lyman Beers; res. Newtown, N. Y.; she d. June 9, 1864; son Horace, Ansonia, Conn.

1776. viii. MARIA, b. Oct. 4, 1806; m. October, 1861, as his second wife, Peter Turk, a well known lawyer of Milwaukee, Wis.; she d. s. p. Nov. 7, 1880.

1777. ix. JESSIE B., b. Nov. 9, 1808; d. Feb. 19, 1810.

1778. x. JARVIS WHITMAN, b. Sept. 14, 1810; he traveled extensively

in South America on business, and when last heard of he was at Rio Janeiro, in Brazil. This was in 1865. He wrote that he was going to St. Thomas, thence to New Orleans, and to New York. He probably d. unm.

1779. xi. DEBORAH BURLAND, b. Feb. 23, 1812; m. Harry Stone; res. Danbury, Conn.; dau. Mrs. Sarah Earle, Danbury, Conn.; she d. Dec. 30, 1887.

1780. xii. MARY VAN WYCK, b. Dec. 2, 1813; m. Jan. 4, 1835, Warren Spalding; res. Danbury, Conn.; she d. in Oconomowoc, Wis. He was b. Dutchess county, N. Y., April 1, 1811; d. Dec. 16, 1870, at Oconomowoc, Wis.; they passed the greater part of their lives in Danbury, Conn., moving from there to Wisconsin; he was a tanner by trade; they had nine children, all b. in Danbury, Conn.: 1. Sarah Jane, b. June 3, 1836; d. Sept. 2, 1836. 2. Edward Field, b. Aug. 14, 1837; was in civil war for three years; res. St. Louis. 3. Charles Henry, b. June 22, 1839; d. March 9, 1860. 4. Emma Field, b. Oct. 15, 1843; d. Oct. 18, 1843. 5. Frances Ophelia, b. March 21, 1845; m. Dec. 20, 1871, George Spence; res. Oconomowoc. 6. Willis Heavaland, b. Dec. 29, 1847; m. Julia E. Kellogg and Mabel M. Burdick; res. Oconomowoc. 7. Ferris Augustus, b. July 10, 1849; m. Julia Baldwin; res. Oconomowoc. 8. Mary Elizabeth, b. March 25, 1852; m. March 16, 1874, Charles Spence; res. Concord, Wis.; five children. 9. Arthur Eugene, b. July 16, 1855; d. Nov. 14, 1855.

1781. xiii. JANE, b. Dec. 12, 1815; m. June, 1869, Lyman Beers; she d. Sept. 14, 1875.

1782. xiv. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS, b. May 2, 1819; m. Francis Bussey.

878. CHARLES FIELD (William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. New York, N. Y., April 21, 1782; m. Martha Carpenter; he d. October, 1858; res. New York, N. Y.

1783. i. WILLIAM PENN, b. Sept. 29, 1804; m. Ann Eliza Cypher.

1784. ii. CHARLES, b. ——; d. young.

1785. iii. TWO GIRLS, b. ——.

883. JOSEPH COLES FIELD (John Van W., Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. New York, Aug. 22, 1768; m. Charlotte Bull, dau. of Dr. Bull, of South East; d. Dec. 24, 1840. Dr. Bull practised medicine in Putnam county, N. Y., and his dau. Cornelia Bull m. Joseph C. Field. He was elected sheriff of Dutchess county, N. Y., before 1813, and moved to Poughkeepsie. He d. July 24, 1813. Res. South East, Dutchess county, and Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

1785¼. i. MIRIAM MARIA, b. Nov. 15, 1787; d. June 9, 1820.

1785½. ii. HENRY BULL, b. July 26, 1789; d. Oct. 21, 1811.

1786. iii. AMBROSE DICKINSON, b. June 13, 1791; d. June 1, 1815.

1787. iv. CHARITY PAMELIA, b. May 14, 1793; m. May 14, 1814, John Rogers; she d. Chicago, aged 90, s. p.

1788. v. JOHN COLES, b. Aug. 18, 1795; m. Lydia Ketchum.

1789. vi. PHILIP SPENCER, b. Dec. 12, 1797; m Sally Hoyt, 1820; d. 1863.

1790. vii. ALEXANDER, b. Oct. 29, 1799; m. Eliza Cook Marshall.

1791. viii. HARRIET CORNELIA, b. Jan. 24, 1802; m. 1821.

1792. ix. ELIZA ANN, b. July 30, 1807; d. 1822.

1793. x. THOMAS JEFFERSON, b. May 21, 1804; m. Louisa A. Chapman.
1794. xi. CHARLOTTE AUGUSTA, b. March 3, 1810; d. July 13, 1811.

884. HAZARD FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Nov. 11, 1765; m. June, 1788, Fanny Wright; m., 2d, Jan. 12, 1806, Mary Bailey, b. Jan. 6, 1870; d. Feb. 22, 1832.

Hazard Field, b. Nov. 11, 1765; m. Fanny Wright June, 1778, by whom he had Rachel, who m. Jonathan Hart; Hannah m. William McCord; Wright m. Phœbe Ann Drake, and Sally Ann m. Elias Vredenburgh. Hazard Field m., 2d, Jan. 12. 1806, Mary Bailey, by whom he had Fanny Field; m. Elias Vredenburgh, whose first wife was her half-sister; Abigail d. single; Susan d. single; Phœbe m. Jacob McCord; Benjamin Hazard m. Catharine van Cortlandt de Peyster; Joseph Bailey d. single, and Jerusha M. d. single. He d. Feb. 5, 1845; res. Yorktown, N. Y.

1795 i. RACHEL, b. June 27, 1789; m. Jan. 7, 1813, Jonathan Hart; she d. Dec. 2, 1815.
1796. ii. HANNAH, b. Aug. 25, 1791; m. 1837, William McCord; she d. Dec. 10, 1867.
1797. iii. WRIGHT, b. June 24, 1794; m. Phœbe A. Drake.
1798. iv. SALLY ANN, b. April 18, 1797; m. 1817 in Yorktown, N.Y., Elias Vredenburgh; she d. July 26, 1825.
1799. v. FANNY, b. Jan. 14, 1807; m. June 17, 1826, Elias Vredenburgh; she d. July 14, 1868. He was b. Tarrytown, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1793; d. May 21, 1874. Ch.: 1. Hester Maria, b. Jan. 7, 1818; m. Nov. 12, 1851, Jacob L. Ryder. He was b. July 1, 1811; d. Aug. 3, 1888; a farmer. Ch.: (a) Anna F. Ryder, b. Nov. 18, 1853; m. Frank Dromgoole, of St. Helen, England, Nov. 9, 1881, at Mount Kisco. Ch.: Frank W., Frederick H., Herbert Addison, Mary Edna and Elizabeth Marion. Herbert Addison and Mary Edna both d. Sept. 14 and 16, 1891. Mr. Dromgoole is editor and publisher of the Mt. Kisco (N. Y.) Recorder. 2. Wright Field, b. Aug. 22, 1820; m. Anna Hebard; a daughter is Mrs. E. E. O'Brien; res. Bay St. Louis, Miss. 3. William Hazard, b. Oct. 26, 1822; m. Odile ——; he d.; his widow res. New Orleans, La. 4. Mary Ann Vredenburgh, b. May 30, 1825; m. Samuel Haviland Fowler, Dec. 22, 1847; he was b. Oct. 21, 1822; d. Oct. 29, 1872. Res. 163 Hudson avenue, Peekskill, N. Y. Ch.: (a) Kate Louise Fowler, b. Sept. 16, 1852. (b) Odile A. Fowler, b. April 27, 1854; m. Richard W. Horne. Res. Lake Mohegan, N. Y. (c) Mary Alice Fowler, b. March 4, 1856; m. Orville Pierce. Res. Lake Mohegan, N. Y. (d) Ella Field Fowler, b. Feb. 22, 1865. 5. Fanny Vredenburgh, dau. of 2d wife, Fanny Field, b. Sept. 18, 1841; m. John E. Hanes.
1800. vi. ABIGAIL, b. May 24, 1808; d. unm. Nov. 4, 1874.
1801. vii. SUSAN, b. Oct. 17, 1809; d. unm. Oct. 5, 1830.
1802. viii. PHŒBE, b. Sept. 11, 1811; m. Sept. 16, 1830, Jacob R. McCord; she d. Oct. 15, 1874.
1803. ix. BENJAMIN HAZARD, b. May 2, 1814; m. Catherine M. V. C. de Peyster.
1804. x. JOSEPH BAILEY, b. Feb. 22, 1818; d. unm. July 16, 1840.
1805. xi. JERUSHA M., b. Aug. 15, 1820; d. unm. Aug. 24, 1850.

885. JOHN FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. May 6, 1766; m. June 10, 1786, Francis or Fanny

Perry, b. April 28, 1765; d. March 13, 1843. He was among the first settlers in Ferrisburgh, going there in 1787. He d. Nov. 19, 1827. Res. New York, and Ferrisburgh, Vt.

1806. i. JOSIAH A., b. June 14, 1787; m. Feb. 26, 1810, Eliza Holsted; he d. in 1844; res. New York.

1807. ii. EDWARD, b. Aug. 24, 1788; m. Dec. 20, 1828, Eliza Morrin; he d. in 1850; res. New York.

1808. iii. IRA, b. March 1, 1791; d. Sept. 3, 1793.

1809. iv. JAMES P., b. July 17, 1792; d. Sept. 13, 1830.

1810. v. STEPHEN, b. March 31, 1794; m. Frances Bouton Kellogg.

1811. vi. DAUGHTER, b. Oct. 26, 1795; m. Feb. 26, 1816, George Merrill; she d. Feb. 16, 1817.

1812. vii. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 18, 1798; m. Reuben Kellogg, of Basin Harbor, Addison county, Vt.

1813. viii. MARIA, b. Feb. 7, 1800; m. G. B. Rolleston.

1814. ix. HARRIET, b. Sept. 9, 1801; d. April 26, 1838.

1815. x. JOHN, b. May 7, 1803; m. 1825, Eleanor Hardie; res Hartland Four Corners, Vt.

1816. xi. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 8, 1804; m. April 22, 1829, A. Beach; he d. Nov. 29, 1833; res. New York.

1817. xii. LOUISA, b. Sept. 2, 1806; m. July 19, 1829, Charles H. Cuyler, of Plymouth, Ill.

1818. xiii. WALTER, b. March 26, 1809; m. Melvinah Truesdell.

1819. xiv. CHARLES L., b. Jan. 4, 1811; d. Aug. 8, 1822.

1820. xv. FANNY, b. Dec. 25, 1813; m. Aug. 18, 1833, George S. Willis; she d. July, 1837.

1820½. xvi. CYRUS, b. Ferrisburgh; m. Polly Porter, of Ferrisburgh. He settled in Ferrisburgh, Vt.; m. there. Their family was (a) George, (b) Nancy, (c) Parmilla, (d) Mary, and (e) Curtis. Ch.: 1. George, d. in 1892, aged 69 years; he m. Christena Sciples; she was b. in 1821, and is living; they had one child, Isadore, who is 42 years old and living; she m. Edward Gillete; they now res. in Ferrisburgh, and have two sons, George, aged 21, and Lloyd, aged 10 years. 2. Nancy m. Mathew Bullis; both deceased. 3. Parmilla (now deceased) m. Mr. Bonne (deceased); they had one child, Marriatta; she m. Orwin Dalrymple, now living in Vergennes, Vt.; her second husband, Vernal Spooner, now deceased. 4. Mary (there are no records to be found). 5. Curtis m. and lives in Ferrisburgh at present; has two children.

887. DANIEL BIRDSALL FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. July 28, 1770; m. Elizabeth Field, b. Sept. 25, 1778; d. Dec. 3, 1860, dau. of Benjamin and Frances (Huggeford); he d. March 11, 1830; res. New York.

1821. i. LEONARD HUGGEFORD, b. Feb. 9, 1798; m. Margaret Clement.

1822. ii. JULIET, b. July 10, 1800; m. Feb. 17, 1818, Frederick William Requa, of Peekskill; she d. Feb. 18, 1832.

1823. iii. JAMES HARVEY, b. May 24, 1803; m. Jeanne Charlotte Victorie Dubourg.

1824. iv. ELIZA, b. Oct. 21, 1808.

888. SEAMAN FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Feb. 2, 1794; m. Sept. 14, 1822, Louise

Marie Eliza Du Bourg de Ste. Colombe, b. July 6, 1806; d. Feb. 18, 1874, at New Orleans, La., dau. of Pierre François Du Bourg de Ste. Colombe. He d. Sept. 20, 1860. Res. New Orleans, La.

1825. i. MARIE ELIZABETH WILHELMINE, b. Sept. 8, 1823; d. Oct. 10, 1824.

1826. ii. JOSEPH DE FORREST, b. April 28, 1825; d. March 31, 1866.

1827. iii. CHARLES VICTOR DE GOURNAY, b. Feb. 18, 1827; d. New York city, Jan. 1, 1842.

1828. iv. JEANNE ELIZA, b. June 8, 1827; m. May 13, 1847, Theodore Bailly Blanchard.

1829. v. LOUISE AUGUSTINE ODILE, b. March 7, 1830; m. Oct. 26, 1846, William Hazard Vredenburgh.

1830. vi. HENRY WILLIAM DU BOURG, b. Aug. 22, 1834; d. Dec. 27, 1836.

1831. vii. MARIE CLEMENCE, b. May 24, 1836; m. Jan. 10, 1856, James Arthur Blane; she d. Feb. 28, 1866.

1832. viii. ELIZABETH VICTORIE, b. Sept. 22, 1845; d. July 4, 1846.

892. WILLIAM B. FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Dec. 2, 1777; m. —— Fairchild; res. New York, N. Y.

1833. i. WILLIAM H., b. ——; m. Margaretta Day.

893. MOSES FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Oct. 4, 1779, Yorktown, N. Y.; m. New York, N. Y., May 17, 1821, Susan Kittredge, dau. of Hon. Samuel Osgood, first commissioner of the United States treasury, postmaster-general, etc., of Andover, Mass., b. April 12, 1795; d. May, 1834. Moses Field, ninth child of John and Lydia, and named after an uncle, was born Oct. 4, 1779. He removed to New York about 1800, where his elder brother Josiah had already preceded him, and had been associated in business with John Maunsell Bradhurst. After Josiah's death, Moses Field became a member of the firm of Bradhurst & Field, merchants, from which he retired in or before 1820, and shortly after made the usual European tour, visiting England, France, Italy, etc. On May 17, 1821, not long after his return to America, he married Susan Kittredge, daughter of the Hon. Samuel Osgood, first commissioner of the United States treasury, postmaster-general under Washington's administration, etc. She was born April 12, 1795. Moses Field died at Peekskill, N. Y., on Oct. 21, 1833, after a life of unostentatious benevolence. During the severe winter of 1828-29, when there was much suffering among the poor of New York, he established a soup house, and kept it up at his own expense, with the exception of some small sums which were sent to him unsolicited on his part. The writer of this—then quite a child—can remember being taken by him on several occasions to this place, where a good meal was given to all the necessitous who came there, and he can still recall the pleasure it gave his father to see the half-starved applicants have their hunger satisfied. This was but one instance in many of a career of active benevolence. Often during his lifetime a deserving and needy person had a load of wood deposited at the door when the cold was severe; or a loaf or two of bread left at the house daily, who never knew the name of the donor, for he was one of the few who "do good by stealth." His widow, Susan, never recovered from the effects of his loss, and she died in the month of May, 1834, some six or seven months after her husband.

The average daily number of rations given out at the soup house, which Mr. Field established at the corner of Houston and Mercer streets, was 2,686.

The following obituary notice of him appeared in the New York American of Oct. 25, 1833:

"Died at Peekskill on the 21st inst. Moses Field of this city, aged 53 years. The poor could not have sustained a greater loss in an individual. No man had more enlarged, or persevering benevolence in feeding the hungry, clothing the naked and providing for the sick. His greatest happiness appeared to be to mitigate the sufferings and relieve the wants of the virtuous poor."

Another obituary in the New York Spectator of Oct. 24, 1833, reads as follows:

"It falls to our lot to record the death of Moses Field, Esq., of this city, who after a lingering illness expired at Peekskill on the 18th inst. at the age of 53. By this dispensation our fellow-citizens have cause to deplore the loss of one of the most useful and philanthropic of their members. The poor among us have special reason to regret the departure of a friend, whose acts of benevolence have rarely been surpassed in any country. He sympathized in their distresses, and, like another Howard—not content with taking the height and depth—the external mensuration of human sorrow—he entered the recesses of misery—ministering to the alleviation both of hunger and pain. It is not easy to do justice to that charity which descends from the housetop to the obscurity of the cellar and the stall, lest it may lose in the lowliness of its dispensation, the grandeur of its principles; but it was not for show, or ostentation that Mr. Field visited the abodes of wretchedness. Substantial relief for human suffering was the end he sought for, and the boon he obtained. He founded our soup establishments at a period of unexampled destitution, and he was an efficient and active co-operator in establishing those dispensaries in our city, that have contributed so much to softening the pains, calamities, and accidents that flesh is heir to. In every labor of beneficence he was among the foremost; not merely by contributions from his purse; but by his personal efforts and the higher authority of example. In all our institutions for aiding the poorer classes he was prominent, and in the bestowment of direct charity he was one of the most efficient and indefatigable of our philanthropists. To say that 'his hand was open as day to melting charity' would be but a commonplace remark. It has been a thousand times quoted, but never, perhaps, with greater fidelity than in its application to Mr. Field. His views were liberal and expansive, embracing in their range the great family of man; yet so definite and minute in observance, that his ready ear could catch the wail of individual misery, and his watchful eye discern and his hand be prepared to relieve it, even on its distant approach."

He d. Oct. 21, 1833; res. Peekskill, N. Y.

1834. i. MAUNSELL BRADHURST, b. March 26, 1822; m. Julia Stanton.
1835. ii. OSGOOD, b. Nov. 14, 1823; m. Katherine Parker.
1836. iii. FRANKLIN CLINTON, b. Aug. 5, 1825; m. Mary Cunningham and Elizabeth Cooke Fitch.
1837. iv. SUSAN MARIA, b. Aug. 13, 1827; m. John Augustus Pell, of Pelham, Ulster county, N. Y.; she d Pau, France, Dec. 30, 1893.
1838. v. CAROLINE MATILDA, b. Nov. 11, 1829; m. George S. Riggs, of Baltimore.
1839. vi. MOSES AUGUSTUS, b. April 15, 1831; m. Fanny P. Bradhurst.
1840. vii. WILLIAM HAZARD, b. Aug. 5, 1833; m. Augusta Currie Bradhurst.

897. HICKSON WOOLMAN FIELD (John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Oct. 17, 1788, Flushing, L. I.; m. 1818, Eleanor Kingsland de Forest, dau. of William; m., 2d, Catherine Bradhurst, dau. of Samuel, of Harlem, N. Y.; d. s. p. in Nice, Italy, March 17, 1868.

Mr. Field went to New York city at about the age of eighteen years and entered the counting room of Bradhurst & Field, of which firm his brother Moses was a partner. After acquiring some commercial experience he made a voyage to Guadaloupe, and embarked on his return in the ship Washington, which was captured by the British sloop of war Hippomines, and taken to Antigua, where she was released after fifty days' detention, as no French goods were found on board. Mr. Field spent the following winter at Charleston, and was present later at the inauguration of President Madison on March 4, 1809. Not long after his return to New York, he sailed from there for Amsterdam, and passed the British fleet in the Scheldt, which was attempting to intercept the French. His vessel, the Dean, passed unnoticed between two lines of battleships, and anchored in the Trexel roads; but was driven ashore in a violent gale and condemned. Her cargo of sugar and coffee was seized by the government of Holland, whose throne was then occupied by Louis Bonaparte. In 1831 Mr. Field recovered damages from France for this seizure, under the treaty made with that country by the United States during Jackson's presidency. From Amsterdam, Mr. Field visited successively London, Cadiz, Palermo and New York. He returned to London from the last place and opened a commission house there, which he gave up shortly after, on the passing of the Non-importation act, and left England for Holland, accompanied by Mr. George Astor, a nephew of John Jacob, the founder of the New York family of that name. They landed at the mouth of the Elbe, in a smuggling boat, in defiance of a French prohibition, and by doing so incurred the penalty of death. On the approach of a sentinel, they had to lie down to avoid detection, and after several narrow escapes, they reached Oldenburg, where their passports were "visés" for Bremen. They sent them to the commissary of justice on their arrival at Neustadt and were summoned by him to attend in person. Mr. Field, who spoke German, underwent a long examination, in the course of which he stated that he had corresponded with Meyer & Co., of Bremen, so Mr. Meyer was sent for; who not only identified Mr. Field, but also became his bail. After a visit to Copenhagen, Mr. Field returned to America, where he arrived just before war broke out with Great Britain, whereupon he joined a well-known New York company called the "Iron Greys" and served with this corps during hostilities. On their cessation, he established a commercial house, from which he retired many years before his death. He married in 1818, Eleanor Kingsland, daughter of Wm. de Forest. His wife died at an early age after giving birth to three children, one of whom died in infancy. He married, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Samuel Bradhurst and widow of John McKesson. She died at Nice in 1868, leaving no issue. Mr. Field died at Rome, Feb. 12, 1873. By his first wife he left a son, Hickson W., who married Mary Elizabeth, daughter of John M. Bradhurst, and a daughter, Eleanor Kingsland, wife of the Hon. John Jay. Res. New York, N. Y.

1841. i. HICKSON WOOLMAN, b. Aug. 11, 1823; m. Mary E. Bradhurst.

1842. ii. ELEANOR KINGSLAND, b. 1818; m. 1837, Hon. John Jay, of Bedford, N. Y. John Jay was born in New York city, June 23, 1817. His father was William Jay, a judge of one of the state courts and a man prominent in the politics and social life of his time. His grandfather was the John Jay (born 1745, died 1829) who was sent to France to assist Benjamin Franklin in the negotiations for the treaty of peace between this country and England, and who was a leading figure in the events which changed the colonies into free and independent states; he was also the first chief justice of the United States. Judge William Jay drew down upon himself the hatred of all the slaveholders by his decis-

ion in favor of the bondsmen and his outspoken denunciation of slavery. He died Oct. 14, 1858. The late John Jay used his pen and tongue freely in opposition to slavery. In 1837, the year after he was graduated from Columbia College, he was married to Miss Eleanor K. Field. After marriage he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1839. Even as a young man he took up the cudgels against negro slavery. He was the secretary of the Irish relief committee of 1847. He acted as counsel without pay for many fugitive slaves. He was elected president of the Union League Club in 1866, and again in 1877. Between 1869 and 1875 he was minister to Austria. In 1877 he was chairman of the committee sent from Washington to investigate the system of the New York custom-house. From 1883 to 1888 he was president of the New York State civil service. He died May 6, 1894. Ch.: 1. Eleanor Jay, m. June 23, 1859, Henry Grafton Chapman; four children. 2. Col. Wm. Jay, b. Feb. 12, 1841; m. Lucy Oelrichs; three children. 3. Augusta Jay, m. Oct. 3, 1867, Edward Randolph Robinson; three children. 4. Mary Jay, m. Oct. 15, 1863, Wm. Henry Schieffelin, of New York city; five children. 5. Anna Jay, b. 1849; m. Oct. 12, 1872, Gen. Hans Lothar de Schwenitz, German ambassador at St. Petersburg, Russia; eight children.

1843. iii. A CHILD, d. in infancy.

900. ANTHONY FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Oct. 24, 1755, New York State; m. in Vermont, Sarah Franklin, b. Nov. 4, 1752; d. 1855; he d. in 1855; res. Addison county, Vt.

1844. i. ANTHONY, b. Aug. 15, 1808; m. Mary A. Hathway.

1845. ii. STEPHEN, b. Aug. 1, 1812; lived in Ferrisburgh; m. Cornelia Siples; she was b. 1822; d. 1892; their occupation was farming, and religion, Quaker; they had a family of five children: 1. James Field, b. 1840; living; m. Carrie Draper, of Georgia, Vt. Had one son, Arthur; he m. in 1888, Jessie Kingsland; lives in Ferrisburgh; they have four children: Blanche, b. 1889; Herbert, b. 1894; Luna, b. 1897; Faith, b. 1899; religion, Methodist; occupation, farming. 2. Sarah Field, b. in 1843; living; m. Geo. Porter, of Ferrisburgh; res. in town of Charlotte now; religion, Congregationalist; have no children. 3. Hattie Field, m. Charles Pratt; res. in Illinois at present; have one son and one daughter, Frank and Daisy; all of family living; farmers. 4. Luther Field, b. 1850; living in Ferrisburgh; m. Miss Roscoe; they have four children; one, Jennie, who m. Walter Clark, of Ferrisburgh, Vt.; they have two children. 5. Effie Field, b. 1855; m. Noble Ball, and have one child, Luella, b. 1897.

1845-1. iii. HENRY, b. 1818; d. 1898; he m. Polly Wescott in 1839; b. 1818; living; a very wealthy farmer. Ch.: 1. Ann Eliza, b. 1848; m. Fletcher Frisbie, of Waltham; he was b. in 1839; had two sons: (a) Egbert, b. 1871; m. Mary Everest, of Waltham, Vt.; farmer; Congregationalist; have one daughter, Marion, b. February, 1900. (b) Walter m. Stella Newton, of Ferrisburgh; res. in Waltham, Vt.; have two children, Victor, one year old; one girl, deceased. 2. Edgar. 3. Cassius.

1845-2. iv. SAMUEL, b. ——; n. f. k.
1845-3. v. JOSEPH, b. ——; d. unm.; res. Salt Lake City, Utah.
1845-4. vi. JOSHUA, b. ——; m. Lucinda Walsh, of Panton, Vt. Ch.: 1. Rosa, m. Ransom O'Brien, of Panton. 2. Edward, m. Ellen O'Brien, and have three children: Adelbert and Jessie M., living; Eugene, deceased; the children are unm. 3. Libby, m. a Mr. Foote, and have no children. 4. Sarah, m. —— Winslow; second husband, Fred Parch, of New Haven, Vt.; farmers.
1845-5. vii. HARRIET, b. ——.
1845-6. viii. ESTHER, b. ——.
1845-7. ix. ELIZABETH, b. ——.
1845-8. x. SARAH, b. ——.

901. GILBERT FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. White Plains, N. Y., about 1760; m. Eleanor Morton; he d., aged 50, at Queenstown River Road. Res. Niagara River Road, Ont.

1846. i. GEORGE, b. Feb. 21, 1790.
1847. ii. DANIEL, b. Jan. 14, 1792.
1848. iii. JOHN MORTON, b. Dec. 4, 1793.
1849. iv. DAVID McFALL, b. Oct. 13, 1795.
1850. v. RALPH, b. March 19, 1798; m. Bethiah Hill.
1851. vi. REBECCA, b. May 13, 1800.
1852. vii. JAMES, b. Aug. 16, 1802.
1853. viii. NATHAN, b. March 16, 1805.
1854. ix. GILBERT CHRYSLER, b. Aug. 9, 1807.
1855. x. HIRAM, b. Aug. 13, 1811.

901½. BENJAMIN FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. White Plains, N. Y., about 1773; m. in Ferrisburgh, Vt., about 1799, Polly Champlain; d. in Ferrisburgh, 1810; m., 2d, ——. Benjamin, Sr., b. 1773, came to Ferrisburgh, Vt., from White Plains, N. Y; m. Polly Champlain, of Ferrisburgh, for first wife. Benjamin was a very successful farmer and financier; he accumulated an estate amounting to $110,000; $87,000 of this he gave to his children and grandchildren before his death; at his death his estate was valued at $30,000; Benjamin and Polly had four children: George, Thomas, Benjamin, Jr., and Daniel. He d. March 23, 1863; res. Ferrisburgh, Vt.

1855-2. i. THOMAS, b. April 14, 1804; m. Elizabeth Rogers and Abigail Harrington.
1855-3. ii. DANIEL, b. ——; d. at age of 54; he m. Mary Wing, who was b. 1803 and d. at age of 40; had two daughters: 1. Sophia, b. 1833 and d. at age of 40; she m. Austin Field; their children were two boys, and one girl whose name is Alice. 2. Mary, d. in 1846, aged 12 years, 3 months.
1855-4. iii. GEORGE, b. Aug. 26, 1802; m. Sylvenia Walker.
1855-5. iv. BENJAMIN, b. in 1806; d. unm. 1846.
1855-6. v. SOLOMON, b. 1818, and d. 1898 in Kansas; he m. Phœbe Carter, of Monkton, Vt.; for his second wife he m. Mrs. Eliza Newton, of Ferrisburgh, Vt. Ch.: 1. Theodoshes, d. at the age of 25, unm. 2. Cornelia, m. Theodoshes Holton, of Addison, Vt.; they had two children. 3. Curt, d. unm., at age of 20. 4. Polly, lives in Kansas; has two children; one is married and lives in Vermont; the other unmarried.

1855-7. vi. POLLY, b. ——; m. John Hazard, of Charlotte, Vt.; she d. at age of 50; they had one child, Ellen, who m. Ovett Stone, of Charlotte, Vt.; they had seven children, five boys and two girls.

1855-8. vii. ELECTA, b. ——.

1855-9. viii. ELIZA, b. ——; m. John Parker.

1855-10. ix. MARY, b. ——; m. Elisha Langdon, of Charlotte, Vt.

901¼. STEPHEN FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. White Plains, N. Y.; m. Mary Washburn. He d. July 24, 1856. Res. Ferrisburgh.

1855-11. i. GILBERT, b. ——; m. Miss Gage. Two children, both dead.

1855-12. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Harriet Taft, and had seven children, four girls and three boys: Charlie, Harrison, Tamer, ——, Mary, Frank and Julia. Charlie is living, married a girl in Montpelier, Vt., where they reside at present. He is an engineer. They had one boy, Charlie.

1855-13. iii. MOSES, b. ——.

1855-14. iv. HIRAM, b. ——.

1855-15. v. STEVEN, b. ——.

1855-16. vi. AARON, b. ——.

1855-17. vii. ANSON, b. ——; d. unm.

1855-18. viii. POLLY, b. ——; m. Roswell Atwood, of Monkton, Vt. They had four children, three sons and one daughter. 1. ——. 2. Stephen. 3. Buell. 4. Mary. All deceased but Mary. 3. Buell m. Miss Roy, of Hinesburg, Vt.; both deceased. 4. Mary m. Will Downing, of Monkton, Vt. They had one child. All the family living.

1855-19. ix. HULDAH, b. ——; m. Orrin Wheeler, of New Haven, Vt. Three children, only one living, Mary.

1855-20. x. MARY, b. ——.

901½. GEORGE FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. White Plains, N. Y., about 1758; m. in Ferrisburgh ——. Res. Ferrisburgh, Vt.

1855-21. i. GEORGE, b. May 12, 1791; m. Sally Pier.

1855-22. ii. NANCY, b. ——.

1855-23. iii. OTHER children.

902. ISAAC FIELD (Solomon, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. in 1757, Dingle, N. Y.; m. Deborah Lobdell. He d. Jan. 17, 1837. Res. South East, N. Y.

1856. i. PHEBE, b. ——.

1857. ii. BETSEY, b. ——.

1858. iii. ATHALANAH, b. ——.

1859. iv. CHLOE, b. Aug. 27, 1788; d. June 27, 1827.

1860. v. DEBORAH, b. ——.

1861. vi. SALLY, b. April 12, 1798; d. Oct. 16, 1871.

1862. vii. NATHAN, b. April 20, 1782; m. Susan Knox.

903. THOMAS FIELD (Solomon, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. ——; m. Susan Angevine, b. March 16, 1770; d. January, 1868. He d. in 1792. Res. South East, N. Y.

1863. i. POLLY, b. June 4, 1786; m. April 11, 1810, Elijah Fowler, of South East, b. Aug. 10, 1776; d. Dec. 5, 1825. Res. Brewster, N.Y.

905. STEPHEN FIELD (Solomon, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. March 11, 1770; m. Betsey Brown. He d. July 24, 1854. Res. South East, N. Y.

1864. i. ROXANNA, b. Aug. 21, 1796; m. Sept. 15, 1814, Samuel Ryder, son of Eleazer and Mary (Coe), b. Dec. 16, 1791; d. Nov. 20, 1820. She d. Sept. 6, 1881.

1865. ii. SOLOMON, b. March 31, 1799; m. Sally Ann Ganung.

1866. iii. SALLY, b. Feb. 7, 1806; m. Jan. 5, 1825, Nathan Delavan Ganung, b. March 2, 1801; d. Dec. 17, 1877, of North Salem. A son is Starr Ganung, of Brewster, N. Y. She d. Oct. 21, 1849. Res. Croton Falls, N. Y.

1867. iv. BETSEY, b. ——; d. 1841. She m. Edmund Pierce. A dau. is Mrs. Gilbert Bailey, of Croton Falls, N. Y.

1868. v. MARY, b. May 22, 1811; m. Genet H. Kniffin. She d. Aug. 17, 1876. Res. North Salem, N. Y. A dau. is Mrs. Mary E. K. Smith, of North Salem.

906. SAMUEL FIELD (Gilbert, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Dingle Ridge, N. Y., 1792; m. Jan. 1, 1817, Charlotte Crane, dau. of Solomon and Athalanah (Coe), of Patterson, N. Y., b. 1799; d. May 7, 1826; m., 2d, Aug. 2, 1832, Julia Margaret Sim, b. 1810; d. May 19, 1834; m., 3d, March 26, 1835, Amelia Sim; d. Oct. 26, 1841. Samuel settled on a portion of the farm on which he was born, and which was given him by his father. He established a fine place on the east shore of Peach Lake, now owned by Robert Vail, where he was throughout life an able, accomplished and public-spirited citizen. He d. April 2, 1877. Res. Dingle Ridge, N. Y.

1869. i. CAROLINE, b. Dec. 29, 1817; m. Oct. 20, 1842, William Taber Rumsey, of Pauling; removed to Fairfax Court House, Va. Six children. He was b. Dec. 14, 1820. She d. Jan. 30, 1873.

1870. ii. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS CRANE, b. Aug. 13, 1820; m. Clara Lewis. He d. Oct. 27, 1866, s. p. She was dau. of Garry Lewis, of White Plains, N. Y.

1871. iii. JULIA FRANCES CATHERINE, b. Aug. 5, 1833; m. July 30, 1860, Henry Seymour, b. June 19, 1835; a prosperous builder of Norwalk, Conn. One dau., Carrie Amelia, b. Aug. 8, 1863.

1872. iv. MARY AMELIA MALCOM, b. Sept. 8, 1837; d. unm. Sept. 4, 1871.

1873. v. RICHARD JOSEPH GILBERT, b. March 31, 1841; unm. Sept. 25, 1841.

909. COMFORT FIELD (Gilbert, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Dingle Ridge, N. Y., 1799; m. Jan. 8, 1823, Polly Crane, dau. of Solomon and Athalanah (Coe), of Patterson, N. Y., b. March 10, 1801; d. Aug. 9, 1849. He removed to Pawling, where he was a large farmer and prosperous citizen. He d. May 6, 1850 Res. Pawling, N. Y.

1874. i. CHARLOTTE, b. Jan. 16, 1826; m. Oct. 13, 1845, George Kirby Taber, a successful farmer and business man and highly respected citizen. He was son of Jonathan A. and Hannah (Kirby), b. Feb. 5, 1822. Res. Pawling, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Gilbert Field, b. 1846; m. Mary Allen and d. 1889. Five children. Res. Pawling. 2. Hannah Kirby, b. 1850; d. 1871. 3. Martha Ann, b. 1857. 4. Alicia Hopkins, b. 1859. 5. Charlotte Field, b. 1861; d. 1880.

911. JOSEPH FIELD (Elnathan, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. June 30, 1779; m. Feb. 11,

1801, Mary Randle, b. Jan. 28, 1781; d. Nov. 17, 1826. He d. Oct. 8, 1851. Res. North Salem, N. Y.

1875. i. DELIGHT, b. April 22, 1803; m. Dec. 5, 1822, Philander Crane. She d. May 2, 1848. A son is George P. Crane, 98 Pulaski St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

1876. ii. SELAH, b. May 24, 1805; m. Ruth Ann Burch.

1877. iii. ELECTA, b. April 20, 1807; m. Feb. 3, 1830, John Taylor Fairchild. She d. May 31, 1896. Res. Danbury, Conn. A son, Joseph, resides at Utica, N Y.

1878. iv. HARRIET, b. May 10, 1809; d. Feb. 20, 1812.

1879. v. BETSEY, b. March 11, 1811; d Feb. 26, 1871.

1880. vi. ISAAC THOMPSON, b. Dec. 9, 1812; m. Mary Ann Busti and Julia Maria Booth.

1881. vii. GEORGE, b. Nov. 4, 1814; d. Aug. 16, 1837.

1882. viii. MARY ANN, b. Sept. 22, 1817; m. Oct. 4, 1841, William Cole, b. Oct. 6, 1817. She resides Palenville, Greene county, N. Y.

1883. ix. WILLIAM, b. April 21, 1819; m. Mary Ambler.

1884. x. JANE. b. May 29, 1821; m. June 18, 1848, Almond Dixon. She d. April 23, 1882. Res. Somers, N. Y.

1885. xi. JOSEPH ELNATHAN, b. March 3, 1823; m. Julia Ann Cole.

917. JOHN B. FIELD (Benjamin, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. near Bound Brook, N. J., April 2, 1756; m. Jan. 22, 1781, Phœbe Brokaw, b. Dec. 18, 1760; d. June 20, 1808; m., 2d, Mrs. Ann Terhune; d. May 13, 1846; was a farmer and was in the Revolutionary war. John B. Field was born in Middlesex county, New Jersey, where his ancestors had lived for sixty-one years. He served as private and Minuteman in the Revolutionary war. He was married twice. His first wife, Phœbe Brokaw, was a daughter of John Brokaw, of Bridgewater, Somerset county, N. J. He (John Brokaw) served as a private in Capt. Peter D. Vroom's company, Second regiment, Somerset county militia, during the Revolutionary war. He was descended from the French Huguenots. John B. was granted a pension for services in the Revolutionary war in the New Jersey militia. He d. July 6, 1836, and is buried in the cemetery on his farm. Res. Bound Brook, N. J.

1886. ii. MARY, b. Nov. 30, 1789; m. Isaac Brokaw.

1887. iii. BENJAMIN I., b. May 15, 1792; m. Sarah Dunn.

1888. iv. JOHN I., b. Aug. 17, 1800; m. E. Van Nortwick.

1889. v. MICHAEL I., b. June 9, 1811; m. —— Voorhees.

1890. vi. PHEBE BROKAW, b. Nov. 30, 1819; m. —— Schenck.

1891. vii. ROBERT FINLEY, b. Oct. 9, 1822; m. Sarah Verbruyck.

1892. i. MARGARET, b. Feb. 11, 1782; m. April 5, 1800, Abraham V. Van Nest, b. Somerville, N. J., May 8, 1777; d. Sept. 14, 1864. Abraham V. Van Nest, of New York, was in wholesale saddlery hardware business New York City; a leading citizen of his times, holding office in church and city government and in bank and business companies. She d. Aug. 8, 1849. Abrm. Van Nest was a successful merchant in the city of New York. This lady and her husband were devoted members of the Collegiate Reformed church of that city, their mansion occupying a whole block, in what was then known as "Greenwich Village." The hospitality of this family was noted, and enjoyed by the clergy and prominent men of the Dutch Reformed church. Mr. Van Nest gave

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GRAVE OF MRS. JOHN B. FIELD ON THE FIELD FARM ON THE BANKS OF THE RARITAN, NEAR BOUND BROOK, N. J.

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RESIDENCE OF ABRAHAM VAN NEST, ESQ.

(The Old Warren Mansion.)

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largely to Rutgers College, New Brunswick. Margaret Field, daughter of Phœbe Brokaw and John B. Field, was born Feb. 11, 1782, near Bound Brook, N. J. She was a woman of singular beauty and loveliness. April 5, 1800, she was united in marriage to Abraham Van Nest, who was born May 8, 1777, near Somerville, N. J During his entire career, he gave himself to a life of active usefulness. Closely identified with the early commercial interests of New York, he was far from being a mere merchant, and at his home extended hospitality on the most generous scale. He was deeply attached to the Reformed (Dutch) church, in which denomination he was a prominent layman and elder. For forty years he was a trustee ot Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N. J., in behalf of which he labored with untiring zeal. Van Nest Hall, one of the college buildings, attests the appreciation of his services. He aided in establishing the Greenwich Savings bank, and was its president for many years. He was also director in many insurance companies. "A more godly, honorable, magnanimous, and just man than Abraham Van Nest this generation is not likely to see." He died Sept. 14, 1864, at his beautiful mansion on Bleecker Street, which had become one of the notable landmarks of the city, in "Old Greenwich Village." It stood, surrounded by trees, in the center of a city block of two and a half acres, the former residence of Sir Peter Warren. Ch.:

1. Phoebe, b. Jan. 31, 1801; d. June 23, 1853; m. George Van Nest. He was not only a clergyman, but a physician as well; was b. Hackensack, Nov. 1, 1791; d. New Brunswick, Sept. 6, 1839. She d. June 23, 1853. Ch.: (a) Theodore Eli, b. March 22, 1828; d. Jan. 25, 1899. (b) Henry Rutgers, b. Sept. 18, 1829; m. Dec. 27, 1855, Elizabeth Van Courtlandt Rutgers, b. July 29, 1831; d. Sept. 16, 1888. He is a physician. Res. New Brunswick, N. J. Ch.: i. Cornelia Rutgers, b. Nov. 27, 1856. ii. Abraham Van Nest, b. Nov. 16, 1858; m. Oct. 16, 1895, Mary I. B. Kirkpatrick; he d. Feb. 14, 1897. iii. Margaret Bayard, b. Nov. 29, 1860. iv. Henry Rutgers, b. Feb. 1, 1863. v. George Van Nest, b. Oct. 12, 1864. vi. Elizabeth Rutgers, b. Dec. 10, 1866. vii. Charles Rutgers, b. Nov. 18, 1868; d. March 12, 1875. viii. Gerard Van Courtlandt, b. Sept. 29, 1871; d. March 5, 1875. (c) Margaret Van Nest, b. Aug. 11, 1831. (d) John Van Nest, b. April 17, 1834; d. Aug. 26, 1874. (e) Alfred Jotham, b. March 31, 1836; d. Nov. 22, 1866. (f) George Van Nest, b. Jan. 23, 1838. Theodore E.'s daughter, Minnie Colvocoresses' husband, Lieut. Geo. P. Colvocoresses is in the United States Navy. Phoebe m., 2d, Rev. Eli Baldwin.

2. George, b. Dec. 20, 1802; d. Sept. 7, 1819.

3. Catherine, b. Jan. 9, 1805; d. Dec. 19, 1807.

4. Mary Jane, b. April 19, 1807; d. May 12, 1884; m. Rev. Gustavus Abeel, D. D.

5. Catherine, b. May 1, 1809; d. Dec. 10, 1873; unm.

6. Ann, b. Aug. 20, 1811; still living, aged eighty-eight; m. John Schermerhorn Bussing. Ann Van Nest, daughter of Margaret Field and Abraham Van Nest, was born Aug. 20, 1811, in New York, where she has resided for over eighty-eight years. Aug. 20,

1833, she was married in the old homestead, in Greenwich Village, to John Schermerhorn Bussing, who was born in New York, Oct. 15, 1802, and there resided until his death, June 9, 1864. He was one of the pioneer wholesale drygoods merchants of the city, of the well known firm of E. & J. Bussing, which remained unchanged during a period of twenty-six years. Later, Mr. Bussing became the head of the firm of John S. Bussing & Co., iron and nail merchants. He was one of the original incorporators of the New York Life Insurance Co., and president of the Northern Dispensary. It was a great pleasure to Mr. Bussing to be identified with benevolent and church work. A man full of spirit and energy, he was always ready when duty called. John S. Bussing, son of Ann Van Nest and John Schermerhorn Bussing, and grandson of Margaret Field and Abraham Van Nest, was born in New York, Sept. 21, 1838. He married in 1873, Katherine, daughter of James Breath, of New York, and m , 2d, in 1882, Emily Norton, daughter of Henry T. Jenkins, of New York. For thirty-three years he was engaged in the banking and brokerage business, under the firm name of Gelston & Bussing, and retired from active business in 1898, although retaining his membership in the New York Stock Exchange. Mr. Bussing has always been actively identified with Christian work, filling various positions of trust and honor. He holds the office of treasurer of the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed church, and is treasurer of the board of trustees of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association. For several years he has been on the advisory boards of both the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Women's Christian Association, also secretary of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association. He is a member of one of the standing committees of the Theological Seminary of the Reformed church, at New Brunswick, N. J. For many years he has held the position of Elder in the Collegiate church of New York, and is a member of its consistory. In 1863, Mr. Bussing went with his regiment to the seat of war, and for several years held a commission as first lieutenant in the Twenty-second regiment of the National Guard of the state of New York. He is one of the Sons of the Revolution, being eligible, because of the service in the Revolutionary war of his great-grandfather, John B. Field. Mr. Bussing is also a member of the St. Nicholas Society, which is exclusively composed of old Knickerbockers. Among other grandsons of Margaret Field and Abraham Van Nest, may be mentioned: Henry Rutgers Baldwin, M. D., a prominent and greatly beloved physician of New Brunswick, N. J. He is one of the trustees of Rutgers College, and president of the board of health. George Van Nest Baldwin (brother of the above), a lawyer of New York, and president of the New York Society Library. Frank Roe Van Nest, of Newark, N. J., treasurer of the board of directors of the general synod of the Reformed church in America. Gustavus Nelson Abeel was a well-known lawyer of Newark, N. J., and during the Civil war held rank of colonel. John Schermerhorn Bussing died, and she resides at 4 East 12th St., New York City. Ch.: (a) Abraham

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Van Nest Bussing died in infancy. (b) John S. Bussing; m. Kate Breath. Ch.: i. Kate. ii. Anna. Both d. in infancy. M., 2d, Emily Morton Jenkins. Res. 26 East 10th St., New York City. (c) Mary Bussing; unm. Res. 4 East 12th St., New York City.

7. John, b. Sept. 21, 1813; d. 1893; m. Elizabeth Janeway.

8. Abraham, b. May 9, 1816; d. Oct. 7, 1841.

9. Margaret Johanna, b. July 26, 1818; d. May 5, 1844; m. William T. Wallis.

10. Caroline Elizabeth, b. Dec. 16, 1820; d. April 9, 1829.

11. William M., b. Aug. 14, 1823; d. Jan. 19, 1826.

THE RESIDENCE OF ABRAHAM VAN NEST, ESQ.—THE OLD WARREN MANSION.

The old Warren Mansion, the most ancient and the most notable landmark in Greenwich Village, stood in the center of the block, now bounded by Bleecker, Fourth, Charles and Perry streets. It was built in 1740 by Sir Peter Warren, vice-admiral in the Royal navy, and at that time in command of the British fleet in this port, who made it his summer home in distinction from his town house on the Bowling Green. In 1748, when the smallpox was raging in the city, the colonial assembly accepted Sir Peter's tender of his country seat, and adjourned thither to escape the plague by being in the country. The admiral married a daughter of Stephen Delancey, of New York, but subsequently returned to England, where he died in 1752. He was buried in Westminster Abbey. He left three daughters, one of whom, Charlotte, married the Earl of Abingdon. Upon the division of the estate, she inherited the homestead with fifty-five acres of land round about it. Later, this property passed into the possession of Abijah Hammond, who subdivided it into blocks and lots. The block in question, with the mansion house, was sold in 1802 to Whitehead Fish, who resided there until his death. In 1819, his executors sold it to Abraham Van Nest. Notwithstanding the surging waves of aggressive progress which gradually blended the city with the rural districts and absorbed them, Mr. Van Nest made this beautiful spot his home—at first as a summer retreat, later his permanent residence—for nearly fifty years, preserving every feature of its antiquity intact, in the midst of a densely populated district of the city.

"ECHOES OF THE GLAD OLD TIME."

Mrs. Ann Van Nest Bussing, wife of the late John S. Bussing (now in her eighty-ninth year), recalls* her childish pleasure when, in the eighth year of her age, her father purchased the "Warren House" at Greenwich Village—then two miles beyond the city limit—and the subsequent yearly removals from the city home in William street, where the Corn Exchange bank now stands, to the charming new country seat. New York seemed far removed, and the drive to and fro a long and tiresome one, each point on the journey—Chambers street, St. John's Park and the old English Burying ground—being noted in passing, as

*This sketch was prepared by her daughter, Mary Bussing.

bringing one so much nearer home. The Knickerbocker line of stages—Kip and Brown's—ran every hour to and from the village to the city, those desiring to take the trip giving notice at the office, that the stage might call for the passengers. So lonely and dark was the road at night, that when Mr. Van Nest was detained later than usual at church meetings, his wife anxiously awaited the arrival of the carriage, fearing lest harm might have overtaken him by the way.

Originally the place extended to the Hudson river, and a double row of century-old buttonwoods formed an avenue all the way down the gentle slope to the water's edge. The house at that time was approached from tne west by a circular driveway which made an extensive sweep around the lawn. This beautiful curve always remained defined, even when grass-grown.

The house stood in a perfect forest of grand old trees, horse chestnuts, willows, poplars, sycamores and locusts forming in some places an impenetrable shade. Besides these, were peach, apricot, and cherry trees, always laden in their season with delicious fruit, while a pear tree, standing guard at one corner of the house could almost thrust its giant branches into the upper windows.

The long garden extending the entire width of the block, was in summer days a veritable fairyland of flowers, where hollyhocks and coxcombs, sweet-william and bleeding-hearts, ragged-sailors and maid-in-the-mist, bachelor-buttons and wallflowers, "old-man" and mignonette, lilies, clove pinks, phlox, poppies, larkspurs, strawberry shrub and all the other dear old-fashioned favorites grew in profusion in their fancifully shaped, box-bordered beds. During the month of June, the garden was literally pink with roses.

In the spring, when the grass was studded with golden dandelions, and hedges of hawthorn, syringas, and purple and white lilacs were in bloom, and snowballs nodded over the old stone sphinx heads at the garden gate, while just below them, the lilies-of-the-valley shook perfume from hundreds of tiny bells, and violets and snowdrops peeped out on every hand, it was all so beautiful, that the remark of a former resident, upon revisiting the spot, did not seem extravagant, that "when she left, she felt like Eve leaving Paradise."

Nor must the vegetable garden be overlooked. Lying in another corner of the square, it possessed a beauty all its own—corn stalks with silken plumes, bean poles with their merry climbers, luscious melons ripening on the ground beneath, asparagus beds, currant, gooseberry, and raspberry bushes growing luxuriantly, even when brick and mortar walls finally overtook lovely "Greenwich," and closed in around this beautiful two-and-a-half acre block which held such a rare gem of genuine country life in its most refined phase.

In later years the carriage road ran through from street to street; at one side stood the stable and carriage house, and the old red cow could otten be seen grazing in quiet content on the grassy slopes of the lawn. The ground on which the house stood

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ANN VAN NEST (Wife of John S. Bussing.)

JOHN S. BUSSING, JR. 1844.

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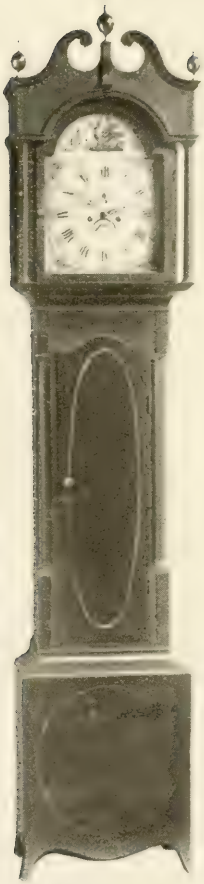

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CLOCK IN VAN NEST RESIDENCE.

descended so rapidly, that while the steps of the front veranda were five in number, those in the rear numbered fourteen. This natural hill afforded in winter days a grand coasting place for the children of the family. These undulations, grassy banks and terraces—in one of which the ice-house was hidden—increased the rural aspect and added greatly to the general picturesqueness. A wide hall extended through the house, and from the first landing of the broad, old-fashioned staircase a tall "ancient time piece" ticked its continuous song. Many changes did the old clock note as it kept watch "from its station in the hall."

"There groups of merry children played,
There youths and maidens dreaming strayed;
From that chamber, clothed in white,
The bride came forth on her wedding night;
There in that silent room below,
The dead lay in his shroud of snow."

The heavy pendulum in its stately, steady march through nearly fifty years, swung frequently between sounds of sorrow and of joy. Four times did the wedding bells ring, when one daughter after another received the marriage blessing in the spacious but home-like parlor, while the family portraits* which lined the walls looked calmly down upon the succeeding festivities.

More often did sorrow overshadow the happy home; for not only did infancy, childhood, youth and manhood again and again fall at the touch of the Reaper, but also the dearly loved and honored mother—the "beautiful" Godmother—who from that quiet "room below" passed peacefully into the Paradise of God.

The gatherings at Christmas-tide, when the entire family, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren—in later years numbering about fifty—rallied at the old homestead to cluster around the beloved patriarch and exchange "Merry Christmas" greetings, are now remembered as "story-book times," as "fairy tales," or "beautiful dreams of long ago."

Dearly did the little children love to stand by "Grandpa's" side, and feed the pigeons from the "Study" window, when in response to his gentle call of "coo-coo," there would be a sudden fluttering in the dove-cots, and like a cloud of grey and white, the birds would alight on the grass by scores to receive the handfuls of corn which were showered upon them. In this same room, the sanctum sanctorum, were initiated many plans for the promotion of the welfare of the Reformed Dutch church, whose interests were so dear to the heart of Mr. Van Nest.

"In that mansion used to be
Free-hearted hospitality;
His great fires up the chimney roared,
The stranger feasted at his board."

Especially were the doors thrown open to the clergy, who were welcome and frequent guests. On the ground floor was an interesting relic of olden times—the double Dutch door, which opened gardenward; and often might be seen leaning upon it the old colored Aunty who during Mr. Van Nest's childhood had lived

*Three of the portraits are here reproduced by permission.

as a slave in his father's family, after serving nearly forty years in his own, and whose descendants remained with him to the end of his life.

The cellar, with its stone floor, and hanging shelves laden with shining pans of milk and cream, its churn producing the delicious home-made butter, and the intensely cold and icy vault below, all became in time curiosities, as the city drew near, invaded, and finally captured the little village of Greenwich, and then passed rapidly on to lay its vigorous and prosaic hand on other suburban districts further up town.

Notwithstanding these encroachments, Mr. Van Nest "pursued the even tenor of his way," and retained this beautiful spot as his home—a refreshing oasis in the city of New York—until his death in 1864, in the eighty-eight year of his age.

Shortly afterward it was sold, the trees felled, the house demolished, and the whole place, so filled with sacred associations, swept out of sight; but never will it cease to exert its magic spell over the minds and hearts of those members of the family circle who were old enough to remember the happy, happy days at "Grandpa's house at Greenwich."

"Long, long be my heart with such memories filled,
Like the vase in which roses have once been distilled;
You may break, you may shatter the vase, if you will,
But the scent of the roses will hang round it still."

924. HENDRICK FIELD (Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., Sept. 4, 1751; m. Oct. 12, 1774, in North Branch, N. J., Hannah Lane, b. Jan. 11, 1752; d. Feb. 19, 1835. He was in the Revolutionary war. He was born and resided in Bound Brook until after his marriage, when he moved to Lamington, N. J. He was granted a pension for Revolutionary war services in 1818. He d. Sept. 5, 1844. Res. Lamington, N. J., and Bedminster, Somerset county, N. J.

1893. i. RICHARD H., b. Sept. 16, 1863; m. Sarah Van Dervoort.
1894. ii. ELIZABETH, b. ——.
1895. iii. JANE, b. ——.
1896. iv. HANNAH, b. ——.
1897. v. ANN, b. ——.
1898. vi. SARAH, b. ——.
1899. vii. WILLIAM, b. April 9, 1791; m. Catherine Manning and Sarah F. Van Deventer.
1900. viii. MICHAEL, b. ——; m. Mary Lowe. All dead. William C. Craig, New Germantown, N. J.; J. D. Van Deveer, North Branch, N. J.; Mrs. Henry Van Keys, Millstone, N. J., are descendants of the sisters.

925. JEREMIAH FIELD (Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., Nov. 7, 1753; m. Jan. 10, 1779, Jane Tenerick, or Ten Eyck, dau. of Capt. Jacob Tenerick, who was an officer in the Revolutionary war; she was b. Feb. 4, 1761; d. Jan. 17, 1847; he was in the Revolutionary war. This family moved from Bound Brook to the neighborhood of North Branch and Lamington church, adjoining the farm of Hendrick Field. The "old place" of Richard's became the property of his son Jeremiah. Richard I. moved to the next farm, north of the original "old place," and acquired it by

deed of gift from his uncle Richard. Jacob Tenerick became a minister. Descendants of this family scattered through the country, some occupying responsible positions, as ministers of the gospel, physicians, merchants, etc., all so far as is known, acting the part of good citizens and useful members of society. He d. June 20, 1832; res. Lamington, N. J.

1901. i. MARGARET, b. June 12, 1782; m. Aug. 26, 1801, James Hagaman.

1902. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 10, 1783; m. March 3, 1808, Benjamin McDowell. Elizabeth's husband, Benjamin McDowell, was brother of the Rev. Drs. John and William McDowell, distinguished divines, preaching many years at Elizabethtown, N. J., and in Philadelphia.

1903. iii. RICHARD I., b. Sept. 12, 1785; m. Mary Kline.

1904. iv. JACOB TENERICK, b. Oct. 31, 1787; m. Rachel De Puy.

1905. v. MICHAEL T., b. Oct. 4, 1789; m. Frances Traphagen.

1906. vi. JEREMIAH, b. Feb. 2, 1792; m. Martha Longstreet.

1907. vii. MARY, b. March 19, 1795; m. Jan. 14, 1815, Samuel Miller, b. Aug. 30, 1791; d. April 5, 1872; she d. March 11, 1883. Ch.: 1. Margaret Jerett Miller, b. Oct. 3, 1835; m. G. C. Angle, July 6, 1859; d. Oct. 12, 1867; a child is Mrs. Martha L. Anthony, Ellsworth street, Denver, Col. 2. Jane Maria Miller, b. Nov. 7, 1815; m. Peter Melick, April 17, 1837; d. Aug. 3, 1861; a child is Mrs. Mary J. Harriman; res. Davey, Neb. 3. Elizabeth Ann Miller, b. July 3, 1825; m. Feb. 1, 1844, Charles Estell Dickerson, b. Feb. 1, 1819; d. Sept. 13, 1896; was a merchant tailor; res. New Germantown, N. J.; was postmaster for forty years. Ch.: (a) William Miller Dickerson, b. Nov. 26, 1844; d. May 21, 1863. (b) Samuel Franklin Dickerson, b. April 29, 1850; d. Sept. 18, 1850. (c) Chas. E. Dickerson, Jr., b. Sept. 17, 1865; m. Aug. 14, 1895; address, Mount Hermon, Mass.

1908. viii. JANE, b. Nov. 22, 1798; m. Jan. 6, 1819, Capt. Cornelius Lane. Mr. Lane soon died, leaving one son, Cornelius, who studied for, and entered the, ministry, and is now a professor in one of the institutions in Pennsylvania.

926. RICHARD FIELD (Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., Dec. 5, 1755; m. Dinah Vermule; d. Feb. 10, 1825; he was in the Revolutionary war. By will he left five hundred dollars to the Presbyterian church at Bound Brook; the gift of his farm to his nephew, Richard I. Field; the rest of his property to his near relatives. He was granted a pension July 6, 1833, then being in his seventy-eighth year, for service in the New Jersey militia in the Revolutionary war. He d. July 18, 1840; res. Bound Brook, N. J., s. p.

929. ELDER DENNIS FIELD (Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., May 12, 1761; m. Feb. 18, 1796, Mary Boice; m., 2d, Cynthia French, b. May 28, 1772; d. April 27, 1859; he was in the Revolutionary war. Dennis remained at home with his father, Richard Field, Sr., at the old homestead; was at the time of his death, 1848, and had for many years been an elder in the Presbyterian church at Bound Brook. Dennis served a term on board a gunboat guarding the harbors of Amboy. Others were Minutemen, good and true, largely instrumental in securing to this land the liberties we now enjoy. The generations lived in honest belief of the teachings of the Bible,

strongly Presbyterian in their denominational leanings, contributed much, in a peculiar way, as in personal effort, for the maintenance of public morals and religion. The liberty of worshiping God according to their own convictions of truth was in fact, as has been hinted, the great incentive in emigrating from England to this country at first; they desired a more perfect liberty, civil and religious; to secure this they did not hesitate to subject themselves to all the anxieties and discomforts of emigrating to this, then new and wild wilderness, three thousand miles away. The ruling characteristics of this branch of the family, and perhaps their greatest usefulness to the world, has been their example of earnestness in the common pursuits of life. Dennis was granted a pension in 1833 for Revolutionary war service. See record of Revolutionary pensioners. He d. April 21, 1848; res. Piscataway, Middlesex county, N. J.

1909. i. DENNIS, b. ——.
1910. ii. JOHN D., b. 1804; m. ——.

931. REV. HENRY FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, April 16, 1733; m. April 18, 1759, M. Pearson. He d. Jan. 5, 1821; res. Blandford, England.

1911. i. SARAH, b. June 9, 1768; d. July 16, 1817.
1912. ii. SUSANNAH, b. Sept. 7, 1769; m. W. Fisher.
1913. iii. HANNAH, b. June 12, 1771; d. Oct. 29, 1785.

932. ISAAC FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Cockernhoe, Hertfordshire, England, April 18, 1735; m. Dec. 1, 1765, E. Rudd. He d. Dec. 20, 1800; res. Mangrove, England.

1914. i. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 8, 1771; m. J. Butler.
1915. ii. MARY, b. June 1, 1772; m. —— Field; she d. June 9, 1841.
1916. iii. JOHN, b. Dec. 18, 1774; m. —— Mumford.
1917. iv. OTHER children.

934. DR. HENRY FIELD (John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Sept. 29, 1755, London, England; m. Sept. 2, 1784, Esther Barrow, dau. of John, b. Oct. 22, 1764; d. Jan. 16, 1834.

Henry, an apothecary, rose to high esteem among the brethren of his profession, as testified by the offices which from time to time he filled. In 1807 he was elected apothecary to Christ's Hospital. He was also lecturer and treasurer to the Society of Apothecaries, one of the Board of Health in 1831 for prevention of cholera, the city of London presenting him with a silver center for his table. He was also for many years treasurer of the London Annuity Society for the benefit of widows of apothecaries, in Chatham Place, Blackfriars, which his father had founded. Among his writings may be mentioned "Memoirs of the Botanick Garden" at Chelsea. He maintained his powers till his eighty-third year, when he died at Woodford, Essex, Dec. 19, 1837, and was buried at Cheshunt. His portrait was painted for the Apothecaries by R. Pickeragill, and for the Annuity Society by Samuel Lane, and an engraving from the latter was so skilfully executed by Charles Turner that the family regard it as a better likeness than the original painting. Mr. Field married on Sept. 2, 1784, Esther, daughter of E. Barron, Esq., of Woolacre House, near Deptford, and by her, who died Jan. 16, 1834, left six sons and two daughters. Res. London, England.

1918. i. HENRY CROMWELL, b. June 27, 1785; m. Anne Gwinnel.

*Names of other ancestors dropped for convenience.

1919. ii. BARRON, b. Oct. 23, 1786; m. —— Carncroft; d., s. p., April 11, 1846.

1920. iii. FRANCIS JOHN, b. March 22, 1790; m. Anne Barron.

1921. iv. ESTHER, b. Oct. 19, 1792; res. near her brother, Frederick Field, the rector of Reepham, in Norfolk, and d. 1871.

1922. v. EDMUND, b. July 7, 1799: a Russian merchant of the firm of Brandt & Co.; retired to Hastings, where he became active in works of benevolence and is pictorial studies; he d. in 1880.

1923. vi. FREDERICK, D.D., b. in London, July 20, 1801; res. Reepham, England, and d. April 19, 1885. He was proud of being a direct descendant of Oliver Cromwell; his grandfather, John Field, who was also an apothecary, having married Anne Cromwell, a great-granddaughter of Henry Cromwell, the lord deputy of Ireland. His father was medical officer to Christ's Hospital, to which he was sent when he was only six years old as a private pupil of the headmaster. Here he remained till 1819, and then went on to Trinity College, Cambridge. In 1823 he was tenth wrangler, chancellor's classical and medalist, and Tyrwhitt's Hebrew scholar, and in 1824 he was elected fellow of his college, in company with T. B. Macaulay, Henry Malden and G. B. Airy. Owing probably to some degree of deafness which began early in life and which in his later years became so aggravated as to make him avoid all society, he took no part in the public tuition of his college, though he was examiner for the classical tripos in 1833 and 1837. He read with private pupils, among whom was F. D. Maurice, and having been ordained by Kaye, bishop of London, in 1828, he thenceforth devoted himself almost entirely to biblical and patristical studies. His name is inseparably connected with Chrysostom's homilies on St. Matthew, which were printed and published at Cambridge, in 1839, in three volumes, with an improved Greek text, various readings and explanatory notes. He shortly after ceased to reside in Cambridge, and for the next twenty-four years combined parochial work with his literary labors. For three years he had charge of the small parish of Great Saxham in Suffolk, and in 1842 he was presented by his college to the rectory of Reepham in Norfolk, with a population of five or six hundred, and with an income of 700 or 800 pounds per annum. Here he lived an honored and useful life for twenty-one years, dividing his time between his pastoral duties, latterly with the assistance of a curate, and various theological works. He was of simple, inexpensive habits, and unmarried; and during his incumbency he enlarged and improved the chancel of his church, and built a school, which was maintained chiefly at his expense besides leaving behind him other memorials of his interest in his parish. His chief literary work while he was at Reepham was his edition of Chrysostom's "Homilies on St. Paul's Epistles," executed on the same plan as the "Homilies on St. Matthew," and published in seven volumes, between 1849 and 1862, in the Oxford "Library of the Fathers." He next undertook a new edition of the fragments of Origen's "Hexapla." As he was well aware that this design would require the whole of his time and attention for many years, he resigned his living in 1863,

and removed to Norwich, where he continued to reside until his death. His wish was to utilize and embody on Montfaucon's edition the large mass of materials that had been brought to light since its publication in 1713; especially those derived from the Oxford edition of the Septuagint by Holmes and Parsons 1798-1827, and those from the Syro-hexaplar version, which had been partly published in fragments by various foreign scholars. These two chief sources of improvement had, as he himself expressly states, been sagaciously pointed out by J. G. Eichhorn in his "Introduction to the Old Testament." Accordingly, in August, 1864, he printed for private circulation a thin 4to pamphlet, entitled "Otium Norvicense," containing specimens of the kind and amount of assistance to be expected from the Syro-hexaplar version; and he also issued "Proposals" for publishing the work by subscription, in five parts, price 12s. each, with the promise of sending the work to press as soon as two hundred copies were subscribed for. The number of subscribers, however, did not by the end of the following year amount to much more than one-half of what was required, and the whole scheme would probably have been abandoned if Dr. Robert Scott, the Greek lexicographer, had not induced the delegates of the Oxford Clarendon Press, of which he was one, to take upon themselves the cost of the publication. It was accordingly issued in parts, and finished in 1874, in two large, handsome 4to volumes, with 101 pages of "Prolegomena" full of information respecting the various versions and other critical matter, and 76 pages of auctarium and indices. The work, if not remunerative to the delegates in point of money, added much to their reputation for judicious liberality; for it was at once recognized as one of the most important contributions to patristic theology that had anywhere appeared for more than a century. He was immediately made an LL.D. of Cambridge, and an honorary fellow of his college; the degree of D.C.L. was offered him by the University of Oxford, but declined, because on account of his age and deafness he shrank from the necessary formality of a personal attendance. He had been appointed in 1870 an original member of the Old Testament revision company. His age and his deafness prevented his attending any of their meetings, but he constantly sent written notes and suggestions, and in this way was one of their most useful colleagues. He lived to see the work practically finished, but died April 19, 1885, a few weeks before it was published. At the end of the preface to his "Origen" he give a short account of his life and labors, written with dignified simplicity, and without any word of complaint at having been passed over in the distribution of ecclesiastical honors. He speaks of himself as holding firmly the catholic faith as set forth by the Reformed church of England; as having avoided the errors both of (so-called) Evangelicals, and of Rationalists, and (which is the last ulcer) of Ritualists and Romanizers (Papazantium); and of having devoted his life to study without patronage, gain or honor; and as ready, above all things, in his old age to assist younger students. In his own line of learning he was certainly not surpassed by any scholar

of his age; and it was by a happy phrase that the bishop of Lincoln, Christopher Wordsworth, designated him as "the Jerome of the Anglican church." The unusual combination of Greek with Oriental scholarship made his opinion specially valuable. It is only due to his memory to state that "his estimate of the claims of the revised version (of the New Testament) as aiming to take the place of the authorized version was decidedly unfavorable;" his objections being grounded partly on the great number of needless verbal alterations, and partly on the reconstruction of the Greek text by too exclusively relying on the "ancient authorities," without sufficiently taking into consideration in each case "the internal evidence of the good sense and propriety of the passage itself." On this subject he printed for private circulation (1881) "A Letter to the Rev. Philip Schaff, D.D., president of the American Committee on Revision." Field collected a very valuable library of books connected with biblical, classical and general literature, which was sold by auction at Norwich for a very inadequate sum. It is believed that he left behind him no manuscripts of importance. A brass tablet to his memory was put up by his only surrviving sister in Reepham church, and another in the chapel of Trinity College, Cambridge. The Latin inscription on the latter was written by the master, Dr. William H. Thompson.

Field's other works, printed at his own expense, but not published, were a volume of thirty-two sermons, 1878; a second part of the "Otium Norvicense," 1876, containing critical observations on some of the words in Dr. Payne Smith's "Thesaurus Syriacus," and a third part, 1881, containing "Notes on Select Passages of the Greek Testament, Chiefly with Reference to Recent English Versions." All of these are favorable specimens of his learning and critical acumen, even if they are not all equally convincing; but one deserves especial notice. He claims to have been the first person to revive, in 1839, the ancient explanation of the true reading in St. Mark's gospel, vii. 19, which, after remaining almost unnoticed for about forty years, was adopted without even any marginal variation in the revised version of 1881. This third part of the "Otium Norvicense" is about to be published shortly at the Oxford Clarendon Press. He edited for the Christian Knowledge Society Barrow's "Treatise on the Pope's Supremacy," 1851; a Greek Psalter, 1857; and the Septuagint, 1879, not a critical edition, nor on his own plan, but a revision of Grabe's text, with the order of the books changed in accordance with the English Bible, and with the apocryphal books separated from the canonical.

1924. vii. MARRIOT, b. March 5, 1803; emigrated to America, where he was drowned; his taste was for music, but he also produced three poems, entitled "Job," "Ecclesiastes," and "The Story of Esther."

1925. viii. MARIA LETITIA, b. April 4, 1805 she long constituted one of the Field colony at Hastings; she d. December, 1897.

935. OLIVER FIELD (John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Dec. 6, 1761, England. He left Worcester for America in 1799, and d. at New York, April 10, 1835. His wife was Elizabeth T., dau. of Thomas Gittings, of Shropshire, whom he m. March 10, 1787. Their family when they left England were very young; of these Oliver d. in childhood. Of the survivors, John, Joseph and Thomas, two of them and the mother paid a visit to England many years ago, but are now together with their sisters, believed to have all married in America.

1926. i. JOHN, b. Nov. 2, 1794; m. S. M. Knows.

936. JOHN FIELD (John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Oct. 1, 1764, in London, England; commenced business as a Russia merchant, but discovered before long a remarkable aptitude for astronomy and the construction of scientific apparatus. These qualities, combined as they were with a character for high integrity, becoming known to the government, his services were secured for the Royal Mint, where he held the office of umpire between the several departments on the precious metals passing between the officers and the Bank of England. Among his mechanical inventions, some of which were adopted in America and France, may be mentioned a counting machine and an improved system of assay beans and weights. He died June 22, 1843, at his residence, Bayswater Hill, Middlesex, in his 79th year. His portrait, reminding one of Pascal, is in the possession of his son Henry. He married Mary, only child of Charles Pryer, Esq., of Tichfield, Hants, and by her, who died 1859, had eight children.

1927. i. HENRY, d. young of typhus.
1928. ii. CHARLES, d. young of typhus.
1929. iii. FREDERICK, d. young of typhus.
1930. iv. HENRY WILLIAM., b. March 23, 1803; m. Anna Mills.
1931. v. EMMA KATHERNE, b. 1809; lived with her widowed mother at Notting Hill, and after her mother's decease removed to Barnes.
1932. vi. CHARLES FREDERICK, b. 1813; held office in the Admiralty; m. in 1868, Flora Helen, dau. of Chas. A. Elderton, of the Bengal Medical Staff. Ch.: 1. Charles J. Elderton, b. 1869. 2. Flora Georgianna, b. 1870. 3. Oliver Cromwell, b. 1871. 4. Katherine Mary Ida, b. 1875.
1933. vii. OLIVER CROMWELL, b. 1815; a commander in the Royal Navy, having much in common with his renowned ancestor, a man of energy, humanity and prompt action, shown on various occasions in the rescuing of wrecked crews during his several voyages to and from India; his wife d. in 1884.
1934. viii. SAMUEL PRYOR, M.A., of Trinity College, Cambridge, vicar of Sawbridgeworth; b. Oct. 18, 1816; m., Jane Elizabeth Pierson.

937. REV. WILLIAM FIELD (John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas*), b. Stoke Newington, Jan. 10, 1768; m. 1803, Mary Wilkins, dau. of Rev. William Wilkins and Elizabeth (North), b. ——; d. Oct. 21, 1848. John Field, his father, a London medical practitioner, and founder of the London Annuity Society, was a man of property, who married Anne, daughter of Thomas Cromwell, and sister of Oliver Cromwell (1742 ?-1821).

Field got a good classical training; while at school he corresponded with his father in Latin. He studied for the ministry first at Homerton, but left that institution for doctrinal reasons soon after the appointment of John Fell (1735-1797). In

*Names of other ancestors dropped for convenience.

1788 he entered Daventry Academy under Thomas Belsham, and left when Belsham resigned (June, 1789). Field succeeded James Kettle in 1789 as minister of the Presbyterian congregation at Warwick, where he was ordained on July 12, 1790. On this occasion Belsham gave the charge, and Priestley preached. Dr. Parr, who then first met Priestley, attended their service and the ordination dinner. Thus began Field's close intimacy with Parr, a connection fostered by their common devotion to classical studies. Field at once (1791) started a Sunday-school (the first in Warwick). This led him into a squabble with some local clergy. Field, who was always ready for a pamphlet war, issued the first of many productions of his incisive pen, in which the dignity of style, and the profusion of literary and classical illustration contrast curiously with the pettiness of the disputes. His meeting-house, rebuilt in 1780, was fitted with a sloping floor, to improve the auditorium; Field excited some comment by surmounting the front of the building with a stone cross. About 1830 he undertook the charge of an old Presbyterian meeting-house at Kenilworth, conducting afternoon service in addition to his Warwick duties. This meeting-house was rebuilt in 1846 by his son Edwin Wilkins Field. Field remained in active duty for nearly sixty years. He resigned Warwick in 1843, and was succeeded in 1844 by Henry Ashton Meeson, M. D. At Kenilworth he was succeeded in 1850 by John Gordon. Field kept a boarding-school at Leam, near Warwick. This led to his publishing some educational manuals, of which the most valuable was his "Questions on the Gospel History," recommended in the "Critical Review," June, 1794, to theological students in the two universities. His history of Warwick and his life of Parr are important works. He died at Leam, on Aug. 16, 1821; a marble slab to his memory was placed in High Street Chapel, Warwick, by his wife, Mary (Wilkins), who died at Liverpool on Oct. 2, 1848, aged sixty-four. He had a numerous family, of whom Edwin Wilkins was the eldest; Horace was an architect. Field was of diminutive stature, with a noble head; his portrait has been engraved. He never forgot the distinction of his Cromwell blood; his extensive correspondence was both erudite and racy; he was a genial host, and his conversation, in spite of his constitutional deafness, was very enjoyable. Field published a multitude of pamphlets and sermons, from his (1) "Letter to the Inhabitants of Warwick," etc., 1791, 8vo; to his (2) "Letter to the Inhabitants of Kenilworth," etc., 1848, 12mo. In addition to these his chief publications were: (3) "A Series of Questions as a Guide to the Critical Study of the Four Gospels," etc., 1794, 12mo; second edition printed 1805; copies were issued from time to time for private use (with various title-pages), but it was not published till 1846, 12mo, with large introduction. (4) "An Historical and Descriptive Account of Warwick and Leamington," etc., Warwick, 1815, 8vo. (anon., "advertisement" signed W. F.; plates). (5) "Memoirs of the Rev. Samuel Parr, LL.D.," 1828, 2 vols., 8vo. Field was a frequent contributor of critical and other articles to the "Monthly Repository" and "Christian Reformer." He d. Aug. 17, 1851. Res. Leamington, England.

1935. i. EDWIN WILKINS, b. Oct. 12, 1804; m. Mary Sharpe and Letitia Kindner.

1936. ii. ARTHUR, b. June 10, 1806; d. unm. about 1844.

1937. iii. JOHN HAMPDEN, b. June 16, 1807; settled and m. in America, Eliza Newton.

1938. iv. EMMA, b. 1809; d. 1816.

1939. v. FERDINAND EMANS, b. June 16, 1810; m. ——; a merchant in Birmingham.

1940. vi. LAURA, b. Aug. 9, 1811; m. Wm. Langmead, of Plymouth, and d. December, 1879.

1941. vii. ALGERNON SYDNEY, b. Feb. 22, 1813; a solicitor at Leaming-

ton, and clerk of the peace for Warwickshire; m. Sarah Martin, of Birmingham, and had three sons and two daughters.

1942. viii. ALFRED, b. July 21, 1814; merchant in New York, where he m. the dau. of another emigrant, viz., Charlotte Errington, whose father, a native of Yarmouth, in Suffolk, left England in consequence of failure in business. Miss Errington's mother, named Notcutt, was descended from an old Puritan family long known at Epswich, in Suffolk. Alfred Field m., 2d, Margaret Burt. Ch.: 1. Cromwell. 2. Rosa.

1943. ix. CAROLINE, b. Aug. 5, 1816; m. 1841, Reginald A. Parker, solicitor, and had seven children; she d. February, 1859.

1944. x. ALICE, b. Dec. 15, 1817; res. 6 Gayton Crescent, Hampstead, England, N. W.

1945. xi. LUCY, b. Sept. 28, 1819; res. 11 Gayton Crescent, Hampstead, England, N. W.

1946. xii. HORACE, b. March 21, 1823; architect; m. Christina, dau. of Edward White, of Glasgow, and had two children.

1947. xiii. LEONARD, b. Dec. 8, 1824; barrister at Low London; Leonard Field's address is 9 Kingsley Mansions, Queens Club Gardens, London, S. W.

943. JOHN FIELD (Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. July 6, 1748, in England; m. May 17, 1770, G. Bennet; he d. March 16, 1833. Res. England.

1948. i. JOHN, b. May 19, 1771; m. M. Clark.

1949. ii. ISAAC, b. May 15, 1777; m. B. Gray.

1950. iii. JAMES, b. July 5, 1783; m. M. Seaward.

1951. iv. JOSHUA, b. Nov. 2, 1786; m. M. Evans.

947. WILLIAM FIELD (William, William, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Nov. 16, 1767, Cockernnoe, England; m. Oct. 19, 1793, M. Payne; he d. Aug. 1, 1841. Res. in England.

1952. i. MARY ANN, b. ——; d. in Brighton, England, aged 91.

1953. ii. EMILY, b. ——; d. in Brighton, England.

1954. iii. CAROLINE, .b ——; d. in Brighton, England.

1955. iv. CLARA, b ——; d. in Brighton, England, Jan. 7, 1892.

1956. v. HARDCASTLE PAYNE, b. ——; killed in Canton in 1841.

950. EDWARD FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Nov. 2, 1766; he settled in Killingworth, Conn., where he d.; he m., 1st, June 20, 1796, Abigail Platt, of Westbrook, Conn., b. ——; d. ——; m., 2d, Nancy Bristol, of Madison, b. Aug. 20, 1775; d. Sept. 28, 1836; res. Killingworth, Conn.

1957. i. ABIGAIL, b. ——; m. Samuel Cole, of Cromwell, Conn.

1958. ii. LUCINDA, b. ——; m. Samuel Moulton, of Bolton, Conn.

1959. iii. DANFORTH CLARK, b. Sept. 23, 1805; m. Lucretia Griswold.

1960. iv. EDMUND MARVIN, b. May 10, 1808; m. Mary R. Dudley and Ann Elizabeth Dudley.

952. KIRTLAND FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Nov. 18, 1774; he settled in Middletown, Conn., where he d.; he m. March 14, 1798, Abigail Brooks, b. Dec. 19, 1775. Res. Middletown, Conn.

1961. i. CLARISSA, b. ——; m. Ezra Clark.

1962. ii. ELIZA, b. ——; m. Spicer Leonard.
1963. iii. MARY ANN, b. ——; m. —— Yale.
1964. iv. RUBANAH, b. ——; d. unm.
1965. v. JERUSHA, b. ——; d. unm.

953. JAMES FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., May 10, 1776; d. Dec. 14, 1861; m., Nov. 29, 1795, Sarah, dau. of Nathaniel Stevens, of Madison, Conn., b. May 20, 1780; d. April 25, 1846; m., 2d, Widow Lamphear, d. Jan. 10, 1860. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

1966. i. ROXANA, b. May 25, 1800; m. Abraham G. Hill; d. May 10, 1875. Granddaugher, Mrs. Geo. Bailey, Madison, Conn.
1967. ii. LUCY, b. ——; m. Amos S. Hill.
1968. iii. JAMES FREDERICK, b. ——; d. in infancy.
1969. iv. ALMIRA, b. ——; m. Alfred Huntley.
1970. v. LAURA, b. April 10, 1810; m., William Huntley, who was drowned in the Connecticut River; m., 2d , Alanson Bramble.
1971. vi. FREDERICK, b. 1812; m. Lucy A. Bishop.
1972. vii. SAMUEL, b. 1814; m. Sarah M. Morton.
1973. viii. KIRTLAND, b. 1816; m. Frances E. Griffiths.
1974. ix. FANNY, b. 1819; d. in infancy.

954. JULIUS FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Aug. 8, 1778; he settled in the north part of Madison, where he d. Dec. 15, 1823; he m. 1803, Julia, dau. of Bela Buell, b. 1785; d. June 10, 1854. Res. Madison, Conn.

1975. i. ANDREW, b. 1804; d. 1805.
1976. ii. JEMIMA, b. Feb. 21, 1807; m. Nov. 1, 1835, Jeremiah A. Hall, of Wallingford, Conn.; she d. in 1860.
1977. iii. JULIA ANN, b. May 2, 1813; m. Nov. 8, 1835, Col. Jared Willard, of Madison; she d. Jan. 16, 1883.
1978. iv. JULIUS B., b. Jan. 30, 1824; m. Mary Ann Ives.

955. MARTIN FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Jan. 9, 1781; he settled in the north part of Madison, Conn., where he d. July 28, 1859; he m. Sarah, dau. of Bela Buell, of ——; b. 1782; d. Feb. 5, 1860; res. Madison, Conn.

1979. i. ZAIDE, b. April, 1809: m. Nov. 4, 1832, Samuel Griffin, of Cincinnati, Ohio.
1980. ii. MARTIN L., b. August, 1810; m. Betsy Buell.
1981. iii. MARY ANN, b. 1812; d. Sept. 18, 1837.
1982. iv. TEMPERANCE, b. 1814; d. unm. Feb. 18, 1885.
1983. v. ANDREW M., b. 1819; m. Elizabeth Sanford.
1984. vi. SARAH O., b. 1824; m., May, 1843, Lewis H. Collins, of Corinth, Vt.; m., 2d, Samuel Dow, of Madison.

957. JOHN FIELD (Daniel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William,) b. Jan. 19, 1766; m. ——; res. Litchfield, Conn.

1985. i. DAVID DUDLEY, b. 1791; m. Martha Henry.

958. DANIEL FIELD (Daniel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Connecticut about 1770; m. in New York State, Rhode Salisbury, b. in 1773; d. in Michigan, 1865; he d. in 1847. Res. Clyde and Le Roy, N. Y.

1986. i. ISAAC NEWTON, b. Oct. 21, 1807; m. Martha F. Wood.

1987. ii. LUTHER, b. ——.
1988. iii. DEXTER, b. ——.
1989. iv. AMBROSE, b. ——.
1990. v. JAMES, b. ——.
1991. vi. JOHN, b. ——.
1992. vii. AUSTIN, b. ——.
1993. viii. BYRON, b. ——.
1994. ix. CHARLES, b. ——.
1995. x. ELIZA, b. ——.

961. JOHN FIELD (Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Dec. 6, 1770; d. Sept. 18, 1819; he m. 1796, Ruth, dau. of James Munger, of Madison, b. Aug. 12, 1778; d. April 9, 1826. Res. Madison, Conn.

1996. i. ADA, b. 1797; m. Nov. 24, 1825, Nathan F. Bassett; d. March 28, 1846.
1997. ii. ROXANA, b. 1799; m. March 8, 1828, William Crittenden, of Madison; d. May 20, 1835.
1998. iii. GEORGE, b. 1800; m. Mary Leete.
1999. iv. ELIZABETH, b. 1801; d. Nov. 10, 1820.
2000. v. RUTH, b. ——; m. Martin Munger, of Madison; d. April 3, 1829.
2001. vi. PAMELIA E., b. 1807; m. Nelson Foster; she d. April 17, 1841.
2002. vii. JOHN, b. 1810; he went to sea in 1830; never heard from; supposed to have been lost; unm.
2003. viii. BARBARA, b. 1813; unm.
2004. ix. PHILANDER M., b. Jan. 16, 1816; m. Eunice L. Leete.

962. JOAREB FIELD (Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., May 7, 1773; m. Sept. 5, 1795, Phœbe Wellman, b. 1769, of Killingworth, who d. Jan. 26, 1829; was a ship carpenter; he d. Nov. 16, 1845. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

2005. i. BETSEY, b. ——; m. James Paterson.
2006. ii. SALLY ANN, b. 1812; m. Abram Ten Brk Powell.
2007. iii. HORACE WELLMAN, b. Feb. 22, 1805; m. Elizabeth B. Jones.
2008. iv. JOSEPH D., b. Sept. 10, 1808; m. Mrs. Eliza Stricker.
2008¼. v. CLARISSA, b. Sept. 22, 1802; m. Horace D. Judson.
2008½. vi. ELIAS, b. March 19, 1798; m. Abigail Delano; he d. March 15, 1868.

967. JOSHUA FIELD (Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bergen, N. Y., Feb. 8, 1785; m. in 1815, Lydia Towle, b. Aug. 18, 1797; m., 2d, about 1827, Betsey Heath, b. Oct. 24, 1800; m., 3d, Maria Green, b. Aug. 12, 1805; m., 4th, Delia A. Marsh, b. Aug. 11, 1805. He d. 1871. Res. New York.

2008¾-2. i. WILLIAM H., b. Jan. 25, 1816; d. in 1828.
2008¾-3. ii. HERMAN, b. Feb. 18, 1818; m. Lucy Van Allen Trumbull, who d. in Lawrence, Kans., about 1895. Ch.: 1. Mary, infant; d. 2. Henry, infant; d. 3. Herman, infant; d. 4. S. Trumbul, b. ——; m. —— ——. Ch.: (a) Marjorie Field, d. in Rome, Italy, twelve years old.
2008¾-4. iii. ADELIA, b. July 18, 1820; m. 1840, Josiah Harrison, b. 1808. She d. Sept. 16, 1881. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. 1846; m. Harrison Chamberlain, s. p. 2. Edward, b. 1848; d. unm. 1880. 3. Lucy, b.

1850; m. Charles Parsons; one child, Ira, res. 250 West 88th St., Hew York, N. Y. 4. Susan, b. 1860; m. 1891, Charles Lee. Res. s. p., 250 West 88th St., New York, N. Y. 5. Henry, b. April 2, 1854; m. Dec. 17, 1881, Florence Lewis, b. June 22, 1857, s. p. Res. Brockport, N. Y. He was for three years in the New York State Senate, and is now collector of the port of Genessee. He was born at Brockport in 1854; graduated at Brockport Normal College in 1873; graduated from Rochester University in 1877; member of Alpha Delta Phi Socity; went into his father's fire and insurance business, established by him, of which he now has full charge.

2008¾-5. iv. EDWIN T., b. Nov. 5, 1823; unm.

2008¾-6. v. LYDIA BETSEY, b. Sept. 16, 1828. Res. Brockport, N. Y.

2008¾-7. vi. JOSHUA, b. and d. in infancy.

977. JOHNSON FIELD (Luke, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., July 20, 1782; d. April 19, 1862; m. Oct. 6, 1810, Polly Fowler, b. March 28, 1782; d. Jan. 1, 1851. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

2009. i. LUCY MARIA, b. April 17, 1812; m. John R. Frisbie.

2010. ii. MARY E., b. Jan. 19, 1815; m. Stephen Jewell.*

2011. iii. FRANCIS D., b. May 8, 1819; d. Oct. 18, 1821.

2012. iv. JANE E., b. Nov. 21, 1822; m. Charles H. Crawford. She d. July 14, 1847.

979. JEDEDIAH FIELD (Luke, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., April, 1786. He settled about 1810 in Sunbury, Ga.; returned to Madison, Conn., where he d. Nov. 9, 1858. He m. Elizabeth Alexander, of Georgia; m., 2d, Sarah Osgood, of Georgia; m., 3d, October, 1820, Rebecca Bradley, of Madison, b. July 3, 1798; d. Oct. 9, 1874. Res. Sunbury, Ga., and Madison, Conn.

2013. i. SAMUEL, b. ——; graduated at Yale College in 1838; studied law and settled in Georgia, where he d. unm. in 1858.

2014. ii. SARAH E. OSGOOD, b. ——; m. Frederick Hill.

2015. iii. LAWRENCE ALEXANDER, b. 1821; m. Delia F. Dowd.

2016. iv. THOMAS SUMNER, b. April 5, 1824; m. Judith Wilcox.

2017. v. REBECCA BRADLEY, b. June 20, 1825; m. Aug. 26, 1845, Augustus Dowd, of Madison.

2018. vi. ELLEN AUGUSTA, b. Jan. 28, 1827; m. July 26, 1849, William G. Dowd, of Scranton, Pa.

2019. vii. GEORGIANNA, b. May 18, 1829; m. April 10. 1849, George A. Shelley, of Madison. She d. Nov. 28, 1883.

2020. viii. LOUISA, b. Feb. 20, 1831; m. Joseph Chase, of Scranton, Pa.

2021. ix. ELLIOTT BRADLEY, b. April 22, 1832; m. Emily Rebecca Coe; d. July 9, 1888.

2021½. x. MARTHA JANE, b. ——; m. Charles E. Dudley.

985. BENJAMIN FIELD (David, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., June 12, 1759; d. June 24, 1824; m. 1783, Lucy, dau. of Jonathan and Murray, b. June 8, 1762; d. Sept. 29, 1825. Res. East Guilford, Conn.

2022. i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 8, 1784. He d. unm. Aug. 17, 1856.

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2023. ii. HARRY, b. March, 1787; m. Polly C. Leach.
2024. iii. ANSON, b. May, 1789; m. Achsah Benton.
2025. iv. BENJAMIN, b. 1791; d. unm. July 12, 1814.
2026. v. JOEL, b. Oct. 19, 1794; m. Rachel Hill.
2027. vi. FREDERICK S., b. 1797; m. Dency Blatchley.

986. DAVID FIELD (David, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., Sept. 17, 1761. He removed, in 1794, to Jericho, Vt., where he d. Oct. 21, 1833. He m. Feb. 16, 1786, Lois, dau. of Philemon French, of East Guilford, b. Nov. 24, 1764; d. May 3, 1810; m., 2d, May 8, 1811, Mercy Frisbie. Res. Jericho, Vt.

2028. i. HENRY, b. March 3, 1787; m. Rachel Howe and Laura Lee.
2029. ii. LOIS, b. Oct. 20, 1788; d. Dec. 17, 1792.
2030. iii. DAVID, b. May 7, 1790; m. Mrs. Conklin and Phebe Ward.
2031. iv. LOIS, b. Aug. 15, 1793; m. 1815, Hezekiah W. Stevens; m., 2d, William Hendricks, of Pompey, N. Y.; d. Jan. 12, 1852.
2032. v. ANSON, b. March 5, 1795; d. Feb. 10, 1800.
2033. vi. ANNA, b. June 2, 1798; m. 1830, Nathaniel Blackman, of Jericho, Vt.; d. March 24, 1839.
2034. vii. MARY, b. Oct. 22, 1800; m. Oct. 29, 1822, John Lyman, of Jericho, Vt. She d. in April, 1886. He d. February, 1874. Ch.: 1. Homer, b. June 16, 1823, d. Nov. 30, 1839. 2. Rollin, b. May 21, 1827; d. Dec. 28, 1829. 3. Seymour, b. Nov. 20, 1828; m. Feb. 15, 1854, Mary L. Turner; d. 1862; m., 2d, May 1, 1868, Lucy B. Bowles. 4. Mary, b. Sept. 12, 1831; m. Sept. 10, 1851, Stillman R. Bingham. Res. Chicago. He was b. Oct. 14, 1829; d. Feb. 1, 1896. Mr. Bingham was born in the village of Morristown, Vt., Oct. 14, 1829. His family was of the best New England stock. He was educated in Stowe, Vt., and for a time taught school there, but relinquished the profession of teacher with the hope he undoubtedly had at that time of a professional life, to enter into mercantile business in New York City. In 1853 he was engaged as bookkeeper in the New York branch of the house of Jones, White & McCurdy, and he filled that position for about five years. Those were days of small things in the dental supply business, and the young bookkeeper had ample time and opportunity to master all the details of the business, which he succeeded in doing most thoroughly. In 1858, when it was decided to open a branch in Chicago, Dr. Samuel S. White, with that rare and intuitive judgment of men for which he was remarkable, named Mr. Bingham as the one best qualified to take charge of the enterprise. Probably no one was more surprised at this selection than Mr. Bingham himself, but during the whole thirty-eight years that the Chicago branch has been in existence there never has been a day or an hour in which the wisdom of that choice has not been manifest. Mr. Bingham was a man of great energy and untiring industry, of spotless integrity, and remarkable for his foresight and correct judgment. Added to these were a ready tact, a warm heart, and a sympathizing nature that won for him the esteem and affection of literally thousands, who looked to him as their sincere friend and often adviser and helper. In business matters his opinions were quickly formed,

and his advice, continually sought, was promptly and frankly given in terse and convincing language. There was never any issue between him and the home office. His conduct of the business was so wise, so strictly upright and just to all, that it was impossible to take exception to it. The career of the Chicago branch has been most successful, its progress continually upward, and the past year was the greatest in its history. It is undeniable that the largest factors of that prosperity were the ability and personality of Stillman R. Bingham. Mr. Bingham's influence among the dentists in that territory in which his life's work was accomplished was very marked and important. Since his death, at his late residence and at the company's office, in Chicago, there have been from among the members of the dental profession innumerable callers, and showers of letters which it has not been possible to answer in detail, referring to him affectionately, with expressions of sorrow as for personal loss; many of them telling in touching language of kindly acts, of wise counsel, of material help bestowed upon them in time of need. One of these communications refers to Mr. Bingham as the writer's financial and moral savior, and there are many others of similar tenor. It is safe to say that in matters of morals, principles, and even of the conduct of business and professional life no one of the many hundreds of young men who sought counsel from Mr. Bingham ever made a mistake by following his advice. It was largely through his influence that the now great and important Illinois State Dental Society was formed. The same is true of the Chicago Dental Society, the meetings of which were for a long time held in the rooms of the S. S. White Dental Depot. It was mainly Mr. Bingham's arguments that decided its originators to organize in the brotherhood of a society. He was always most heartily welcome at the meetings of these and other dental associations of Illinois and the adjacent states, and throughout the entire country now tributary to Chicago there is no name which is more widely or more familiarly known in dental circles, or which calls forth more kindly remark, than that of S. R. Bingham. For many years he was among the best known and most highly esteemed of the business men of Chicago. Outside of his own business he was still the same kindly, patient, self-denying man, fruitful in good works. He was a liberal supporter of charities, and active in all movements of a benevolent nature or for the public weal. His private contributions in response to appeals for help were a constant drain upon his resources. He was a life-long worker in church and Sunday-schools. The Eighth Presbyterian church of Chicago was organized in his parlor over thirty years ago, and his labors in its behalf were incessant until it was completed and self-supporting. During the twenty-two years of his residence in Highland Park he was an elder and earnest worker in the Presbyterian church of that town, and was untiring in his zeal in all movements for the welfare of the community. As a speaker he possessed remarkable gifts of oratory; he was original and humorous, and when his indignation was aroused his language was keen, incisive and

overwhelming. His logic was sure and his arguments exhaustive. These qualities characterized his writings, and many of his letters have been kept for years as choice gems by his friends, who will now hold them as beyond price. A depth of affection existed between Samuel S. White and Stillman R. Bingham which was the most extraordinary that ever came under the writer's observation. It was not because they were associated in business or engaged in kindred pursuits. Their mutual esteem would have been as sincere and lasting if they had no business relations, provided they had been brought into as intimate contact. They were both men of noble mold, of high and pure ideals. They were pre-eminently chaste men in thought, speech and conduct. They had deeply religious natures. Firmly believing in a Divine Father and Guide, they desired nothing more earnestly than to know and do His will. They were gentlemen in the best sense of the word,—gentle, patient, sympathizing, self-sacrificing, with helping hands ever extended toward the suffering and fallen. In business they had unusual energy and foresight, as the results of their labors bear eloquent testimony. They were good disciplinarians, and had the rare faculty of being able to evoke the best service of their employes, every one of them served them gladly. So they were drawn together, and their attachment was a rare and noble instance of manly love. Since the death of Dr. S. S. White, sixteen years ago, Mr. Bingham has talked much and often to his friends of his association with his beloved "Chief," as he was wont to call him, and with a faith that never for an instant wavered he would anticipate again meeting him beyond the grave, where there is no more parting. The management of the S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Co., since the death of Dr. S. S. White, have looked to and depended upon Mr. Bingham more than upon any other one man. His forty-three years of service with the company and its predecessors was a remarkable experience, which, added to his great ability, noble character and sure judgment, made of him an eminently wise and safe counselor. Those who are now left in the management will miss him with an increasing sense of loss as the days roll on. Personally, as well as in business relations, he was far more to them than can be expressed here. Ch.: (a) Charles Lyman Bingham, b. in Jericho Centre, Vt., June 13, 1852; m. Oct. 15, 1874, Jennie Elizabeth Leonard. Res. Chicago. Ch.: i. Jessie May, b. Nov. 9, 1876; m. Dec. 31, 1866, Mark Rees Kimbell. Ch.: 1. Jean Elizabeth, b. Dec. 23, 1898. ii. Carrie Ann, b. May 16, 1879. iii. Mabel, b. Sept. 2, 1881. iv. Eleanor Elizabeth, b. June 16, 1893. Charles Seymour while a young man became connected with the S. S. White Dental company. At first as clerk, later as traveling salesman, visiting every state in the Union, and Europe. Subsequently he was assistant to his father, and at his death was given the general management of the business, which position he now occupies. (b) Anna Mary Bingham, b. May 23, 1854, in New York City; m. Sept. 3, 1874, Thomas Nevins Jamison. (c) Emma Lovina Bingham, b. Feb. 26, 1861, in Chicago; d. Dec. 18, 1861. (d) John Luther Bingham, b. Oct. 5, 1862, in

Chicago. (e) Stillman Rockwell Bingham, Jr., b. Oct. 31, 1868, in Chicago; d. Nov. 28, 1868. (f) Samuel Stockton White, b. Oct. 31, 1868, in Chicago; d. Nov. 20, 1876. (g) Benjamin Seymour Bingham, b. April 16, 1874, in Highland Park, Ill.; m. June 5, 1895, Sue Brinton Reigart. 5. Moses Parnell, b. Aug. 6, 1837; d. Oct. 15, 1838. 6. Myron Winslow, b. Aug. 6, 1838; m. Dec. 21, 1868, Annette C. Ferris. Res. 195 South California Av., Chicago, Ill. Ch.: (a) Willis M., b. Dec. 18, 1870. (b) Anna M., b. Nov. 20, 1872.

2035. viii. ANSON, b. March 5, 1803; m. Almira R. Shaw and Mary J. Bliss.

2036. ix. EUNICE, b. July 7, 1808; m. Anson Woodruff, of Pompey, N. Y., and d. May, 1867.

988. ICHABOD FIELD (David, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., July 26, 1763. He removed, in 1822, to Lansing, Tompkins county, N. Y., where he died July 1, 1838. He m. about 1785, Anna French, b. May 26, 1767; d. March 18, 1839. He came from Connecticut early in 1800, and settled on a farm in West Dryden, N. Y.; was followed by some of his children, Augustus, Jedadiah, Gaylord, David, Elisha and Julius. Augustus, Jedadiah and Gaylord moved to Michigan, the former after moving to Iowa. Jedadiah and Gaylor settled near Grand Rapids, where their descendants now live. Julius was a Methodist minister, belonging to the New York East Conference. He had four daughters; one married S. S. Scranton, a publisher living in Hartford, Conn. Three daughters of Ichabod settled near the old home in Connecticut, which was in a town north of Saybrook. Mabel married a man named Stone. Ichabod married Anna French, and they are both buried in the old Asbury cemetery, at Lansing, N. Y. Res. Lansing, N. Y.

2037. i. EUNICE, b. 1786; m. Israel Nettleton, of Lansing.

2038. ii. ELISHA, b. Dec. 30, 1788; m. Sarah Butler.

2039. iii. AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 5, 1790; m. —— ——. Res. Watertown, Iowa.

2040. iv. SELDEN, b. Nov. 2, 1793; m. Jane Bogsburn and Lydia Ketchum.

2041. v. ALANSON, b. June 28, 1795; d. unm. April 25, 1814.

2042. vi. DAVID LYMAN, b. May 7, 1797; m. Mary Knettles.

2043. vii. ANNA, b. May 7, 1797; m. October, 1825, Simeon Scranton, of Madison, Conn.; d. Oct. 3, 1869.

2044. viii. JULIUS, b. April 2, 1799; m. Minerva S. Kellogg.

2045. ix. JEDEDIAH, b. Dec. 13, 1802; m. Bertrand Brown.

2046. x. ICHABOD GAYLORD, b. Dec. 5, 1804; m. Wealthy Saxton.

2047. xi. MABEL, b. 1806; m. Nov. 6, 1828, Heman Stone, of Madison, Conn. She d. June 22, 1890.

2048. xii. NOAH, b. 1809; m. Eleanor Stebbins and Mary A. Cook.

2049. xiii. EBENEZER, b. 1812; d. 1812.

990. JEDEDIAH FIELD (David, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in East Guilford, Conn., May 28, 1765. He removed, in 1797, to Jericho, Vt., where he d. Sept. 30, 1842. He m. May 7, 1787, Mabel, dau. of Nathaniel and Sarah (Griswold) Stevens, of East Guilford, b. April 9, 1768; d. Aug. 21, 1849. Res. Jericho, Vt.

2050. i. MELINDA, b. April 4, 1788; m. Daniel Hatch, of Plattsburgh, N. Y.; d. Feb. 20, 1831.

2051. ii. HARVEY, b. 1790; m. Persis Church.

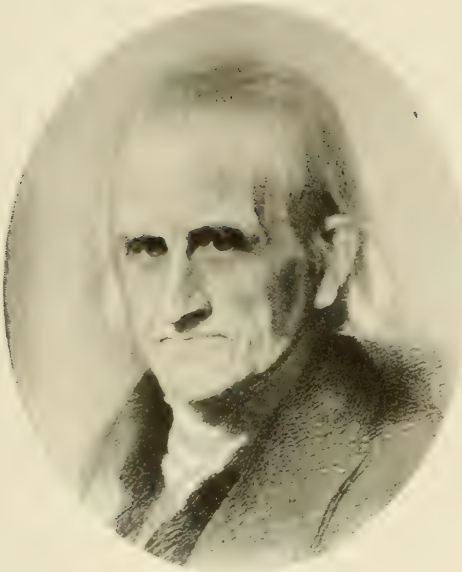
2052. iii. AUSTIN, b. Dec. 6, 1792; unm.

2053. iv. ALANSON, b. Jan. 28, 1794. Res. Jericho; d. unm.
2054. v. LYMAN, b. Oct. 10, 1795; m. Harriet Frink and Rhoda Joslyn.
2055. vi. ERASTUS, b. June 16, 1798; m. Maria A. Potter.
2056. vii. LAURA, b. April 25, 1802; d. April 26, 1802.
2057. viii. LUCY, b. April 25, 1802; d. April 27, 1802.
2058. ix. TRUMAN, b. Oct. 6, 1806; m. Charlotte G. Elmore, Mrs. Philena (Wheelock) Wilcox and Mrs. Abbey G. (Bailey) Currier.
2059. x. ADELINE, b. Aug. 7, 1810; m. Oct. 30, 1830, Charles Hubbell. They had two daughters and one son.

992. DEACON ZECHARIAH FIELD (Samuel, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., June 6, 1755; m. June 3, 1779, Priscilla Crampton, dau. of Benjamin Crampton, of East Guilford, b. April 17, 1748. Sometime about 1806-7 Zechariah Field and family came into Middlefield, from Prartridgefield (now Peru), and lived there until about 1823; then moved to Jericho, Vt. Mr. Field was deacon in the Congregational church most of this time. There were six daughters. Res. East Guilford Conn.

2060. i. HEPSIBAH, b. Aug. 6, 1780.
2061. ii. MARY, b. February, 1783; m. Dec. 20, 1820, Oliver Blush, of Middlefield, s. p.
2062. iii. RUTH, b. Nov. 27, 1784.
2063. iv. THANKFUL, b. 1788. One or the other m. Homer Pelton, of Peru, Mass.
2064. v. PRISCILLA, b. 1791; m. Nov. 12, 1811, Benjamin Steward, or Stewart. Res. Middlefield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Spencer Stewart. 2. Nelson Stewart. 3. Edmund Stewart, d. unm. 4. Samuel Stewart. Spencer Stewart m.; lived in Worthington, and one of his sons was Dr. Lincoln Stewart, who is living in Maine. Nelson m. and lived in Washington, Mass. I know nothing of children. Samuel went to Albany, N. Y., married.
2064½. vi. CHARLOTTE, b. ——; d. unm. in Middlefield, Mass.

1002. REV. DAVID DUDLEY FIELD, D. D. (Timothy, David. Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., May 20, 1781; m. Oct. 31, 1803, Submit Dickinson, of Somers, dau. of Capt. Noah and Hannah, b. Oct. 1, 1782; d. April 16, 1861. He was son of Capt. Timothy Field, an officer in the army of Revolution, and was b. in East Guilford, now Madison, Conn. He was fitted for college by Rev. Dr. John Elliott, the minister of the parish in which his father lived, entered Yale, and graduated in 1802. His fellow room-mate and student for three years in college was Jeremiah Evarts, who has been so well known for his labors in the cause of religion and humanity, and the father of Hon. William M. Evarts. In the same class were many who afterwards became eminent men—Isaac C. Bates, United States senator from Massachusetts; Judge Hubbard, of Boston; William Maxwell, of Virginia; Governors Tomlinson and Pond, of Connecticut; Junius Smith, famous in connection with ocean steam navigation, and Pelatiah Perit, a distinguished merchant of New York. More than a third of the class became ministers of the gospel. On leaving college he prosecuted his theological studies at Somers, Conn., under Rev. Dr. Charles Backus, an eminent teacher and divine. In September, 1803, he was licensed to preach by the New Haven East Association. He was soon invited to preach as a candidate at Haddam, Conn.; after a few months he was settled as pastor, April 11, 1804. Here his labors were arduous, being in an undivided township of twelve school districts, and with few carriage roads; but with every spot, family and school he was soon



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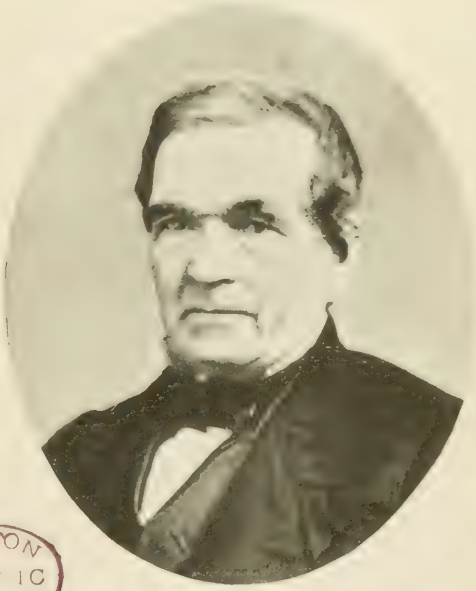

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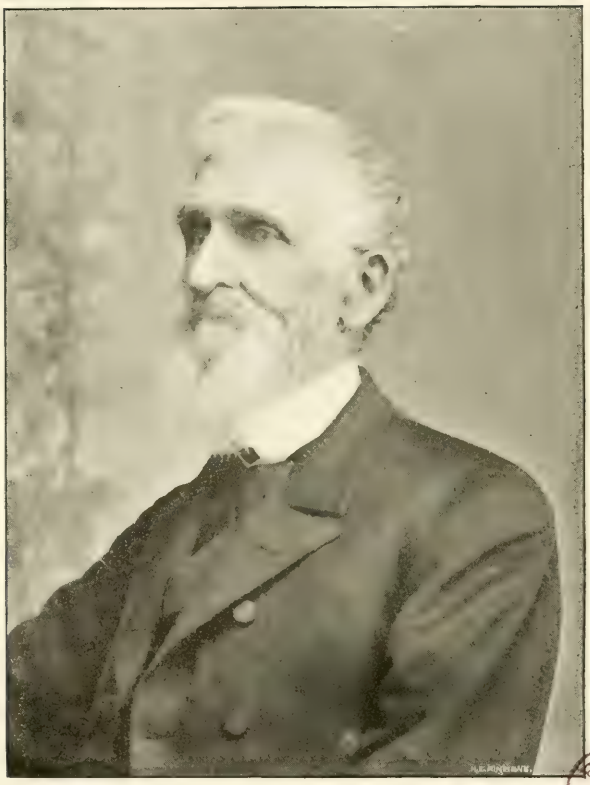

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familiar. His pastoral duties were performed with great conscientiousness and fidelity; his preaching was earnest and effective, full of unction and power. Here he remained until April, 1818, just fourteen years; and then resigned his charge and spent the next five months on a missionary tour in western New York, under the direction of the Old Connecticut Missionary Society, going along the shore of Lake Ontario as far as Buffalo. At the latter place there was no house of worship to be found. On his return he accepted a call from the Congregational church in Stockbridge, Mass., as successor of the venerable Dr. Stephen West, who had then recently died. He was installed pastor of this church, Aug. 25, 1819. With this church and society he continued nearly eighteen years, when he resigned, and singularly enough, was installed April 11, 1837, over his old society in Haddam, just thirty-three years from his first ordination there. The same year, 1837, the degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Williams College. In 1844, the parish which he had served so long being much larger, was divided, and he took charge of the new society formed at Higganum in the northern part. There he remained in the full discharge of ministerial duty a second term of fourteen years, seven over the old church, and seven over the new one. During his residence there in 1848 he crossed the ocean with one of his sons and spent several months in Great Britain and France. In the spring of 1851, having reached the age of seventy, he yielded to the wishes of his children, retired from public labor, and returned to Stockbridge, where after sixteen years of retirement he died.

Dr. Field had a natural fondness and taste for historical and genealogical researches. He published in 1819 a history of Middlesex county, Conn.; a history of Berkshire county, Mass., in a volume of nearly 500 pages; an historical address at Middletown, Conn., forming with its appendix a book of 300 pages; a genealogy of the Brainard family in Haddam, a volume of 300 pages; and a number of his occasional sermons have been printed. He was historian of his class, and in 1862 published a minute account of all its members, living and dead, with their descendants.

On the day on which he died he rode out and called upon several of his old parishioners. One of them, Colonel Williams, said to him, "Dr. Field, I am glad to see you so well," and he replied, "I was never better in my life." He had a little granddaughter or great-granddaughter on the seat with him, and rode home with his arm about her. On entering his room he took off the scarf from his neck, and had been seated in his favorite chair, a relic of the Mayflower, but a moment, when his head fell back, his body and limbs became rigid, and he could no more be awakened. The funeral took place on the afternoon of Thursday, April 18th. Prayer was offered at the house by Rev. N. H. Eggleston, the pastor of the village church. The remains were borne to the church, where addresses appropriate to the occasion were delivered by Mr. Eggleston, Rev. Mark Hopkins, LL.D., president of Williams College, and Rev. John Todd, D.D., of Pittsfield. Rev. William B. Sprague, D.D., in a notice of Dr. Field, says: "In all his relations he was a model of firmness, conscientiousness, discretion and punctuality." Rev. Dr. Marsh and Prof. Morgan, of Oberlin, Ohio, wrote some interesting newspaper sketches of Dr. Field. Dr. Field was a corresponding member of the New England Historic-Genealogical Society, having been elected in 1847, two years after the society was organized. He was also vice-president of the Connecticut Historical Society, and corresponding member of the Massachusetts and Pennsylvania Historical Societies.

The town of Stockbridge commenced its existence as a mission station among the Muh-he-ka-neew, or, as they have since been called, the Stockbridge Indians. This people, in many respects the most interesting of all our aboriginal tribes, were scattered along the Housatonic river, on the interval lands in what are now the

towns of Sheffield, Great Barrington and Stockbridge. Their history, manners, customs and language, would form a volume by itself, and cannot be even alluded to in a sketch like the present. Those who desire a full and interesting account of them, may consult a book recently published by Samuel Bowles & Co., of Springfield, called "Stockbridge, Past and Present; or, Records of an Old Mission Station," by Miss E. F. Jones, which contains the most perfect information concerning them yet given to the public. The situations of these Indians early claimed the consideration of many philanthropists on both sides of the Atlantic, among whom were his Excellency, Jonathan Belcher, then governor of the commonwealth; Rev. Dr. Benjamin Colman, an influential clergyman of Boston, and Dr. Sewall, of the same city. At this time, Konkapot and Umpachene were the two principal men among the Housatonic Indians; the former holding a captain's and the latter a lieutenant's commission, under the British crown. Konkapot, who was a man of unusual shrewdness and intelligence, desired Christian instruction for himself and people, which fact, coming to the knowledge of Rev. Mr. Hopkins, of West Springfield, he set himself to gratify so laudable an aspiration. Having ascertained that funds supplied by the Trans-Atlantic Society for the Promotion of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, were deposited in the hands of commissioners in Boston for such purposes here, and knowing that John Stoddard, Esq., of Northampton, was intimately acquainted with the state of the Indians in western Massachusetts, he visited him in their behalf, March, 1734. Having obtained from him information that favored his intentions, he next conferred with Rev. Dr. Williams, of Longmeadow, and at their united request, Rev. Wm. Williams, of Hatfield, wrote to the commissioners to solicit their attention towards the Housatonic Indians. The commissioners requested Dr. Williams and Mr. Hopkins to visit the Indians personally, and ascertain more particularly their situation and wishes, concerning religious and other instruction. They did so, and made a report, which resulted in the sending of Rev. John Sergeant, as missionary to the Housatonic valley, with a salary of 100 pounds per annum. He arrived in October, 1734.

In order that the ends of the mission might best be attained it was desirable that the Indians should concentrate in some particular locality. This they consented to do, Konkapot and Umpachene using all their influence to aid the enterprise. To further the object, the legislature, in 1735, granted a township, six miles square, which included the present towns of Old and West Stockbridge. Into this the Indians moved in 1736, and were gradually increased by additions from northern Connecticut and western New York, so as to length to amount to about 400 souls. John Stoddard, Ebenezer Pomeroy and Thomas Ingersoll, Esqs., were appointed a committee "to weigh and consider all things and circumstances," relative to the location and settlement of the town, to confer with the Indians in relation thereto, and arrange with the proprietors of the lower township, now Sheffield, granted in 1722, for the extinction of their claims, which overlay to some extent the newly projected township. Everything was, at length, and after some difficulty, satisfactorily adjusted, and in 1739 the tract was incorporated under the title of Stockbridge, doubtless from a town of the same name in England, whose natural features are said to be strikingly similar. According to the judgment of the locating committee, one sixtieth part of the land was to be reserved for the missionary; another sixtieth for the schoolmaster, and a sufficient portion for four other English families, who should settle in it, and assist in the benevolent labor of civilizing and Christianizing the Indians. Under this arrangement the mission commenced and progressed auspiciously. The chief missionary was, as has been mentioned, Rev. John Sergeant, a native of Newark, N. J.; a graduate of Yale College, in 1729, and tutor there for four years from 1731. He first arrived at the scene of his labors in

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1734; but that visit was only preliminary to his permanent settlement, which took place after the completion of his fourth year's tutorship, in 1735. He was ordained to his work at Deerfield, Aug. 31 of the same year, and very soon thereafter assumed the labors of the mission. His assistant—as teacher—was Mr., afterwards Hon. Timothy Woodbridge, of West Springfield, who subsequently held several offices of distinction, and died May 11, 1774.

Dr. Field d. April 15, 1867; res. Haddam, Conn., and Stockbridge, Mass.

2065. i. DAVID DUDLEY, b. Feb. 13, 1805; m. Lucinda Hopkins, Mrs. Harriet Davidson and Mrs. Mary E. Carr.

2066. ii. MATHEW DICKINSON, b. June 26, 1811; m. Clara Laflin.

2067. iii. JONATHAN EDWARDS, b. July 11, 1813; m. Mary Ann Stuart and Mrs. Huldah Fellows Pomeroy.

2068. iv. STEPHEN JOHNSON, b. Nov. 4, 1816; m. Sue Virginia Sweaingen.

2069. v. CYRUS WEST, b. Nov. 30, 1819; m. Mary Bryan Stone.

2070. vi. HENRY MARTYN, b. April 3, 1822; m. Henriette des Portes and Frances E. Dwight.

2071. vii. EMILIA HOVEY ANN, b. Feb. 22, 1807; m. Dec. 1, 1829, Rev. Josiah Brewer.

EMILIA ANN FIELD.—BY REV. HENRY M. FIELD.

The second of our family was a daughter, born Feb. 22, 1807, and it was a happy time in the parsonage when there was the pattering of the little feet of a boy and girl. Still more dear did the latter become, as after her there were six little brothers, to whom she was the only sister, and to whom in their childhood she had to be a kind of second mother. How well she performed her gentle task, and how much these boys owed her watchful care, they always remembered, but their love and gratitude could never repay. She inherited much of her mother's beauty, as well as industry, and attention to all the frugalities of the household. With these domestic virtues, she had an intelligence that needed larger means of education than the village schools could supply, and from these she passed to seminaries in Westfield, Mass., and Wethersfield and Litchfield, Conn. At the age of twenty-two, she was married to Rev. Josiah Brewer,* a native of Tyringham, a neighboring town to Stockbridge. He had pursued his studies at Yale College, where he ranked very high as a scholar. He was graduated in 1821, and was for two years a tutor in that institution. He studied theology at Andover, and went out, under an appointment of the American Board, and of a Society of Ladies formed in Boston for the promotion of Christianity among the Jews, to inquire into the condition of that people in Turkey. From Smyrna and Constantinople he went to Greece during the

*He was born in Berkshire county, Mass., in 1796; died in Stockbridge, Mass., Nov. 19, 1872. He was graduated at Yale in 1821, and became a tutor in the college after post-graduate study. He was one of the first to volunteer as a missionary to Turkey for the American Board, and in 1830 sailed for the East, beginning his labors at Smyrna, only three years after the Greek revolution. The battle of Navarino had destroyed the Turkish navy and had opened the door for influences from abroad. Mr. Brewer was the first to introduce schools and the printing press. He established the first paper in Smyrna, where several journals are now published in different languages. The schools he founded have served as models to introduce European education into the Turkish empire. After a few years he returned home. He published "Residence in Constantinople" (New Haven, 1827) and "Patmos and the Seven Churches of Asia" (1851).—Appleton.

war of its revolution. It was about the time of the battle of Navarino. As the war was then raging with such fury as to interfere with immediate missionary labor, he returned to the United States after an absence of two years. The fruit of his observation was given to the public in a volume on Turkey. His connection with the Board was soon terminated, owing to some difference of opinion as to the missionary policy to be pursued. But he was immediately engaged by a Ladies' Greek Association formed in New Haven, Conn., to undertake a separate work, which was to be chiefly that of Female Education among the Greeks—a thing till then almost unknown among a people so gifted with natural intelligence. Accordingly, as soon as he was married, he returned to the East, and took up his residence in Smyrna, where he remained nine years. Here he established schools both for Greek girls and for the children of Franks resident in Smyrna. Of these schools, and of the family to which he was introduced, the late Dr. E. C. Wines, who was then a chaplain in the Navy, and paid a visit to Smyrna on board a ship of war, draws this pleasant picture in a volume entitled "Two Years and a Half in the Navy," pp. 132-34:

"Having letters of introduction to Mr. Brewer, immediately on landing I called on him at his residence, which was between Frank street and the Marina. His house was the first I had seen, since entering the Mediterranean, with wooden stairs and floors, and it had the oddest appearance than can be imagined.

"I received a hearty welcome from Mr. Brewer and his family, and soon found myself at home there. Mr. Brewer is employed as a missionary by a society of ladies in New Haven, and the primary object of his mission is the education of the Greek females. He is known to the world as the author of an interesting work on Turkey, the result of his observations while employed as a traveling missionary by the American Board. His character is marked by mildness, modesty, good sense and an unaffected piety. His wife is uncommonly beautiful, and a woman of the finest intelligence and most fascinating manners. Associated with Mr. Brewer in his enterprise, and a member of his family, is a Miss Reynolds, a young lady possessing high qualifications for her station in point of talent, cultivation and piety. [She was afterwards married to Rev. Dr. Schauffler, of Constantinople.] A brother of Mrs. Brewer, a lad of spirit and promise, and two or three charming little children, completed the family circle; and it was one of the happiest and most agreeable I have ever known. Mr. J. of the 'Boston,' my friend and companion, knew them intimately before he left the United States, and while we remained in Smyrna we used to spend almost all our evenings under their hospitable roof. We were often gratified at seeing the little groups of black-eyed, dark-complexioned, intelligent-looking Greek girls, who would enter the house with trifling presents of fruits or flowers, and who seemed to cherish towards their benefactors the affection of daughters. There was one who spent nearly all her days in the family for the purpose of learning embroidery and English, and whose truly classic face, whose modest and

sprightly manners, and lisping English, pronounced with a voice of uncommon richness, and in tones of faltering distrust, could not have failed to awaken an interest even in one who had never heard of her progenitors.

"Mr. Brewer and Miss Reynolds have generously given up the whole of their salaries to the support of the Greek schools, and gain a livelihood for themselves by keeping a Frank school, for which they have been guaranteed two hundred pounds a year for five years. This school is made up of the children of European and American merchants, and is the first of the kind ever known in Smyrna. The pupils of different sexes have separate apartments, and form interesting groups. They dress in the costumes of their different countries, and the conversation of those who belong to each nation is usually carried on in their own language; but the common medium of communication is the modern Greek. One of Mr. Brewer's pupils was an Armenian by the name of Tackvor, who was learning English, and who interested greatly all our officers. He was a young man of about twenty, with dark eyes and intelligent features, of mild and engaging manners, and a disposition full of kindness and sincerity. We were greatly indebted to him for the services he rendered as interpreter in our intercourse with the Turks, and as a guide in showing us the curiosities of the place.

"During our stay in Smyrna I often visited the Greek female schools under Mr. Brewer's charge, and was not more delighted than surprised at the order with which they were conducted, the eager desire of knowledge which the pupils appeared to feel, and the rapid progress they made in their studies. They were conducted on the Lancasterian plan by native teachers, and the children were instructed not only in the branches taught in our own common schools, but in knitting, needlework, embroidery, etc. I saw little girls, who had been attached to the schools only a few months, who could write a fair hand, and read with tolerable facility in the Testament. The needlework of some of the older girls would scarcely have discredited any lady in the United States. The whole number of children in all the schools was somewhat rising of 200.

"Mr. Brewer's schools were the first ever established in Smyrna —at least in modern times—for the cultivation of the female mind. They threw the whole Smyrniote population into amazement. Females—by the servile Greek, as well as by the haughty, self-complacent Ottoman, regarded as the mere slaves and playthings of man—females capable of intellectual culture and refinement! The thing was unheard of, and produced a dreadful whirling in men's ideas of truth and propriety. But the experiment was confidently made, and has succeeded even beyond the anticipation of its authors. Its effects are not limited to the schools which Mr. Brewer has established, but are seen also in the revolution, they have effected in public sentiment, and the consequent exertions made on the part of many of the more wealthy and respectable Greeks to educate their daughters."

To the same effect is the testimony of Commodore J. E. De

Kay in a work entitled "Turkey in 1831 and 1832." In his description of Smyrna, he says, pp. 500-1:

"Another pleasing sight was a school established by Mrs. Brewer and under her superintendence, for the education of Greek girls. Mrs. Brewer has another school under her own roof, to which she devotes her more immediate care. The pupils pay for their instruction, and the money thus derived is expended upon the large school above mentioned. In addition to this, Mr. Brewer directs an excellent school, composed of the sons and daughters of Frank merchants. The instruction is in English, and it was curious to see the children of even English parents speaking their own language with a foreign accent. As I entered the school, one of the boys was reciting the well known effusion of Marco Bozzaris; and various associations of a personal nature were produced on hearing this spirited lay delivered on the spot where the Greek formerly displayed his ancient heroism, and where now he was called upon in foreign accents to

'Strike for his altars and his fires,
God and his native land.'

"Mr. Brewer also conducts a paper in modern Greek, entitled 'The Friend of Youth.' It is filled with various moral and instructive essays, and has been the instrument of effecting much good. I regretted to learn that it would soon pass into other hands; for the owner of the press entertains the erroneous idea that money is made by it, and proposes to conduct it himself. The good already effected will not, however, be lost; a spirit of inquiry has been excited, and no one can venture to say where it will end. Under the auspices of Mr. Brewer, it was ever foremost in pointing out errors in conduct, and in stirring up its readers to every benevolent or public-spirited undertaking, and much of this spirit, we may hope, will descend to his successor."

Like other cities of the East, Smyrna was subject to frequent visitations of pestilence—the cholera or the plague. In these times of terror and dismay, when all who could fled from the city, Mr. Brewer showed himself a true soldier, who did not desert his post at the moment of danger. Rather did he consider that such public calamities gave the wider opportunity for relieving distress and doing good. Filling his pockets with medicines, and taking with him his young brother-in-law, whom we shall have occasion to mention hereafter, who carried with him also medicine and food, day after day he explored the almost deserted streets, seeking those who had been suddenly smitten with cholera and had lain down to suffer and perhaps to die. Thousands perished, but of those who were saved there were many who owed their lives to the courage of that Christian missionary. In the work of Commodore De Kay, to which we have referred, he speaks thus of the heroic devotion shown in these terrible scenes:

"The efforts of the physicians at Smyrna during the fearful season of cholera were nobly seconded by many of the foreign missionaries. Among these I heard the labors of Mr. Brewer everywhere spoken of in terms of admiration. Furnished with all the requisite remedies, he scoured every lane and alley, pro-

claiming his benevolent intentions, and distributing even food to the needy. Let history, when it repeats the story of the good Bishop of Marseilles—who, after all, was merely a soldier at his post—also record the benevolence and the proud contempt of danger and of death evinced by an American stranger within the pestilential walls of Smyrna."

But these acts of courage and devotion were not to be long continued, and these schools so full of promise were to come to an end. Owing to some difficulty in securing adequate support for a mission which was independent of all the regular boards, Mr. Brewer was finally obliged to relinquish the field, though to this day his memory is gratefully cherished in the city which was the scene of his former labors. He returned to America in 1838, and spent the remainder of his life in this country. For three years he was chaplain of the State Prison at Wethersfield, Conn. In 1844 he removed to New Haven, and established a school for young ladies, known as the Elm Street Female Seminary, which he conducted successfully for six years. In 1850 he removed to Middletown, where he had a similar school for seven years. During all these years he was active with his pen. In 1851 he published a volume on "The Seven Churches of Asia," the fruit chiefly of his personal observations, as he had visited the sites of all of them, except Thyatira, during his residence in the East. He was always a strong anti-slavery man, and edited one or two local anti-slavery papers. He was one of the founders of the American Missionary Association in 1846, and was a member of its executive committee for seventeen years. He attended two political conventions at Pittsburg—one which nominated John P. Hale for the presidency, and the other John C. Fremont. In 1857 he returned to Stockbridge, near the place of his birth, to spend the rest of his days. For nine years—till 1866—he was the acting pastor of the church at Housatonic. He died Nov. 19, 1872. His wife had died nearly eleven years before—Dec. 16, 1861.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer had seven children: Henrietta Whitney, born Jan. 20, 1831; Fisk Parsons, born Oct. 19, 1832; Emilia Field, born Sept. 29, 1834; David Josiah, born June 20, 1837; Marshall Bidwell, born Jan. 28, 1840; Mary Adele, born Nov. 21, 1842; Elizabeth Hale, born Dec. 1, 1847.

Henrietta W. Brewer was married to Lawson Bennet Bidwell, of Stockbridge, Nov. 18, 1857. He is an engineer, and has been engaged for many years in the construction of railroads. He is now engineer-in-chief of the New York & New England Railroad. They have three children: Lawson Brewer Bidwell, born Nov. 19, 1858, graduated at Trinity College, in 1880; Walter Davidson Bidwell, born Aug. 13, 1860, graduated at Williams College, in 1881; and Alice, born March 8, 1877.

Fisk P. Brewer was graduated at Yale College in 1852, and has been chiefly engaged in teaching. He was a tutor at Beloit College one year, and at Yale three years, and then spent a year abroad, most of it in the East, studying Greek at Athens, visiting also Jerusalem, Alexandria, and Constantinople, and returning through France and Germany. After his return to America in

1859, he taught in New Haven, assisting for over a year in the Sheffield Scientific School. For twelve years—from 1865 to 1877—he lived at the South, engaged in the work of education, four years of which were spent in Raleigh, N. C.; four years at Chapel Hill, as professor of Greek in the State University; and four years at Columbia, S. C., as professor in the University of that State. Since 1877 he has been professor of Greek in Iowa College at Grinnell, Iowa. His chief studies have been in Greek, ancient and modern, and on ancient coins. He has preached occasionally, having been licensed in 1859. From 1871 to 1873 he was United States consul at the Piræus, Greece. He married at New Haven, Aug. 24, 1859, Miss Julia M. Richards, daughter of a missionary at the Sandwich Islands. They have had eight children, of whom six are living: Edwin Marshall, born April 12, 1861, died Dec. 2, 1862; Helen Richards, born Aug. 14, 1862; Mary Emilia, born Dec. 3, 1863; Grace Lyman, born Oct. 7, 1865; Lily Field, born March 19, 1868; William Fisk, born Aug. 26, 1870; Albert David, born May 10, 1874; and Charles, born April 27, 1877, died July 29, 1878.

David J. Brewer* was graduated at Yale College in 1856; studied law with his uncle, David Dudley Field, of New York, and upon his admission to the bar removed to Kansas, and has since resided at Leavenworth, in that State. In November, 1862, he was elected Judge of the Probate and Criminal Court of Leavenworth county; two years later, November, 1866, of the District Court, first district; four years after that, November, 1870, the attorney of Leavenworth county. In November, 1870, he was elected Judge of the Supreme Court of the State, and in 1876 he was reelected for a second term, a position which he now holds. Besides his judicial duties he has taken great interest in the cause of education, having been president of the Board of Education of Leavenworth city, and three years superintendent of its public schools, and also president of the Educational Association of the State. He was married Oct. 3, 1861, to Miss Louise R. Landon, of Burlington, Vt. They have four children: Harriet Emilia, born July 21, 1862; Etta Louise, born Dec. 2, 1864; Fanny Adele, born Aug. 26, 1870; Jeanie Elizabeth, born Feb. 16, 1875.

Marshall B. Brewer was for some years a clerk in New York, in the store of his uncle Cyrus. During the war, in the spring of 1862, when it was feared that Washington was in danger, and there was a call for fresh troops, he enlisted in the Thirty-sev-

*He was born in Smyrna, Asia Minor, June 20, 1837. He studied at Wesleyan University and at Yale, where he was graduated in 1856; studied law in the office of his uncle, David Dudley Field, in New York city; was graduated at Albany Law School in 1858; was admitted to the bar in New York city: engaged in farming in Stockbridge, Mass., in 1858-59; removed to the West, and practised his profession in Kansas City, Mo., and afterward in Leavenworth, Kansas. In 1861-64, he was a United States commissioner; in 1862-65 Judge of probate and Judge of the Leavenworth County Criminal Court; in 1865-69 Judge of the First Judical Court of the State, and at the same time superintendent of public schools; in 1869-70 city attorney, and in 1879-81 judge of the Kansas Supreme Court. He filled the office also of vice-president, and subsequently that of president, of the Board of Education. In 1884 he was appointed United States judge for the eighth circuit, and soon after one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the United States, which office he now holds. President McKinley appointed him one of the peace commissioners to The Hague to represent the United States.—Appleton.

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enth Regiment of New York Volunteers, and was soon appointed a lieutenant. He was stationed at Baltimore, and was often placed on guard at the hospital, where he took the typhoid fever, and returned home only to die. He died in Stockbridge, Sept. 24, aged twenty-two years. Though he did not fall on the field of battle, his life was not less offered up as a sacrifice for his country.

The daughters, Emilia, Adele and Elizabeth, have all devoted themselves to teaching. Emilia, after some years in schools at home, in 1876 went out to South Africa to teach in the Huguenot Seminary at Wellington, near the Cape of Good Hope, where she still remains, greatly interested in her work. Adele, since 1875, has had a private school in Stockbridge; and Elizabeth, who graduated at Vassar College, in 1873, is in the High School at North Adams.

2072. viii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 7, 1823; m. June 15, 1852, Joseph Frederick Stone; she d. in Paris, Oct. 22, 1856.

2073. ix. TIMOTHY BEALS, b. May 21, 1809.

TIMOTHY B. FIELD—BY REV. HENRY M. FIELD.

He was named, from two of his uncles, Timothy Beals. He was a bright, active boy, always about the wharves, and on the sloops and schooners that lay in the Connecticut river, with dreams in his childish imagination of the time when he should be a man, and might go off roving on the deep. It was doubtless from this contact with seafaring men that he caught a passion for the sea, that would not be satisfied till at the age of fifteen, after the removal to Stockbridge, a commission as midshipman in the navy was obtained for him through the influence of Henry W. Dwight, a distinguished member of Congress. This was in 1824, and in the winter following he was ordered to the navyyard at Charlestown, where he spent a year, learning the duties of his profession. He then sailed for the Mediterranean in the United States ship Warren, Captain Kearney. The East was then the scene of stirring events occasioned by the Greek revolution. The Warren visited Scio soon after the massacre, which almost depopulated the island. Commodore Glasson, who was then a brother officer on board, says that at the time of the battle of Navarino they were so near the scene of action as to hear the firing of the guns.

But the work which chiefly enlisted the ardor of the young officers and crew, was the pursuit of Greek pirates in the archipelago. The Mediterranean had been, to the shame of Europe, infested for centuries with pirates, whose stronghold was on the Barbary coast. So secure had they become that they were not only defiant of the navies of Europe, but even strong powers stooped so low as to pay them tribute, that their commerce might be spared from depredation. This shameful state of things was not checked till 1816, when an English fleet, under Lord Exmouth, bombarded Algiers, and laid a large part of the city in ruins. The work was completed by the French in 1830, when the city was captured, and the country made a province of France.

Further up the Mediterranean there was a portion of the sea which lay in the track of ships going to and fro, which was infested with Greek pirates. The Greeks are natural sailors, skimming the sea, which almost surrounds their country, with their boats and small vessels. And as in times of war and revolution there is a spirit of lawlessness abroad, the sea-rovers easily turned into corsairs, and from being privateers sent to fight against the Turks, they fell to preying on the commerce of all nations. It was no easy matter to ferret them out, for they were easily concealed among the numerous islands. The Warren, which was a sloop of war, being light and swift, was detailed for that purpose. I remember, when a boy, hearing my brother, who had lately returned from the East, relate one of his adventures. The freebooters had soon discovered the presence of an armed ship, which it might not be so easy to scuttle and sink, and kept out of her way. Weary of waiting for them to come out of their hiding places, the Warren withdrew to a port where she was completely disguised. Her sides were painted over to conceal her port-holes, and every means known to seamen used to disguise her true character. Thus completely masked, she took her course once more among the islands, having all the appearance of a heavy-laden merchantman bound for Smyrna. Scarcely had she passed a certain point when a suspicious vessel put out in her wake, and commenced pursuit. As if fearing capture, the Warren crowded all sail to make her escape, but at the same time heavy weights were hung over the bow to check her progress. The pirate gained rapidly, till she came so near as to be almost ready to board, when in an instant the port-holes flew open, the guns were run out, and the innocent merchantman poured in such a deadly broadside that in a few minutes the pirate, with all on board, went to the bottom.*

From the Warren the young midshipman was transferred to the frigate Java. After four years he returned to the United

*Commodore Glasson says that his shipmate Field was often picked out for adventurous expeditions in hunting the pirates out of their hiding places along the coast. A recent note from him gives some details which are interesting. He says:

"Midshipman Timothy B. Field was ordered, in 1826, to the U. S. sloop-of-war Warren, Commander Lawrence Kearney, on a cruise of three years to the Mediterranean. On his arrival at Port Mahon, Majorca, she was dispatched to the archipelago to give protection to our commerce, as a war was raging in Greece, to free itself from the Ottoman yoke. The island of Scio had recently been invaded by a large Turkish force, and 40,000 of its inhabitants—men, women and children—massacred. The Greek cause produced a great excitement in the United States. The most prominent of its advocates was Mr. Webster. On the part of England Lord Byron went himself to Greece, where he died in 1824, in the fortified town of Missolonghi. But the Greeks, like all other people engaged in civil war, became lamentably demoralized. For while in the United States we were pleading their cause, and giving succor, our commerce in that part of the world was suffering from their piratical attacks. They openly, at midday, in sight of their towns, plundered our vessels on their way from Smyrna to the United States.

"Commander Kearney had had command of the brig Enterprise and ship Decoy in the West Indies, and been famous for his efficiency in the suppression of piracy. He had in the Warren first-class officers and men; and among the young officers Field was always noted for his conspicuous activity and gallantry in all the boat expeditions when an assault or seizure of stolen property was to be made.

"Tim, as he was always called by his brother officers, was very amiable, and had sterling qualities of head and heart. JOHN J. GLASSON,

Commodore U. S. Navy."

States; and in July, 1831, resigned his commission, though he was recognized by all who knew him as a brilliant and promising young officer. Capt. William L. Hudson, of the navy, in a letter to the writer of this brief memorial, says: "It affords me very great pleasure to say that your brother Timothy was a midshipman and shipmate of mine some three years in the Mediterranean, in the United States ship Warren, then under command of the present Commodores Kearney and Skinner. I have unfortunately lost my journals of that interesting cruise by shipwreck, or I could have furnished you with many recorded anecdotes of your brother Tim Field, as he was familiarly called by his messmates. Suffice it to say he was exceedingly 'clever,' in the English acceptation of that term, and the very life and soul of the ship. He was brave to a fault, and always ready to do 'with a will' any duty assigned him. I looked upon him at that time as an officer of great promise, and well calculated to earn a name and reputation that would have been no less gratifying to the navy than to his family and friends." After leaving the navy, he made a voyage around the world in a merchant ship. He returned in 1836, and soon embarked again for South America, and is supposed to have been lost in the gulf of Mexico. A monument was erected to his memory by his brothers, in the village cemetery at Stockbridge.

2074. x. STEPHEN JOHNSON, b. July 11, 1815; d. Dec. 2, 1815.

1006. REV. TIMOTHY FIELD (Timothy, David, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Sept. 28, 1775; m. Jan. 3, 1801, Wealthy Bishop, of Madison, b. July 9, 1773; d. April 17, 1814; dau. of Josiah and Ann (Compton); m., 2d, Jan. 1, 1815, Mrs. Susannah (Pomeroy) Luck, dau. of Timothy and Anna (Ashley), b. March 4, 1777; d. Jan. 10, 1864. He was fitted for college by his pastor, Rev. Dr. John Elliott, and entered Yale in 1793. He was distinguished by his correct moral habits, close application to study and fine scholarship. When his class was graduated in 1797, he delivered the oration on "Theoretical Philosophy," which the historians of his class, Hon. Thomas Day, of Hartford, for many years secretary of the State of Connecticut, and the Rev. James Murdock, D.D., said, "would be remembered as long as any of his hearers survived." One who was present, said: "I have attended many commencements, but I never saw the audience so much moved and gratified as on this occasion." It was afterward published in Boston. He studied theology with President Dwight, and was licensed to preach by the Eastern Association of New Haven, Conn., May 28, 1799. On the recommendation of President Dwight, he was invited to Canandaigua, N. Y., then a small town, where a church had recently been organized of eighteen members. He was installed pastor, Feb. 27, 1800, and was dismissed at his own request about June, 1805. Jan. 30, 1807, he was settled in the west parish at Westminster, Vt., where he remained the pastor twenty-eight years, till 1835. His ministry there was eminently successful and useful. Though the parish was not a large one, he received into the church 375 persons. After his dismission, he continued for a few years to live among the people, by whom he was greatly respected and beloved. In 1830 he was a member of the Constitutional Convention of the State of Vermont.

The serene and cheerful character of his piety is well indicated in a sentence or two from a letter, written after his death by the minister who succeeded him as pastor of the church at Westminster. It was addressed to his son: "I need not tell

you that I feel the loss of your father very much. I can mourn with you, for he was a father to me. While he lived, I always knew where I could spend an hour happily and profitably. His cheerful countenance has often made me glad. There could be no melancholy where he was. I enjoyed his society much, and hope long to remember his instructions and profit by his example. During the last year of his life, he had often spoken to me of his departure from the world. He viewed death as near. It seemed to be a pleasure to him to think of it, and his countenance glowed with joy while he conversed about heaven."

He could take a joke and give one. He once went to the polls to vote for State officers, when an opponent expressed his surprise at seeing the minister at such a place, remarking that he supposed Mr. Field's interest was in that "kingdom which is not of this world." Mr. Field quickly replied: "Can't a man vote without he belongs to the kingdom of Satan?"

Several interesting stories connected with Mr. Field and his ministry have become traditional among us. One of them has reference to his installation in January, 1807. Such an event was made much of in those days. The council met in the house of Deacon Ramsey in the afternoon of the 20th, and the installation services were on the 21st. In the evening there was what has always been called the "ordination ball." It came off in the hotel, kept then by Ebenezer Goodhue, near the present residence of Mrs. G. W. Chandler. The large two-story building has now disappeared, and the spot is overgrown with tangled briars and brushwood. The hotel keeper was the son of Rev. Josiah Goodhue, the first settled minister of Putney, and he was afterward an honored deacon of the church; his son, Josiah T., afterward for many years pastor of churches in Williston and Shoreham, managed the bar; another young man, who became also a minister, furnished the music or a part of it, and Calvin Hitchcock, who entered the ministry and received the degree of D.D., was chief among the dancers. Dr. Hitchcock, in after years, used to tell the story with great hilarity, as illustrative of the times. He said that Mr. Field was installed with plenty of liquor and a grand ordination ball; that it was held in the tavern of a deacon; that a minister dealt out the toddy; that a second minister scraped the fiddle, and that a doctor of divinity led the dance. It may be remarked that none of them were such at the time, that it is not stated the members of the council or even any of the church people were present; but the fact that a ball came off at that time and was called the ordination ball serves to show that public sentiment was not then what it became at a later time.

The number of the church members was small, not much exceeding fifty. But the population of the parish was large, and as nearly all attended church in those days, the congregation was doubtless larger than can be found to-day at any church in the county. A list of pew holders is in evidence now, containing 100 names. As families were larger, it is believed that audiences of four or five hundred were often present. Mr. Field was not a great orator, but he was regarded as a faithful and acceptable preacher. His sermons were considered short, as they were for those days, plain, often spicy.

Mr. Field secured the affection and good-will of his people and his work among them was greatly blessed for twenty-eight years. Remarkable revivals occurred on four occasions, by which 225 persons were brought into the church upon confession, 93 joining at one time in 1824. Directly after that his church was presumably the largest in New England.

During his ministry and under his direction the Sunday-school was started and grew strong; a missionary society was organized, such as is not found in other churches in the vicinity, and has been continued to the present time; and a temperance movement was entered upon, but not upon a total-abstinence platform

which it is understood the ministers and some of the leading men in the place did not favor. At least three printed sermons of Mr. Field's are in existence; two of them were preached forenoon and afternoon of Nov. 7, 1824, the day of the great reception of members, and the other at the dedication of the new church, Nov. 12, 1829, which replaced the former building, burned just ten months before.

After retiring from the ministry on Jan. 1, 1865, Mr. Field continued to reside in his large mansion south of the church. His mental powers and his last days were clouded. He died at the age of seventy, and his remains rest in the cemetery hard by the church which stands upon the ancient lot. With the open windows of summer, the preacher's voice could be easily heard where they lie.

He d. in Brattleboro, Vt., Feb. 22, 1844. Res. Canandaigua, N. Y., and Westminster, Vt.

2075. i. ALFRED BISHOP, b. Oct. 26, 1801; m. Eliza H. Martin and Ann Field Beals.
2076. ii. WEALTHY ANN, b. April 8, 1804; d. April 20, 1814.
2077. iii. MARY, b. Sept. 23, 1807; m. Aug. 15, 1825, Dr. Henry Orcutt, of Westhampton, Mass.
2078. iv. TIMOTHY, b. June 8, 1811; m. Hannah Mosher.
2079. v. JOSIAH, b. June 13, 1813; d. April 16, 1814.
2080. vi. SERENO, b. Aug. 19, 1815; m. Juliette Reed and Sarah S. Rudd.
2081. vii. LORENZO, b. Aug. 19, 1815; m. Phœbe Ann Atchison and Martha Townshend.
2082. viii. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 5, 1817; m. Miriam Rogers.

1019. REUBEN FIELD (Reuben, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Litchfield, Vt., 1792; m. Belleville, Ontario, Eliza L. Lazaraw, b. 1816; d. April 1, 1894, Cleveland, O. He d. February, 1872. Res. Belleville, Ontario, and Erie, Pa.

2083. i. REUBEN ADAM, b. July 9, 1834; m. Amanda Deetz.
2084. ii. BENJAMIN C., b. Sept. 16, 1836; m. Eliza A. Jackson.
2085. iii. WILLIAM K., b. ——; m. and res. 92 Beechwood St., Cleveland, O.
2086. iv. CYLUS F., b. ——.

1019¼. CAPTAIN MICHAEL FIELD (Michael, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Palmyra, N. Y., June 8, 1806; m. in Vienna, N. Y., Sept. 12, 1833, Ann Reynolds; d. Sept. 17, 1874; m., 2d, in 1878, Mrs. Harriet Brockway Lee, s. p. Mr. Field was born in Palmyra, N. Y., June 8, 1806, of Connecticut parents. His father dying when he was but seven years old, he was brought up in the family of Gen. Philetas Swift, of Revolutionary fame. He learned the milling business in Rochester, and carried it on in Elba Mills, N. Y. He removed to Milwaukee in 1844, thence to Racine county, where he resided until 1861, when he was appointed register of the United States land office, at St. Croix Falls, which office he held for twenty-six years. On his retirement he purchased a residence in Taylor's Falls. During his long and eventful life, he held many offices of trust; captain of militia, commissioner for removing the Oneidas, member of the board of education, city treasurer of Racine, and register of the land office, in all which he showed his great honesty.

The St. Croix Falls paper said: "For a number of years he was a resident of Racine, this state. He came to St. Croix Falls in 1861, receiving the appointment of register of the United States land office from the Lincoln administration and retained his office for more than twenty-five years, until the Cleveland administration came into power.—Mr. Field was a man of strong convictions and not adverse to giving them expression—he was scrupulously honest in all his dealings—both in pri-

vate and official life he was above reproach. One son, Hon. Norton J. Field, three daughters; one the wife of ex-Senator Nason, of this village, the Misses Phebe and Mary, who reside in New York, and his second wife, survive him. The remains were buried at St. Croix Falls on Monday, Rev. Peabody officiating."

He d. in Taylor's Falls, Minn., Feb. 6, 1892. Res. Elba, N. Y., and Racine, Wis.

2086⅛. i. SILAS WRIGHT, b. July 14, 1835; m. Nellie M. Jacobs.

2086¼. ii. NORTON JAMES, b. Sept. 26, 1839. He came to Racine in 1846, where he received a college education and graduated; he enlisted in April, 1861, in Company F, Second Wisconsin infantry; was second lieutenant, and took part in all battles fought by his regiment, until he was discharged at Annapolis, in June, 1862; he was elected member of the legislature in 1876, 1877 and 1879, the last time receiving 1,443 votes against 1,110 polled for his opponent. He is a Knight Templar of the Masonic order. Was postmaster at Racine for several years; unm. Res. Globe Hotel, Milwaukee, Wis.

2086⅜. iii. FANNY ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 11, 1840; m. April 2, 1887, Hon. Joel Foster Nason. He was b. Aug. 31, 1827; was senator from Polk county, Wisconsin. She resides at Croix Falls, Wis., s. p.

2086½. iv. PHEBE ANNA, b. Feb. 14, 1842; unm. Res. 54 Carroll St., Trenton, N. J.

2086¾. v. MARY CLARISSA, b. Nov. 25, 1848. The career of Miss Mary C. Field, who is in charge of the drawing department of the state schools at Trenton, N. J., presents some interesting features. Her activity in her chosen field has been attended with valuable services which have given her a prestige which she now enjoys among her co-workers. Her school work began at Long Branch, where she was the first person to systematize the work in art and where she first attracted attention as a teacher of drawing for the marked artistic feeling she imparted to her pupils. As an instructor she has also a clear understanding of the relation of drawing, not only to the higher phases of art, but also to the industries. The students taking work under her are not disappointed when they undertake its application in architecture, mechanical or illustrative drawing. She is successful not only in holding her pupils to work, but in cultivating a taste and love for the work itself. In fact, her power in discipline is the outgrowth of the latter, largely. Under her instruction not only have all the students reached a good degree of intelligence and executive power in drawing, but a large number have become specialists. Miss Field was among the first in this country to introduce color in the primary work, and remarkable results have been gained in the attempts of the children to represent some of the simpler flowers—painting, of course, from nature. This course of painting in the primary grades has established the fact that the color-sense is stronger in proportion with the little children than with older students. She has been a valuable factor at teachers' institutes and conventions in presenting methods, suggestions and aids in art education. Miss Field is a native of Wisconsin. She was born at Racine.

2086⅞. vi. JAMES, b. June 2, 1837; d. Oct. 16, 1837.

1021. REUBEN FIELD (Reuben, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Athens, Vt., Jan. 10, 1786. He removed, in 1816, to Brattleboro, Vt., in 1817 to Groveland, Livingston county, N. Y., where he d. Nov. 23, 1865. He m. March 7, 1810, Mary Green, dau. of Ebenezer and Mary (Green) Ober, of Athens, Vt., b. May 4, 1788; d. Oct. 5, 1869. Res. Groveland, N. Y.

2087. i. ELIZA O., b. Nov. 20, 1810; m. Feb. 12, 1833, Zadoc B. Grover, of Danville, N. Y.

2088. ii. MARY G., b. Oct. 2, 1812; m. Feb. 13, 1830, Heman Brewer, of Groveland, N. Y.

2089. iii. LEONARD B., b. March 30, 1821; unm. Res. Sparta, N. Y.

1022. LUTHER FIELD (Reuben, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Athens, Vt., Sept. 17, 1787. He settled, in 1805, in Brattleboro, Vt.; in 1811 removed to Putney, Vt.; in 1813 to Dummerston, Vt.; in 1816 returned to Brattleboro; in 1824 removed to Henrietta, Monroe county, N. Y., where he d. Feb. 14, 1861. He m. Jan. 15, 1808, Priscilla, dau. of George and Priscilla Ware, of Putney, Vt., b. Nov. 15, 1788; d. July 10, 1877. Res. Henrietta, N. Y.

2090. i. LYMAN, b. Oct. 9, 1808; d. unm., in Gates, N. Y., March 14, 1857.

2091. ii. LUCY, b. Sept. 19, 1810; m. June 30, 1830, Asahel Eldridge, of Rochester, N. Y.; d. Oct. 10, 1874.

2092. iii. CHESTER, b. Aug. 16, 1812; m. Eliza Perkins.

2093. iv. NANCY, b. July 7, 1814; m. Sept. 12, 1832, Jesse Dewey, of Gates, N. Y.; d. May 10, 1877. He was son of Thomas, b. Jan. 1, 1809, at Elderbury, N. Y. He is a farmer and resides Bergen, N. Y. After his first wife's death he m., 2d, Nov. 6, 1878, Cynthia Field, b. at Bergen, Feb. 22, 1827. Ch.: 1. Charlotte, b. Dec. 7, 1833; m. 1869, Wesley Nelson, of Sweden, N. Y. She d. Jan. 8, 1896, at the home of her brother, Luther. 2. Thomas Henry, b. March 19, 1836; m. Addie Emerson. Ch.: (a) Jennie; d., aged fourteen years. A farmer; res. Churchville, N. Y. 3. Ann Maria, b. June 6, 1838; m. Rev. George Stratton, a Methodist minister. Res. Webster, N. Y. 4. Lucy Jane, b. Aug. 4, 1840; d. young. 5. Abigail Field, b. Feb. 24, 1843; m. Wesley Nelson. Ch.: (a) Charles W.; res. Brockport, N. Y. 6. Martin Luther, b. July 2, 1845; a farmer in Churchville, N. Y.; m. Naomi Smith. 7. Sophia Ruth, b. May 26, 1848; m. George R. Craver, of Rochester, N. Y., s. p. 8. Mary Jane, b. Feb. 22, 1851; d. in infancy.

2094. v. HENRY, b. Aug. 25, 1816; m. Eliza Higgins.

2095. vi. ANN, b. Nov. 10, 1818; m. April 1, 1840, Edwin Howard, of Gates, N. Y.; d. June 26, 1845.

2096. vii. PRISCILLA, b. Oct. 28, 1820; m. March 20, 1845.

2097. viii. ABIGAIL, b. July 24, 1822; d. July 18, 1842.

2098. ix. SOPHIA, b. March 20, 1824; d. April 20, 1845.

2099. x. MARTIN, b. Aug. 20, 1826; d. in Los Angeles, Cal., April 1, 1856, unm.

2100. xi. HARRIET, b. Aug. 28, 1828. Resided in Lockport, N. Y.

1024. CAPTAIN PEDIJAH FIELD (Bennett, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Ferrin), b. in Athens, Vt., 1779. Probably removed to Walpole, N. H. A sea captain; went to sea and never heard from. He m. —— Weld. Res. Walpole, N. H.

2101. i. A DAUGHTER, b. ——; m. John M. Masters; removed to state of New York.

2102. ii. A DAUGHTER, b. ——; m. —— Andrews, of Walpole, N. H.

1028. MAJOR LEVI FIELD (Bennett, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Athens, Vt., July 20, 1790. He removed to St. Johnsbury, Vt., and then to Newport, Vt., where he d. Jan. 20, 1877. He m. in 1813, Experience Allen, dau. of Benjamin and Experience Dean, of Athens, Vt., b. in Guilford, Vt., June 6, 1795; d. April 16, 1872. She was a cousin of Gen. Ethan Allen. He was a blacksmith by trade. His wife was a Dean. Her mother was an Allen. A near relative of Gen. Ethan Allen. He was a drum major in the war of 1812. Major Field was in the battle of Plattsburg, N. Y. His father's father was Bennett Field. He soon removed to Vermont and staid there until his death Res. Barnet and West Derby, Vt.

2103. i. HENRY MARTYNE, b. Sept. 6, 1814.

2104. ii. LUCINDA OLIVE, b. 1816; m April 8, 1835, Summer Frost, of Newport, Vt. She d. Aug 7, 1849.

2105. iii. SOLOMON MORTIMER, b. Nov. 16, 1818; m. Louisa Sias.

2106. iv. JAMES MONROE, b. Feb. 12, 1821; m. Hannah G. Shafter.

2107. v. FREDERICK M., b. Jan. 14, 1823.

2108. vi. LEVI FERRIN, b. Aug. 5, 1827; m. Emily M. Atkinson and Lusetta M. Frizelle.

2109. vii. BENNETT BARNARD, b. Sept. 24, 1824; m. Clarissa Lindsey.

2110. viii. LEONARD D., b. July 27, 1831; m. and resides Highlands, Denver, Col.

2111. ix. LORINDA OCTAVA, b. July 27, 1833; m. Dec. 13, 1856, Lewis Fish. Res. West Derby, Vt.

2112. x. TRYPHENIA, b. Sept. 10, 1835; m. —— Magoon.

2113. xi. TRYPHOSIA, b. Sept. 10, 1835; d. Aug. 9, 1839.

2114. xii. LOUISA JANE, b. March 2, 1844; d. Aug. 26, 1849.

1031. JOHN FIELD (John, Padijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, June 3, 1781; m. in 1806, Nancy McCarthy, dau. of Lemuel, b. May 31, 1783; d. Feb. 7, 1861. He was a carpenter. He d. Oct. 14, 1862. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2115. i. EMILY M., b. June 5, 1807; d. unm. April 16, 1841.

2116. ii. HARRIET M., b. Sept. 10, 1809; m. Henry Holton. Son Simeon, b. Sept. 22, 1809.

2117. iii. JOHN CHANDLER, b. Oct. 3, 1811; m. Mrs. Abby Lord Harris.

2118. iv. ESTHER G., b. Nov. 4, 1813; m. Samuel S. Holton, son of Samuel, b. Dec. 8, 1811.

2119. v. FREDERICK H., b. April 30, 1816; m. Charlotte Doolittle.

2120. vi. SIBYL ANN, b. Dec. 20, 1819; d. Oct. 11, 1822.

1032. OLIVER FIELD (John, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Feb. 11, 1783; m. in 1807, Rhoda* Loveland, dau. of Thomas, who was b. Hebron, Conn., March 13, 1750. He was a cordwainer. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2121. i. ELVIRA, b. Dec. 28, 1808; m. Avery Priest, son of Calvin, of Harvard.

2122. ii. HERVEY C., b. Jan. 20, 1811; m. Martha Stearns.

*Another record calls her Jerusha.

2123. iii. RHODA, b. Feb. 23, 1813; m. Seth Holton, son of Simeon, b. June 12, 1812. Res. Athol.

2124. iv. SOPHIA A., b. Sept. 12, 1815; d. Oct. 2, 1822.

2125. v. GRATIA, b. Jan. 4, 1818; d. Feb. 4, 1818.

2126. vi. GRATIA, b. Aug. 6, 1819; m. May 26, 1842, Joseph Hubbard. He was b. Brimfield, Mass., May 27, 1820; d. Feb. 28, 1894. She d. Spring Lake, Minn., Oct. 26, 1864. He voted for the first Republican nominee for President and for every succeeding one until his death. Ch.: 1. Emma S., b. Jan. 21, 1843; m. March 25, 1869, Abner S. Marshall, b. Aug. 7, 1835. He is a farmer. Res. Crow River, Minn. Ch.: (a) Joseph B. Marshall, b. Dec. 31, 1869. (b) Mabel C. Marshall, b. May 27, 1872. (c) Lewis C., b. July 15, 1875. (d) Frank Y., b. June 30, 1878. (e) Annie H., b. Dec. 7, 1884. All born at Union Grove, Minn., except Annie, who was born at Westpon, S. Dakota. All live at Crow River, Minn., except Annie, who died Oct. 28, 1897. Only J. B. is married. 2. Edward J., b. Feb. 2, 1847; m. July, 1869. Address, Ellendale, N. Dakota. 3. Cruisa Estella, b. Dec. 27, 1856; d. Dec. 7, 1865, at Spring Lake.

2127. vii. LUCIUS O., b. Feb. 13, 1822; d. Oct. 16, 1822.

2128. viii. LUCIUS O., b. Jan. 20, 1824; m. Rhoda Field.

2129. ix. GEORGE E., b. Feb. 20, 1830; d. unm.

1033. ELIHU FIELD (John, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Dec. 30, 1784; m. Athol, Mass., in 1812, Betsey Stratton, b. in 1793; d. June, 1838, in Wardsboro, Vt. He settled in Wardsboro, Vt., and removed from there into the western country, but returned. He d. March 16, 1847. Res. Wardsboro, Vt.

2130. i. IRA STRATTON, b. Jan. 25, 1813; m. Harrriet Andrews.

2131. ii. SARAH HILL, b. Jan. 25, 1828; m. Sept. 13, 1847, John Stone Haskins. Res. Northfield, Minn. He was b. Feb. 19, 1822; d. Dec. 7, 1897. Ch.: 1. Elesbeth Field, b. September, 1848, Hardwick, Mass.; m. in 1871, William Woods. He d. 1875. She m., 2d, Jan. 8, 1889, Theron W. Johnson. 2. Frank K., b. March 17, 1850; d. May, 1850. 3. Charles Spencer, b. Aug. 27, 1851; d. August, 1852. 4. Edgar Leroy, b. May 27, 1857, Northfield, Minn.; m. January, 1885, in Norton, Minn., Lenore Edgett. Address, Fairfax, Minn. 5. Sarah Maria, b. Feb. 9, 1865; m. Oct. 12, 1885. Address, Mrs. E. E. Huestis, Fergus Falls, Minn. 6. Martin Bridge, or Willie, b. June 11, 1859; d. April, 1863.

2132. iii. MARIA ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 29, 1820; m. Feb. 2, 1842, Chester Newton Ramsdell. He was b. Wardsboro, May 11, 1816; d. Northfield, Minn., April 3, 1893. She d. there April 1, 1893. Ch.: Two children d. in infancy; and Ella Maria, b. July 9, 1846; m. Oct. 30, 1867, Charles H. Watson, b. Oct. 20, 1843. Res. Northfield, Minn. Ch.: (a) Earl H., b. April 28, 1869, Northfield, Minn. (b) Charles E., b. Sept. 10, 1870, Northfield, Minn. (c) Clara M., b. Dec. 1, 1872, Northfield, Minn. (d) Fred J., b. March 20, 1875, Fargo, N. Dakota. (e) Amy F., b. March 16, 1877, Northfield, Minn. (f) Marion E., b. Oct. 2, 1883, Northfield, Minn. (g) Helen F., b. Nov. 6, 1885, Northfield, Minn. All unmarried and all alive.

2133. iv. FRANKLIN, b. ——; m. Zurina Barton.
2134. v. ELIHU HOYT, b. Jan. 13, 1823; m. Maria J. Houghton.
2135. vi. SPENCER, b. ——; m. Cornelia Smith, of Canada. He d. in 188—. She d. in 1852.
2136. vii. PROSPER, b. January, 1831. Left home when a boy, n. f. k.
2136½. viii. SPENCER, b. ——; d. in infancy.

1035. REUBEN FIELD (Nathan, Pedijah, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Oakham, Mass., Aug. 2, 1782; m. Experience Burt, b. in 1784; d. Nov. 5, 1862. He was a farmer. He d. July 10, 1864. Res. Winchester, N. H.

2137. i. DAVIS PLINEY, b. April 4, 1809; m. Polly Edgar and Mary Sophia Sprague.
2138. ii. LENACY, b. March 23, 1805; m. Rufus Hutchinson. She d. April 5, 1895. Their only child is Willard Hutchinson, of 767 State St., Springfield, Mass.
2139. iii. LUVIA, b. ——; m. Samuel Cutting, of Northfield, Mass. She d. in 1887. Their only son is Nathan Cutting, of Baldwinsville, Mass.
2140. iv. NATHAN, b. 1804; m. —— ——.
2141. v. SARAH, b. 1811; m. Ruel Davis. She d. Hinsdale, N. H., Oct. 13, 1857. No issue living.
2142. vi. MINERVA, b. ——; m. James Snow. She d. in October, 1896. A grandson is Charles Snow, at Hinsdale, N. H.
2143. vii. JONATHAN B., b. 1808; m. —— ——.

1041. AMOS FIELD (Amos, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Dorset, Vt., Nov. 12, 1782; m. in Adams, N. Y., Sophia Clary, dau. of Abel, of Adams, N. Y. She d. Beloit, Feb. 5, 1858. He was born in Dorset, Vt., on the Field place, two miles north of the village, where he lived until after his marriage assisting his father on his farm and about his marble quarries. He moved to Adams, N. Y., where he died. He d. in 1829. Res. Dorset, Vt., and Adams, N. Y.

2144. i. SPAFFORD CLARY, b. Aug. 3, 1809; m. Mrs. Martha Ann Cooper.
2145. ii. GEORGE B., b. April 3, 1817; m. Lenora Murphy.
2146. iii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. March 7, 1823; m. Eliza A. Trowbridge.

1047. ALFRED FIELD (Amos, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Amos and Zeoriah (Baldwin), b. in Dorset, Vt., March 15, 1787; d. June 23, 1862. He m. Jan. 12, 1819, Sophronia, dau. of Capt. Isaac and Jerusha (Bowen) Gilbert, of Cavendish, Vt., b. Oct. 26, 1799; d. Aug. 17, 1863. Alfred was the son who remained at home and on whom the care of his parents and younger sisters devolved. He made a journey to Massachusetts and Connecticut in youth, and took, at one time, the contract to clear of lumber a large tract of land at Adams, Jefferson county, N. Y., where his brother, Amos Field, lived, by which he also cleared quite a large sum of money; which was essential to him at that time. He married, in 1819, the fair, sensible daughter of Capt. Isaac and Jerusha (Bowen) Gilbert, of Cavendish, Vt., whose fame had reached him, and gallantly set forth in search of her. Finding that she who awakened his interest, unseen, evoked his admiration and love on becoming acquainted, he happily won her for his wife. It was universally conceded that it had been a fortunate day

for both when they met and loved each other; especially perhaps had it been fortunate for Mr. Field, who was of a sensitive and ambitious temperment, inclined to take life too seriously and too hopelessly, the attitude of a mind that has thought acutely without the advantages of attrition with other minds, and has been too full of care. His wife, on the other hand, was just twenty-two years of age, a young woman accustomed to the execution of affairs, of decisive habits of thought, of great humor and amiability. She brought with her a freedom of thought, a sanguine outlook upon life, and expectation of success. A notable woman in any age, but especially so in those days of melancholy religious dogmatism and limited intelligence. It is refreshing to know that out of the shadows of that time she should have been named Sophronia, and have had a sister Clorinda, and another Diana, and a brother Oliver, names gleaned from the enchanting pages of Latin and Mediæval romance. Her character and perfect health were tonic, and made the farmhouse an enticing spot to all the friends and cousins, while her thrift and industry matched her husband's. Four children came to bless them, and to blend to an uncommon degree in the record of four lives those admirable characteristics that met in their father and mother. Res. Dorset, Vt.

2147. i. FREDERICK, b. Oct. 12, 1820; m. Mary H. Bacon.
2148. ii. JEANETTIE, b. Sept. 19, 1822; m. May 9, 1844, James H. Goodrich, of Albion, N. Y., now Waterloo, Iowa.
2149. iii. CHARLES, b. Dec. 1, 1825; m. Henrietta Armstrong.
2150. iv. ELLEN, b. May 15, 1828; unm. Res. Waterloo, Iowa.

1048. SPAFFORD FIELD (Amos, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Amos and Zeoriah (Baldwin), b. in Dorset, Vt., March 28, 1789. He removed to Weedsport, Orleans county, N. Y., where he d. Dec. 21, 1869. He m. Oct. 6, 1811, Sally Cushman, dau. of Samuel and Abigail (Raymond) Collins, of Dorset, Vt., b. Aug. 8, 1794; d. May 18, 1874.

Spafford Field was born in Dorset, on the old Field place, and while a young man became interested in the marble business. The Dorset quarries were first opened in 1785, and soon an extensive business in this line was built up. The early quarrymen labored under great disadvantages, for the want of proper machinery to saw the marble. The first attempt at sawing was made by Spafford Field, about 1818. He put in operation a gang of saws, on the site occupied by Major Hawley's mills, in South Dorset. This first mill was constructed in accordance with the best knowledge then possessed on the subject, but it could saw but very little marble. However, soon after great improvements were made. In 1829 he moved to Weedsport.

Mr. Field was married when he was twenty-one years of age to Sarah Cushman Collins, who was seventeen years of age. Early in the twenties they moved from Dorset, Vt., with their five children, to Brutus—now Weedsport—New York. Two children were born there. In 1829 they went to Albion, where they lived permanently. Two children were born here. Mr. Field died there, December, 1869, aged eighty years. Coming to a new country, as he did, without a fortune and a large family of children to educate, he used in the early days to occasionally have the "Field blues." Although there was a seminary and an academy there after his coming, all but the youngest child were sent away to school. As he advanced in years he overcame this, and lived a very happy old age with his children, grandchildren and three great-grandchildren near him. He had a remarkably amiable disposition; was a lovely Christian gentleman. One man, a lawyer, told a friend after his death, that he "would be a happy man could he be so sure of heaven as he was sure that Mr. Field was there." "He never had an enemy," one said. He was an upright, industrious man, an exemplary Christian, and was rewarded for his

industry by a competence for his declining years, and by the esteem of all his acquaintances.

Res. Weedsport, N. Y.

2151. i. ABIGAIL SOPHRONIA, b. Nov. 6, 1812; m. June 10, 1835, Elizur Hart, of Albion; d. Feb. 11, 1847.

2152. ii. JANE ELIZA, b. June 8, 1814; m. April 6, 1836, Henry A. King, of Albion; d. March 11, 1848.

2153. iii. BENJAMIN COLLINS, b. June 12, 1816; d. unm.

2154. iv. NORMAN SPAFFORD, b. May 26, 1818; m. Sarah D. Baker, Mary G. Baker and Mary Wolcott.

2155. v. HULDAH JANETT, b. April 6, 1820; m. October, 1853, Henry A. King, of Albion.

2156. vi. SAMUEL COLLINS, b. Oct. 24, 1823; d. Nov. 29, 1824.

2157. vii. SARAH FRANCIS, b. Nov. 27, 1826; m. June, 1849, George Harris, of Glenns Falls, N. Y. She d. May 25, 1898, in San Francisco.

2158. viii. ELLEN ZEORIAH, b. Nov. 7, 1831; unm. Res. Albion, N. Y.; formerly art teacher.

2159. ix. AGNES AMELIA, b. Nov. 6, 1833; unm. Res. Mankato, Kans.

1052. BENNETT FIELD (Bennett, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Pierce), b. in Mansfield, Conn., Oct. 12, 1778. He came with his father, in 1798, to Berlin, Vt.; removed to Pennsylvania, where he d. July 8, 1854. He m. Dec. 4, 1805, Lucinda, dau. of —— Fox, b. Oct. 11, 1778; d. Jan. 10, 1867. Res. in Pennsylvania.

2160. i. LOUISA, b. Nov. 23, 1806; m. Feb. 20, 1830, George Mathews, of Chatauqua, N. Y.; d. in 1838.

2161. ii. LOVISA, b. July 4, 1809.

2162. iii. ALPHEUS, b. Oct. 25, 1811; m. Mary Averill and Mary Chapin.

2163. iv. MARY STRICKLAND, b. July 14, 1814; m. Feb. 22, 1838, Amzi Pickett, of Scott, Cortland county, N. Y.

2164. v. OLIVE MARIA, b. Nov. 29, 1815; d. 1834.

2165. vi. MARCIA LOVINA, b. May 29, 1820; m. Feb. 22, 1840, Calvin Baldwin, of Amity, Erie county, Penn.

2166. vii. MABEL LUCENA, b. 1822; m. Oct. 14, 1841, Harvey Norton, of Quasquota, Iowa; d. July 15, 1872.

1055. DEA. ALPHEUS FIELD (Bennett, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Bennett and Elizabeth (Pierce), b. in Mansfield, Conn., Dec. 4, 1785. He settled in Berlin, Vt., where he died. A prominent business man in town. He m. March 26, 1815, Rhoda, dau. of Jonathan and Rhoda (Bailey) Emerson, of Berlin, b. in Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 15, 1787; d. June 8, 1876. Alpheus Field was born in Coventry, or Mansfield, Conn.; came to Berlin, Vt., with his parents when about fifteen years of age; was married March 26, 1815, to Rhoda Emerson, of Haverhill, Mass. He was a farmer, and a contractor and builder. In politics was a Whig, and later a staunch Republican; was a deacon in the Congregational church of Berlin for many years. He d. Feb. 15, 1865. Res. Berlin, Vt.

2167. i. ALPHEUS DENISON, b. May 24, 1817; a physician; d. in Jericho, Vt., Nov. 29, 1884.

2168. ii. SAMUEL MILTON, b. Feb. 15, 1819; m. Abigail House.

2169. iii. ANDREW EMERSON, b. Dec. 21, 1820; m. Clarinda Nelson.

2170. iv. WILLIAM HENRY, b. Oct. 12, 1822; m. Amanda M. Whitney.

2171. v. CORNELIUS ARCHIMEDES, b. Feb. 4, 1825; m. Maria Dewey.

2172. vi. HARRIET GEORGIANA, b. April 20, 1828; m. 1853, Dr. Frederick Freeman Hovey, of Jericho, Vt. He was b. Thetford, Vt., Jan. 16, 1826; d. Jericho, Vt., March 7, 1872; was a physician. Ch. 1. Harriet Rhoda Hovey, b. June 12, 1858; m. April 6, 1892, Charles F. Higgins. Address, 67 Church St., Springfield, Mass. 2. Gertrude Frederika Hovey, b. Aug. 17, 1862; m. March 31, 1886. Eugene B. Jordan. Address Jericho Centre, Vt.

1057. SETH PIERCE FIELD (Bennett, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Bennett and Elizabeth Pierce, b. in Mansfield, Conn., March 9, 1791; settled in Berlin, Vt., and removed to Northfield, Vt., where he d. Dec. 11, 1867; was a farmer; he m., Jan. 18, 1815, Sarah, dau. of Simeon and Sarah (Wood) Closson, of Thetford, Vt., b. June 24, 1794; d. July 11, 1836; m., 2d, Oct. 9, 1837, Nancy, dau. of Moses and Anna (Mason) Lane, b. May 5, 1800; d. ——. Res. Berlin and Bennington, Vt.

2173. i. CAROLINE SAWYER, b. June 8, 1817; m., March 17, 1839, Thompson Jacobs; m., 2d, December, 1840, Joseph G. Langdon; m., 3d, Nov. 7, 1855, Thomas G. Knight, of Independence, Iowa; she d. Sept. 29, 1889. Knight was b. Worcester, Mass., Nov. 27, 1795; was a farmer, and d. March 1, 1881. Ch.: 1. Daniel Thompson Jacobs, b. Dec. 27, 1839; d. April 23, 1873. 2. Burton Everington Langdon, b. Sept. 21, 1841; address, Fort Scott, Kansas. 3. Inez Emma Knight, b. April 23, 1859; address, Independence, Iowa.

2174. ii. SIMON CLOSSON, b. Sept. 15, 1820; m. Rhoda W. Lord.

2175. iii. ROXANA ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 6, 1824; m. April 29, 1848, Levi C. McPherson, of Hanover, N. H. Res. Lebanon, N. H.

2176. iv. LUCY PARKER, b. Nov. 11, 1828; m. March 4, 1848, John Colburn Kimball, of Anamosa, Iowa. Res. Council Bluffs, Iowa, 711 South 7th street. He was b. Lowell, Mass., March 4, 1848; d. Aug. 31, 1895. Ch.: 1. Florence L. Kimball, b. Oct. 15, 1851, at Westfield, N. Y.; d. Feb. 14, 1864. 2. Willis H., b. Aug. 19, 1856; m. April 16, 1883. Res., Council Bluffs, 714 South 6th street; machinist. 3. Charles E., b. June 4, 1859; m. June 24, 1883. Res., Council Bluffs, 716 South 6th street; machinist. 4. Clement F., b. Aug. 11, 1868; m. Sept. 1, 1892. Res., Council Bluffs, 711 South 7th street.

2177. v. SARAH WOOD, b. Jan. 3, 1832; m. Nov. 19, 1872, Aaron B. Pond, of Keene, N. H.; d. Jan. 29, 1873.

2178. vi. HANNAH MELISSA, b. April 5, 1834; m. April 11, 1854, Ebenezer R. Kellogg, of Hanover, N. H. Ebenezer R. Kellogg, b. Dec. 31, 1830, in Montpelier, Vt.; d. March 6, 1891, in Hanover, N. H., son of Ebenezer S. and Roxana (Reed) Kellogg. He m. Hannah M. Field, of Northfield, Vt.; the marriage occurred in Montpelier, Vt.; their two living children reside in Hanover, N. H.

2179. vii. DAVID DANA, b. March 12, 1836; m. Laura A. Dewey.

2180. viii. MOSES LANE, b. Sept. 10, 1840; m. Susan B. Silsby.

1060. REV. HEZEKIAH FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Sept. 3, 1774; he removed in 1806 to Houndsfield, Jefferson

county, N. Y.; d. in Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1845; a Methodist minister; he m. Keturah Ransom, of Woodstock, Vt.; no issue.

1061. JUDGE ELIJAH FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 2, 1776; he settled in Ballstown, N. Y., in 1810; removed to Sacket Harbor, Jefferson county, N. Y., where he d. Feb. 6, 1867; he was postmaster at Sacket Harbor from 1812 to 1821; judge of Jefferson county several years; he was a prominent man and took an active part in the war of 1812-15; he m. in 1798, Esther Butler, of New Bedford, Mass., b. Dec. 9, 1772; d. Feb. 8, 1850. She was a superior and interesting woman. Res. Sacket Harbor, N. Y.

2181. i. LAURA, b. May 15, 1799; m. April 20, 1820, David Millington, of Sacket Harbor.

2182. ii. ALANSON, b. Jan. 27, 1801; m. Harriet Goodrich.

2183. iii. THOMAS JEFFERSON, b. Feb. 5, 1812; he was a volunteer officer in the Florida war; d. May 6, 1837, while on a voyage to the East Indies; was buried on the Island of Madagascar.

1063. REV. LEBBEUS FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 2, 1780, he removed in 1806 to Houndsfield, Jefferson county, N. Y., where he resided; nearly blind and deaf; a "Christian" preacher and one of the first to promulgate that doctrine and the first to preach it in the State of New York; he continued in the ministry until eighty years of age; d. Sept. 6, 1879; he m. June 6, 1803, Eunice, dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth (Snow) Warren, of Woodstock, b. Sept. 12, 1777; d. July 25, 1865. Res. Houndsfield, N. Y.

2184. i. ALMIRA, b. March 7, 1804; m. Oct., 1826, Austin Mattison, of Watertown, N. Y.; she d. December, 1888.

2185. ii. HEZEKIAH, b. Oct. 11, 1811; m. Lucy W. Hayes.

2186. iii. ELIZA, b. May 4, 1813; m. Feb. 13, 1836, Rev. George Sumner Warren, of Watertown, N. Y.; d. June 12, 1874. Rev. George Sumner Warren, was b. at Hanover N. H., Feb. 14, 1809. He descended from ancestors who were noted for physical vigor, intelligence and moral worth. His grandfather, Jabez Warren, was a soldier of the Revolution. He lived in Massachusetts, near Lexington, and was working at his trade as a shoemaker when he heard the British were coming to attack the place. He left his bench, and having no gun, took his scythe from the snath and hastened to the field of conflict. The British soldiers had retired from the scene before he arrived, but meeting two women who were fleeing, they told him that a number of soldier were plundering their house; he went with them and approached the back part of the house without being observed, and resorting to the strategy that Ethan Allen used at a later date, he called out in a loud voice "halt," and then commanded his imaginary soldiers to surround the house and make prisoners of the men within. As the frightened soldiers were escaping from the front door and windows, he broke in the back door and succeeded in wounding one of the soldiers with the scythe. Mr. Warren's grandfather, on his mother's side, Colonel Weber, of Walpole, N. H., was also a soldier in the Revolutionary army. Mr. Warren spent the days of his youth in the place of his birth; then lived in Vermont, whence he went to Rome, N. Y., where he engaged in the pot-

tery business. Here he united with the Christian church, in which, when he was twenty-three years old, he was ordained to the work of the ministry. He preached for a number of years in Courtland county, N. Y.; at Solon, South Virgil, Marathon, and other places. He then moved to Jefferson county, N. Y., and in 1836 married Eliza Field, daughter of Rev. L. Field. There were born to them four children—two sons and two daughters. One of the sons enlisted when eighteen years of age and became a captain in the Union army, serving four years and a half. He survived the war and died in 1872. The other son became a leading citizen of South Dakota, where he lived for many years, and died in 1894. The two daughters were still living, with one of whom, Mrs. Smith, the deceased spent the last years of his life. His wife died in 1874 while he was living and preaching in Jefferson county, N. Y. He came to Humboldt, Iowa, in 1882, where he lived a quiet, retired and useful life. He was an able and successful preacher who kept himself in touch with all the great moral questions which have claimed public attention for the past half century. He was an active member of the Liberty party as early as 1844, and fought the battle of freedom till victory was won. He early espoused the cause of just civil government. He would no sooner have voted for a man in favor of licensing the saloon than he would for one in favor of licensing highway robbery or murder. He was also an earnest friend of equal suffrage. Since coming to Humboldt he had been a steady attendant of the Congregational church of that place, and had on several occasions been invited to fill the pulpit in the pastor's absence. He retained his vigor of body and mind in a marked degree to the very last. He conversed with his daughter not more than ten minutes before he died. He requested that the services be held at the house, and that they should be conducted by Rev. S. H. Taft, of Unity church, and Rev. Marsh, of the Congregational church. Mr. Taft and Mr. Warren had been intimate friends for many years, having been associated together in religious work in the East more than forty years before. He was b. Hanover, N. H., Feb. 14, 1809; d. Humboldt, Iowa, Feb. 17, 1896. Ch.: 1. Lebbeus W. Warren, b. March 15, 1841; d. Feb. 11, 1894; no children. 2. Sumner H. Warren, b. Sept. 14, 1843; d. Sept. 19, 1872; m. December, 1870; one daughter, Mrs. Blanche W. Duncan, New York city. 3. Eliza A. Warren, b. May 21, 1848; m. November, 1871. 4. Eugenie M. Warren, b. June 17, 1837; m. Sept. 15, 1858, Charles S. Smith; postoffice, Humboldt, Iowa; he was b. Jan. 26, 1835; d. May 22, 1898; was an implement dealer. Mr. Smith was born in Clayton, Jefferson county, N. Y., Jan. 26, 1835; he was married Sept. 15, 1858; he moved from Watertown, N. Y., to Humboldt county, going there in October, 1881, where he has lived since, an honored citizen of the town and county. With John B. Smith, still a resident there, he for several years was one of the company of Smith & Smith, and at his death was the senior member of the firm of C. S. Smith & Co., one of the most enterprising business firms of the city. Mr. Smith has been a member of the Municipal Board of Humboldt, having in 1898

closed a term as mayor. He was highly esteemed as a public-spirited and enterprising citizen of the town. Ch.: (a) Sumner Warren Smith, b. Sept. 17, 1863, Brownville, N. Y.; postoffice, Humboldt, Iowa. (b) Florence E. Smith, b. Nov. 26, 1865, Philadelphia, N. Y.; postoffice, Humboldt, Iowa; m. July 25, 1888, Corydon H. Brown, Jr. Ch.: i. Carrol Brown, b. Dec. 25, 1892, Dakota City, Iowa; d. Dec. 30, 1892. ii. Eugenia Brown, b. July 31, 1894, Dakota City, Iowa.

2187. iv. SAMUEL WARREN, b. July 9, 1815; m. Tamson M. Mattison.

2188. v. LEBBEUS, b. May 17, 1818; m. Lucy Moore.

1064. THADDEUS FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Nov. 15, 1881; he removed in 1806 to Houndsfield, Jefferson county, N. Y.; in —— to ——, Wis., where he d. April, 1859; he m. Clarissa, Norton, of Woodstock, Vt.; res. in Wisconsin.

2189. i. OLIVE.

2190. ii. TAMSON.

2191. iii. NANCY.

2192. iv. AURILLA.

2193. v. MATTISON.

2194. vi. LAURA.

2195. vii. ESTHER.

2196. viii. PHILIP.

1068. REV. ALPHEUS FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 10, 1789; he removed in 1806 to Houndsfield, Jefferson county, N. Y.; in —— to Michigan, where he d. Feb. 4, 1861; he was a Methodist minister; he m. Betsy Wood; res. in Michigan.

2197. i. KETURAH, b. ——.

2198. ii. SAMUEL, b. ——; d. 1862.

1069. SPAFFORD FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., April 10, 1790; he went with his father in 1806 to Houndsfield, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 24, 1870; m., Hannah Russagie, of Houndsfield, b. ——; d. ——; m., 2d, Alice Moore, dau. of Abram, d. March 16, 1859; res. Houndsfield, N. Y.

2199. i. MARY, b. ——; m. —— Green; a dau. is Mrs. Maria Taylor, Cambridge, Pa.

2200. ii. SPAFFORD ELIJAH, b. Dec. 27, 1828; m. Phœbe Allen.

1070. MAJOR SAMUEL FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Jan. 17, 1793; he went with his father in 1806 to Houndsfield, N. Y., where he d. April 20, 1843; he served through the war of 1812-15 as drum-major; he m. Phœbe, dau. of Ebenezer and Phœbe (Healey) Allen, of Houndsfield; res. Houndsfield, N. Y.

2201. i. ANDREW J., b. July 28, 1816; m. Jennette Butterfield and Caroline Aurelia Morris.

2202. ii. MARIA, b. March 13, 1822; m. May, 1843, Charles A. Payne, of Sacket Harbor, N. Y.; d. Aug. 21, 1851.

1071. BENNETT FIELD (Elijah, Bennett, John, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tamson (Crane), b. in Woodstock, Vt., Jan. 17, 1795; he went with his father in 1806 to Houndsfield, N. Y.; in 1845 removed to Shabbona Grove, De Kalb county, Ill., where he d. October, 1854; he m. 1817, Fanny, dau. of John and Huldah Waite, b. in Rindge, N. H., 1798; d. 1871. Res. Shabbona, Ill.

2203. i. SALLY, b. Aug. 8, 1818; m. Feb. 6, 1836, William Bowen; removed to Shabbona Grove, Ill.; d. Nov. 16, 1852.

2204. ii. JOHN WAITE, b. Dec. 5, 1822; m. Mary Francis.

2205. iii. WILLIAM B., b. Jan. 25, 1828; m. Julia Ann Hill.

2206. iv. CHESTER, b. Feb. 2, 1830; m. Maria D. Temple.

2207. v. ELIJAH C., b. April 13, 1832; m. Jane Eliza Fritz.

2208. vi. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 3, 1836; m. May 28, 1851, W. Smith Hill, of Clinton, Ill.; d. Feb. 11, 1868. He was b. Brownville, N. Y., April 5, 1826, and d. in Dudenville, Mo.; was a farmer. Ch.: 1. Chester Hill, b. Nov. 9, 1852; d. Sept. 18, 1862. 2. Kitt Carson Hill, b. Feb. 1, 1854; m. May 14, 1881; address, Chicago, Ill. 3. Inez Ledoisa Robinson, b. Dec. 6, 1856; m. May 10, 1881; address, 543 West 17th street, St. Paul, Minn. 4. Ella Elizabeth Ames, b. May 5, 1858; m. Dec. 31, 1879; address, 370 South Broadway, Aurora, Ill. 5. Ursula Hill, b. Nov. 4, 1860; d. Sept. 25, 1861. 6. William Smith Hill, b. Nov. 26, 1862; address, 2173 Troy street, Chicago, Ill. 7. Osyro Hill, b. Oct. 15, 1865; care of Detmer Music Co., Chicago, Ill. 8. Sylvester Hill, b. June 7, 1855; m. Oct. 12, 1881, Emma Effie McKenzie, b. Nov. 17, 1856; is a commercial traveler; res. 524 Walnut street, Mankato, Minn. Ch.: (a) Bernice Hill, b. Sept. 30, 1883; single; living. (b) Clarence Sylvester Hill, b. May 13, 1886; single; living.

1084. ORANGE FIELD (Zenas, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northampton, Mass., Feb. 22, 1790; m. April 8, 1811, Rhoda Graves, d. Jan. 6, 1826; m., 2d, Oct. 20, 1827, Esther Collins, d. Jan. 8, 1832; m., 3d, June 18, 1844 Huldah Boynton Tyler. Orange Field, son of Zenas and Sarah (Burrows), b. in Whately, Mass.; d. there; a successful farmer; he m. April 8, 1811, Rhoda, dau. of John and Lois (Parker) Graves, of Whately, b. April 18, 1791; d. Jan. 6, 1826; m., 2d, Oct. 20, 1827, Esther, dau. of James and Zerviah (Miller) Collins, and widow of Smith Daniels, of South Hadley, Mass., b. Nov. 2, 1793; d. Jan. 8, 1832; m., 3d, June 18, 1844, Huldah, dau. of John and Sarah (Hatfield) Boynton, of Greenfield, Mass., widow of Albert Jones, of Chesterfield, Mass., and Nathan Tyler, of Albany, N. Y., b. March, 1790; d. 1853. He d. in Westfield, Mass., Jan. 17, 1854. Res. Whately, Mass.

2209. i. SARAH, b. April 19, 1812; d. Nov. 3, 1825.

2210. ii. SOPHRONIA, b. Feb. 19, 1814; m. May 2, 1833, Solomon Root, of Westfield, Mass.

2211. iii. LOUISA, b. March 5, 1816; m. April 21, 1834, Theodore Bridgman, of Cleveland, Ohio.

2212. iv. SOPHIA, b. July 31, 1818; m. Aug. 13, 1837, Lucius King, of Huntsburg, Ohio; m., 2d, September, 1846, Harlow Gillett, of New Hartford, Conn.

2213. v. ESTHER CORDELIA, b. Sept. 19, 1822; d. April 3, 1848.

2214. vi. FLORA ELVIRA, b. Nov. 13, 1823; m. Jan. 4, 1844, Henry Dwight, of Hatfield; he d. Jan. 17, 1893.

2215. vii. SARAH ZERVIAH, b. Nov. 13, 1829; m. October, 1885, Horace Waite, of Hatfield; d. Aug. 28, 1887; she d. Feb. 9, 1889.

2216. viii. ORANGE, b. Sept. 7, 1831; d. Jan. 15, 1832.

1085. JOHN FIELD (Zenas, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Whately, Mass., Oct. 10, 1792; m. Nov. 17, 1816, Abigail Warner; d. Sept. 11, 1865. John Field, son of Zenas and Sarah (Burrows), b. in Whately, Mass.; d. there; a farmer; he m. Abigail, dau. of Paul and Abigail (Wells) Warner, of Williamsburg, Mass., b. May 18, 1791.

John, of Whately, February, 1868; d. Dec. 19, 1868; wife Abigail; sons, Lemuel B., Paul W., John W.; makes bequests to Edward De Goff Pomeroy and Abigail Pomeroy, children of Cornelius Pomeroy, of East Hampton.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Dec. 19, 1868. Res. Whately, Mass.

2217. i. CLYMENA, b. May 26, 1817; m. Jan 12, 1837, Cornelius Pomeroy, of Southampton.

2218. ii. PAUL WARNER, b. May 30, 1819; d. March 26, 1821.

2219. iii. INFANT, b. Sept. 3, 1821; d. Nov. 29, 1821.

2220. iv. PAUL WARNER, b. Dec. 19, 1823; m. Julia M. Dawson.

2221. v. INFANT, b. Nov. 29, 1827; d. Nov. 30, 1827.

2222. vi. JOHN WRIGHT, b. April 12, 1830; d. March 16, 1832.

2223. vii. LEMUEL BATES, b. July 28, 1832; m. Harriet Lilley and Augusta J. Robbins.

2224. viii. JOHN WRIGHT, b. March 16, 1835; m. Lucy Moore.

1087. ZENAS FIELD (Zenas, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Whately, Mass., Sept. 22, 1796; m. Chloe Drake, dau. of Jehiel and Chloe (Steele), of Buckland, b. June 26, 1797; d. Jan. 29, 1856, in Northampton; m,. 2d, Anna ——.

Zenas of Ashfield, filed Feb. 6, 1871; wife Anna; daughters, Lovina Damon, Lydia Guilford; mentions heirs of deceased son Charles; names not given; sons, David J. Field, Zenas Field, Jr., of Northampton.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Feb. 1, 1871; res. Whately and Ashfield, Mass.

2225. i. DIADAMA, b. 1820; m. August, 1845, Lewis Reniff, of Buckland.

2226. ii. ZENAS, b. May 27, 1822; m. Clarissa Dawson.

2227. iii. LOVINIA, b. April 21, 1824; m. Lewis Damon, of Chesterfield.

2228. iv. LYDIA, b. ——; d. ——.

2229. v. CHLOE, b. ——; m. Lucius Reniff, of Buckland.

2230. vi. JOHN L., b. ——; d. unm. probably young.

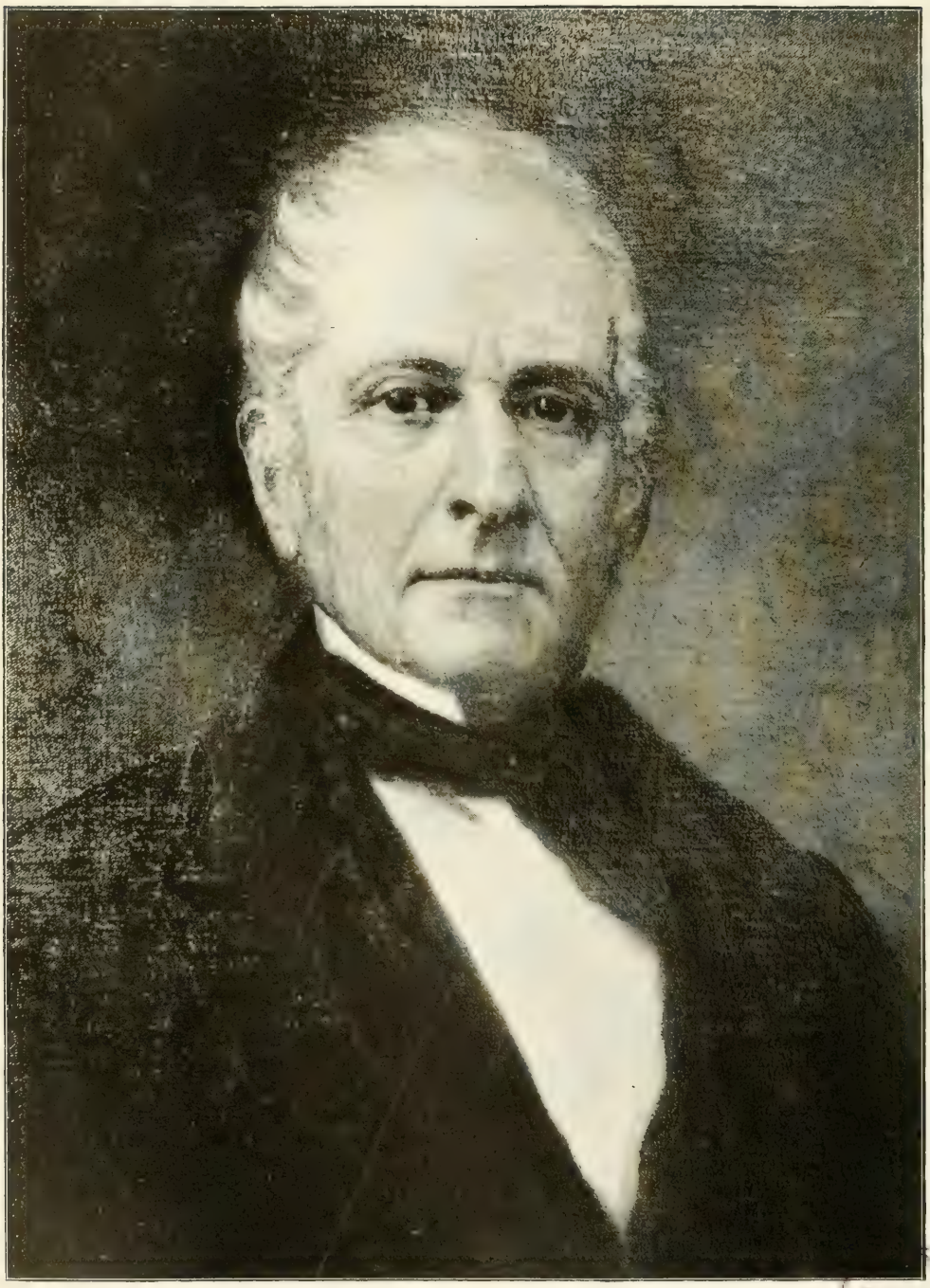
2231. vii. CHARLES, b. March 1, 1834; m. and d. before 1871; left issue.

2232. viii. LYDIA JUDD, b. May 24, 1835; m. Austin Guilford, of Northampton.

2232. ix. DAVID J., b. Sept. 13, 1837; m. Sarah Damon.

1093. WILLIAM FIELD (John, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., Dec. 8, 1793; m. there Oct. 7, 1828, Submit Hamilton, of Chesterfield; she d. Jackson, Mich., aged 86. William Field was b. in Conway Dec. 8, 1793; he owned and carried on the farm known as Field's Hill, in partnership with his brother John till 1844, when he met with an accident, being thrown from his horse, which resulted in his death.

William, of Conway, intestate; July 16, 1844, administrator appointed, Phineas Bartlett, by R. E. Newcomb, J. Prob; widow, Submit H. Field; daughters, Lucy



JOHN FIELD.

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Ann Field, Deucie L. Field; sons, Samuel G. Field, Leonard H. Field; daughter, Mary Jane Field.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. June 7, 1845; res. Conway, Mass.

2233. i. LUCY ANN, b. July 19, 1829; unm.; res. Montclair, N. J.

2234. ii. DEUCIE LUCRETIA, b. July 29, 1831; unm.; res. Jackson, Mich.

2235. iii. SAMUEL GRIMES, b. Dec. 8, 1833; m. Anna Greene.

2236. iv. LEONARD HAMILTON, b. July 8, 1838; m. Mrs. Alla P. Rayner Perkins.

2237. v. MARY JANE, b. Jan. 9, 1841; m. June 11, 1867, Henry J. Durant, of Franklin, Pa. She d. August, 1892. Ch.: 1. Leonard, b. ——; res. Jackson, Mich.

2238. vi. LEONARD HAMILTON, b. May, 1835; d. Aug. 27, 1837.

1094. JOHN FIELD (John, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., June 28, 1796; m. Sept. 25, 1828, Fidelia Nash, dau. of Elijah and Paulina (Warner), of Conway, b. Feb. 6, 1806; d. Sept. 22, 1865. He d. June 13, 1876. Res. Conway, Mass.

He was born in Conway, Mass., and always resided there, on the farm his father purchased on moving from Hatfield. He was an attendant of the church. Held various public offices of trust, and was respected by all his townsmen. He was the soul of honor and possessed good judgment in a remarkable degree. He was a fine looking man, and in his latter years was an excellent representative of the gentlemen of the old school.

The universal opinion of him was that he was a man of remarkable judgment and common sense, with strict uprightness. "I* remember hearing an acquaintance of the family say that my father's sound sense and ability, with my mother's refinement and love for study, had been an excellent trait in my brothers."

John, of Conway, b. 1796; d. June 13, 1876. His next of kin were: Joseph N., of Manchester, England, son; Marshall, of Chicago, son; Henry, of Chicago, son; Mrs. Henry Dibblee, of Chicago, daughter; Mrs. Lyman D. James, of Williamsburg, Mass., daughter. Henry Field, exec.—Franklin County Probate.

2239. i. CHANDLER AUGUSTUS, b. Sept. 19, 1829; m. Helen M. Wells.

2240. ii. JOSEPH NASH, b. Sept. 20, 1831; m. Jane Hayes and Catharine Blackwell.

2241. iii. MARSHALL, b. Aug. 18, 1835; m. Nannie Douglass Scott.

2242. iv. HELEN ELIZA, b. Feb. 3, 1837; m. Sept. 10, 1857, Hon. Lyman D. James, of Williamsburg, Mass. Ch.: 1. Henry Dwight James, b. March 1, 1860; m. Oct. 25, 1888, Margaret Matheson; Haydenville, Mass. 2. Howard James, b. Aug. 12, 1862; m. Nov. 16, 1897, Sophie Ayers, of Saginaw, Mich.; St. Paul, Minn. 3. Grace James, b. Nov. 20, 1865; m. Oct. 31, 1888, John W. Gillette; Hudson, N. Y.; 4. Philip Lyman James, b. Oct. 12, 1873. Res. Chicago; with Marshall Field & Co., retail.

Lyman D. James, son of Enoch and Armanilla James, was born in Williamsburg, Mass., Jan. 21, 1836. Mr. James received his education in the schools of his town, also at the school of Mr. J. A. Nash, in Amherst, Mass., and Williston Seminary, Easthampton. Mr. James then located in Ann Arbor, Mich., where his father was an extensive wool buyer and loaner of money. He returned to Massachusetts, and

* Mrs. Helen Field James, Williamsburg, Mass.

was engaged in mercantile business in Williamsburg and Haydenville until November, 1899. During this time Mr. James has been a director and vice-president of the First National Bank, of Northampton, also trustee in the Northampton Insane Hospital (a State institution), which office he holds at the present time. In 1886-87 Mr. James was Representative to the General Court of Massachusetts.

2243. v. HENRY, b. May 25, 1841; m. Florence Lathrop.

2244. vi. ELIZABETH PAGE, b. Sept. 25, 1843; d. Dec. 27, 1854.

2245. vii. WILLIAM E., b. Feb. 17, 1845; d. May 22, 1845.

2246. viii. LAURA NASH, b. Oct. 30, 1848; m. Nov. 26, 1873, Henry Dibblee, of Chicago. He was born in New York City, Aug. 20, 1840; the son of E. R. Dibblee, who was one of the oldest dry goods merchants and importers in that city. He was therefore trained in that business, after having completed his education at the age of 18. At first he worked as clerk in his father's store, and was finally made a partner in that business, and so continued until the fall of 1872, when he came to Chicago, and in January of that year founded the house of which he was the head, and engaged in the iron business. In this he continued until 1886, when he formed a co-partnership with George Manierre, under the firm name of Dibblee & Manierre, and engaged in the real estate business. Their offices are in the building, northwest corner Adams and Clark streets. Real estate is bought and sold on commission, and personal attention given to the care and management of property; taxes paid and rents collected; interests of non-residents carefully looked after; loans negotiated. The firm is one of the most prominent in this line in the city. They have two children: 1. Bertha, b. March 20, 1875. 2. Frances F., b. Aug. 26, 1877; both unm., and res. at home.

2247. ix. ELIZABETH, b. April 10, 1851; d. Aug. 6, 1854.

1100. ELIAKIM FIELD (David, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., Oct. 26, 1794; m. Clarissa Ross; he d. Oct. 16, 1850; res. Montrose, and Honesdale, Pa.

2248. i. SAMUEL HINKLEY, b. Sept. 22, 1825; unm.; removed to New Orleans.

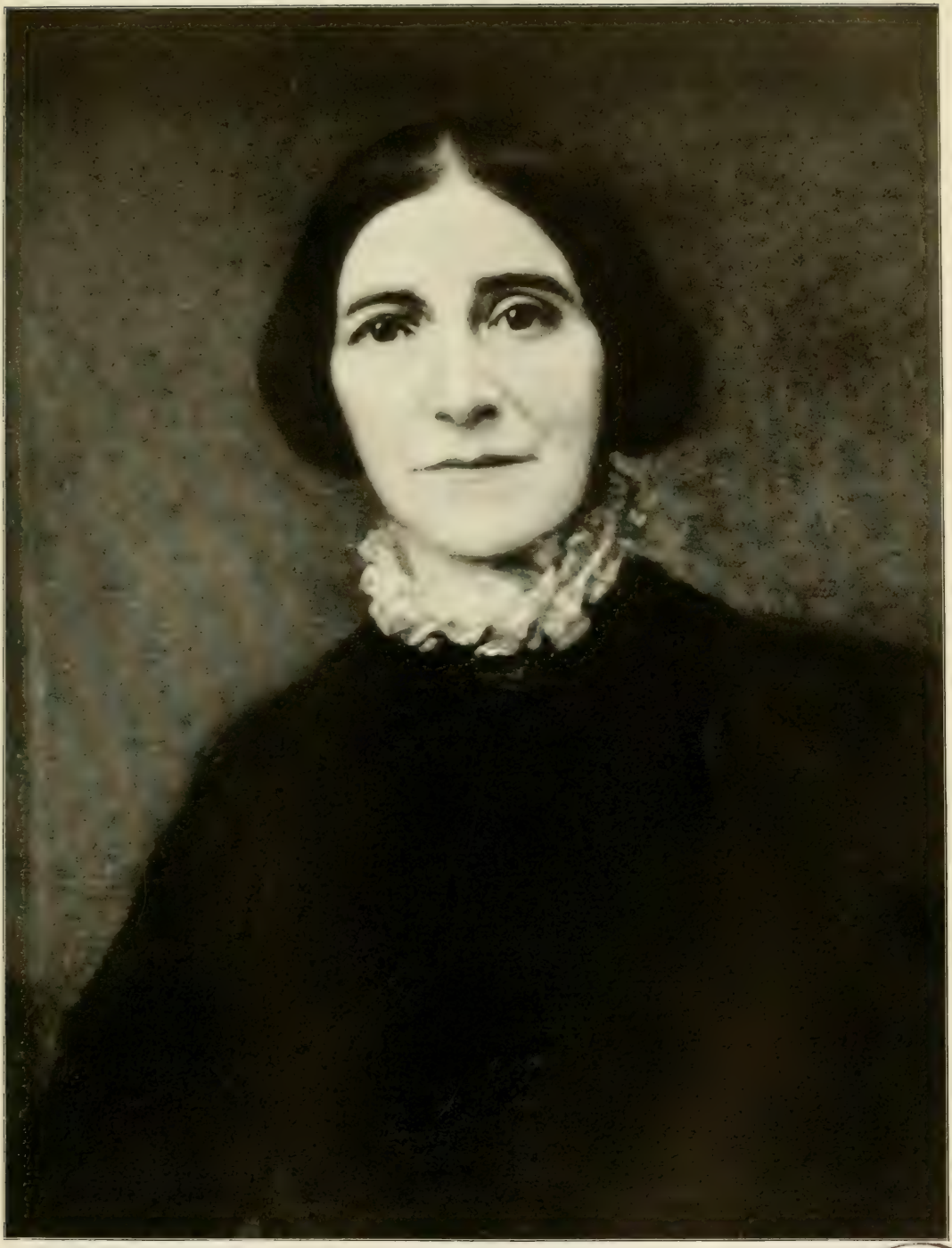
1103. OLIVER CLARK FIELD (David, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., March 9, 1800; m. Jan. 24, 1824, Laura Nash, dau. of Elijah and Paulina (Warner), of Conway, b. Aug. 10, 1803; d. Oct. 3, 1848; m., 2d, March 20, 1849, Electa Sanderson, of Conway, dau. of Joseph and Content (Dickinson), b. Bernardston, June 6. 1806; d. Dec. 15, 1876.

Oliver C., of Conway; guardian bond; Oliver C. Field, guardian; minor children, Tabitha C. and Elijah N., over fourteen years; April 18, 1856.

Oliver C., of Conway died Dec. 18, 1876; no widow; children, Electa Maria Johnson, of Hartford, Conn., and Louisa Pratt, of Hillsdale, Mich.; grandchild, Arthur Nutting, of Northampton, Mass.; wife, Electa S. Field, died Dec. 15, 1876. —Franklin County Probate.

He d. Dec. 18, 1876. Res. Conway, Mass.

2249. i. ELECTA MARIA, b. Oct. 4, 1826; m. Oct. 16, 1850, Cyrus S. Johnson; res. Hartford, Conn. She d. May 3, 1885. Ch.: 1.



MRS. FIDELIA (NASH) FIELD.

BOSTON

Ida Maria, b. July 26, 1851; d. Nov. 24, 1862. 2. Rose Pauline, b. May 27, 1858; d. Aug. 16, 1858. 3. Fred Clifford, b. Oct. 9, 1862; d. July 7, 1864.

2250. ii. LOUISA, b. June 28, 1829; m. April 18, 1856, James H. Pratt; res. Hillsdale, Mich., and Chicago avenue, Chicago, Ill. Ch.: 1. Hattie B., b. Jan. 28, 1857; m. Oct. 10, 1878, H. W. Magee, an attorney-at-law in Chicago, Ill. Ch.: (a) Jerome P., b. Nov. 25, 1879. (b) Wayland W., b. Sept. 24, 1881. 2. Willie R., b. July 4, 1858; d. Nov. 1, 1864. 3. Eugene, b. June 13, 1860; d. June 21, 1863. 4. Susie, b. Feb. 8, 1862; d. Jan. 2, 1864. 5. Margaret L., b. May 4, 1868. 6. Freddie, b. April 19, 1870; d. July 26, 1872.

2251. iii. SUSAN HUNTINGTON, b. May 9, 1831; m. Oct. 29, 1856, Porter Nutting; res. Northampton, Mass.; she d., in Northampton, Sept. 15, 1865. Ch.: 1. Arthur Fenelon, b. Feb. 4, 1861; m. Ida Torrey. 2. Edward Eugene, b. June 30, 1863; d. July, 1863.

2252. iv. PAULINE NASH, b. April 21, 1834; d. Oct. 14, 1834.

2253. v. TABITHA CLARK, b. March 2, 1836; d. July 5, 1856.

2254. vi. ELIJAH NASH, b. June 4, 1839; d. Sept. 28, 1862.

2255. vii. PAULINE WARNER, b. April 29, 1842; d. April 26, 1848.

1105. OTIS FIELD (David, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., Aug. 5, 1804; m. March 26, 1837, Harriet M. Markel, of La Porte, Ind.; she res. Garden City, L. I.; he moved to Indiana, and thence to New York State; he d. Oct. 17, 1871; res. New York.

2256. i. ANN, b. Feb. 4, 1838; d. Aug. 27, 1838.

2257. ii. MARION, b. Jan. 16, 1843; d. March 9, 1848.

2258. iii. EMMA, b. Aug. 22, 1850; d. Jan. 8, 1851.

2259. iv. OTIS, b. Aug. 4, 1851; school teacher in New York.

1107. DAVID FIELD (David, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., Oct. 24, 1807; m. Sept. 23, 1831, Angeline Ware Sylvester, b. April 23, 1812; d. Dec. 19, 1863; m., 2d, Mrs. Mary Margison, of Henepin, Ill.; she d. February, 1894. Notwithstanding his advanced age, with patriotic zeal at the age of nearly sixty he served his county in the Union army as a soldier in the 139th Illinois Regiment of Volunteer Infantry. He d. Feb. 13, 1894; res. Conway, Mass., and Hennepin, Ill.

2260. i. MARTHA FAY, b. June 29, 1832; m. Sept. 21, 1851, Allen A. Stone, of Conway; went west. Res. Princeton, Ill.; was a carpenter by trade, but later an evangelist. Ch. (b. Granville, Ill.): 1. Clara A., b. Sept. 12, 1853; d. Aug. 30, 1854. 2. Arthur Allen, b. Aug. 1, 1864. 3. Minnie Marion, b. Dec. 28, 1865. 4. Wm. Porter, b. Nov. 20, 1869.

2261. ii. FRANCIS SYLVESTER, b. Feb. 12, 1834; m. Emma C. Cole.

2262. iii. ALMERON, b. June 30, 1836; m. Catherine C. Jones.

2263. iv. LUCY WARE, b. July 25, 1846; m. Nov. 1, 1866, Edward Hamm, of Illinois. He is a farmer; res. Ashley, Ill. Ch.: 1. Alice A., b. Aug. 24, 1867; d. Nov. 21, 1867. 2. Cora Etta, b. June 20, 1869. 3. Clara May, b. March 22, 1871; d. July 23, 1877. 4. Lucy Ella, b. Feb. 3, 1873. 5. Edward Field, b. Jan. 2, 1876. 6. Frank Orvis, b. April 3, 1877.

1108. ALMERON FIELD (David, Eliakim, John, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Conway, Mass., Aug. 15, 1809; m. July 28,

1836, Mary Catherine Bassford, of Fordham, N. Y., b. 1816; d. Jan. 6, 1838; m., 2d, July 29, 1844, Rose Finn, of Aligo, Ireland, b. 1822; d. Jan. 4, 1873. Almeron Field, son of David and Tabitha (Clark), b. in Conway, Mass., settled in New York; in 1840 removed to Honesdale, Pa.; in 1846 to Narrowsburg, N. Y.; in 1852 to Binghamton, N. Y.; in 1854 to Corning, N. Y.; in 1858 to Burlington, Iowa. He d. August, 1885; res. Waverly, N. Y.

2264. i. THOMAS BASSFORD, b. Dec. 20, 1837; m. Mary E. Coe.

2265. ii. ELIAKIM, b. July 20, 1845; m. July 24, 1867, Josephine R. McCormick; d. s. p.

2266. iii. MARY CATHERINE, b. Sept. 5, 1847; m. ——.

2267. iv. MARIA LOUISA, b. April 5, 1850; m. Oct. 6, 1867, James F. Pumpelley, of Oswego, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Mary Josephine, b. Feb. 27, 1871. 2. Laurence, b. July 3, 1881.

2268. v. JAMES FLANDERS, b. July 27, 1852; d. in 1870.

2269. vi. HANNAH, b. Dec. 5, 1854; in convent of Sacred Heart at Montreal, Canada.

2270. vii. ALMERON, b. Sept. 29, 1856.

2271. viii. CHAPIN HALL, b. Dec. 5, 1859.

1111. JOHN FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Elizabeth (Henderson), b. in Amherst, Mass., 1768; he was out as a privateer from Salem, Mass., during the Revolution; he settled in 1787 in Leyden; in 1806 removed to Canestota, N. Y.; d. in 1836; he m. Silence Lincoln; she d. 1820 in Durhamville, N. Y. Res. Canestota, N. Y.

2272. i. JOHN, b. ——; m. Sarah Stearns.

2273. ii. SIMEON, b. ——; d. in Leyedn.

2274. iii. DAVID, b. ——; m. ——.

2275. iv. LINCOLN, b. ——; m. Fanny Newcomb.

2276. v. NANCY, b. ——

2277. vi. MARY, b. ——

2278. vii. DEBORAH, b. ——

2279. viii. AMANDA, b. Nov. 23, 1804; m. Anson Pardridge; res. in Chicago. She d. in Chicago Jan. 6, 1890; he d. in Durhamville, N. Y., April 28, 1877. Ch.:

1. Anson, b. Oct. 2, 1830; m. Dec. 10, 1863, Mary Louisa Frisbie, b. April 4, 1844. He was a farmer in New York until his removal to Chicago, since which time he has not been in any active business; res. 4157 Langley avenue, Chicago, Ill. Ch.: (a) Alice Theresa, b. Dec. 20, 1864; m. Feb. 11, 1885, Charles H. Smith, b Dec. 23, 1859; is connected with the Board of Trade; res. 231 42d street, Chicago, Ill. Ch.: i. Ralph Errol, b. Sept. 22, 1890. ii. Pauline, b. Oct. 28, 1891. iii. Floyd Kenton, b. April 14, 1894. (b) Clinton Edward Pardridge, b. June 20, 1868.

2. Edwin, b. Oct. 24, 1825; m. July 10, 1861, Sarah Swallow, b. Aug. 14, 1842, in Vernon, N. Y.; he d. in Chicago April 17, 1896; res. 2808 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill. Edwin Pardridge was the heaviest bear speculator the Chicago Board of Trade has ever known. His death was caused by Bright's disease. The history of Mr. Pardridge's sixty years has few parallels. He was a man of the clearest perceptions, and his strong convictions and the nerve with which he backed them made him a marked man. Since 1869 he has been a

familiar figure in local commercial circles, and for the last ten years, during which he has devoted himself almost exclusively to speculation, his name and fame were worldwide. Probably no man, as merchant and operator, had been called upon in the west to meet such odds and face such opposition, and those who knew him are agreed as to his business acumen, courage, commonsense and kindliness of heart. He received a district school education, clerked in a village store, and then went to Lyons where he worked in a general merchandise store for five years. From this time till 1869 he was in the drygoods business in Buffalo with his brother, Chas. W. Pardridge. This was the stock of experience he had when he came to Chicago and started a store at Lake and State streets. He came here, he said, for a larger field of operations than he had had, and in the conduct of his store he showed the same discriminating judgment and mastery of details as applied to the buying and selling of goods that later applied to his grain operations on the Board of Trade. He was burned out in 1871. His store was then on Wabash avenue. In the new Chicago he located at 112-116 State street, where he had interest till Feb. 15 last. At that time he closed out his Chicago store and sent the goods to a branch establishment. At the time of his death he had drygoods stores in New York, Buffalo and Detroit. These were the last survivals of many stores started and operated before Mr. Pardridge largely abandoned trade for speculation.—Chicago Tribune.] Ch.: (a) Blanche, b. July 7, 1862; m. Sept. 8, 1880, Russell Price, son of Dr. Price; res. Waukegan, Ill. (b) Marion Amanda, b. Dec. 13, 1864; d. June 22, 1871. (c) Grace Emily, b. May 21, 1867; m. April 30, 1891, Dr. Charles Leaming; res. 4545 Grand Boulevard, Chicago, Ill. (d) Willard Edwin, b. Oct. 15, 1871; m. Jan. 29, 1893, Charlotte Budd; res. 2817 Indiana avenue, Chicago, Ill. (e) Frederick Charles, b. Sept. 17, 1873; m. Jan. 23, 1895, Eleanor Lewis; res. 2808 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill. (f) Florence Eva, b. Oct. 1, 1876; unm.; res. at home. (g) Fanny, b. June 17, 1879; d. May 23, 1880.

3. Charles W., b. June 15, 1844; m. July, 1862, Theresa Marsland, b. Philadelphia, 1843; d. Feb. 22, 1900; res. 3200 Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill. She was b. in Philadelphia, but lived in her early years in Buffalo. She had resided in Chicago over thirty years. She gave in charity, unostentatiously and privately, always bestowing her gifts after personal investigation. She worshiped at Christ Reformed Episcopal church. Charles W. Pardridge was born in Oneida county, N. Y., where he was educated at the public schools, receiving the best the schools at that time afforded. The foundation of his fortune was laid in the drygoods business. He first secured an insight into this line of trade in a candy store in Lyons, N. Y., where he remained for three years. Later he was in business in Pittsburgh, Pa., in the same line of trade for two years, moving thence to Buffalo, N. Y., where, with his brother, Edwin, under the firm name of C. W. & E. Pardridge they conducted an extensive dry goods business. At the end of ten years, having outgrown the business of that city, they decided to come west, and located in Chicago in

1869. Securing a location in the old opera house building on State street, near Lake, they conducted an extensive and rapidly growing business until the great fire of 1872, when the building and stock were entirely destroyed. At once securing a new location at 112-116 State street, he erected the building, still standing on this site, and conducted the Boston Store and Union Store. With his close attention to business, excellent judgment and good real estate investments, he soon accumulated a handsome property. Of late years he has retired from the active dry goods business, though having been until recently the senior owner of the Boston Store, Pardridge & Netcher. He is now senior member of the firm of Pardridge & Hillman on State street. He devotes his time looking after his real estate investments, which are very extensive. He is considered many times a millionaire and resides in an elegant home at 3200 Michigan avenue. He is quiet and unassuming and much averse to any publicity. Ch.: (a) Charles Anson, b. ——; m. Mary Lee; res. 3200 Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill. (b) Edward W., b. ——; m. Clara Wheeler. (c) Eva, b. ——; m. Prince Nicholas W. Engalitchoff; res. Chicago, Ill. He was b. in the parish of Kolozhitz, village of Catherine, district of Yamburg, in the government of St. Petersburg, Russia, Jan. 30, 1869, son of Prince Vladimir Vladimizovitch Engalitchoff, and his wife Maria Pavlovna. He was educated at the Russian schools and was graduated from the Nicholas Cadet Corps, Aug. 31, 1889. He soon after came to Chicago, and is now in the insurance business on La Salle street. He is descended from King Engelitch of Tartary, who was conquered by John the Terrible at the fall of Kazan. They were originally Mohammedans. (d) Mary Allen, b. ——; m. W. D. Sargent; res. Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill. (e) Albert Jerome, b. ——; m. Florence Myers; res. Chicago, Ill.

4. Marion, b. 1840; m. Charles Stokes; res. 1840 Asbury avenue, Evanston, Ill.

5. Ellen, b. ——; m. Oscar Gleason; res. 1204 Asbury avenue, Evanston, Ill. Ch.: (a) Charles, b. ——.

1115. ABEL WAITE FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Rachel (Waite), b. in Amherst, Mass.; bap. Nov. 4, 1787; he settled in Brattleboro, Vt., but removed to Lancaster, N. H., and to West Medford; d. Oct. 28, 1871, in Somerville, Mass.; he m. Sally Stebbins, of Brattleboro, Vt., b. July 10, 1791; d. Nov. 16, 1844; he was a farmer; res. West Medford, Mass.

2280. i. DANIEL STEBBINS, b. Sept. 28, 1818.
2281. ii. JOHN EDWARD, b. Aug. 28, 1815; m. Martha Eliza Moore.
2282. iii. LORENZO ABEL, b. March 28, 1821; m. Sarah Ann Davis.
2283. iv. WILLIAM W., b. Oct. 31, 1824; m. Mahala J. Howe.
2284. v. SARAH E., b. March 19, 1827; m. Joseph Forristall; res. 83 Prospect street, Cambridge, Mass.
2285. vi. GEORGE H., b. April 6, 1831.

1116. DAVID FIELD (John, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Rachel (Waite), b. in Amherst, Mass., Nov. 19, 1789. He settled in Brattleboro, Vt., where he d. Jan. 19, 1819; he m. in

CHARLES W. PARDRIDGE.

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EDWIN PARDRIDGE.

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Brattleboro, Vt., Sept. 15, 1814, Patty Wood, of Marlboro, Mass., b. Jan. 19, 1795; d. July 29, 1860. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

2286. i. ORENZO, b. July 16, 1815; d. Aug. 17, 1815.

2287. ii. MARY LOUISA, b. Oct. 15, 1816; m. Jan. 24, 1836, Hannibal Hadley, of Brattleboro, Vt. He was b. April 20, 1812; d. Oct. 29, 1884; was a provision and ice dealer; she res. 43 High street, Brattleboro, Vt. Ch.: 1. Elizabeth Holman Hadley, b. Dec. 28, 1837; m. September, 1857, —— Selleck. 2. Chancey Field Hadley, b. Nov. 29, 1840; d. Jan. 29, 1849. 3. Emily Huntington Hadley, b. Jan. 29, 1846; m. October, 1871, —— Emerson. 4. Mary Louisa Hadley, b. Nov. 25, 1853; d. Feb. 4, 1862.

2288. iii. SOPHRONIA LUCINDA, b. Nov. 18, 1818; d. Aug. 13, 1820.

1122. SAMUEL FIELD (Samuel, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Samuel and Miriam (Nash), b. in Conway, Mass., May 11, 1787; he went to Brattleboro, Vt., with his father in 1804, where he d. Dec. 15, 1854; he m. Jan. 15, 1818, Jerusha, dau. of Jeremiah and Lucinda Graves, of Guilford, Vt., b. July 5, 1793; she m., 2d, Nov. 14, 1864, Timothy Atkins, of Brattleboro. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

2289. i. HENRY G., b. Sept. 4, 1819; m. Jane Woodcock.

2290. ii. JOHN N, b. Aug. 15, 1821; he removed to Iowa; enlisted in the Second Iowa Cavalry; d. at Harrisburg, Tenn., April 22, 1862.

2291. iii. HELEN A., b. April 15, 1823; d. Feb. 1, 1845.

2292. iv. LUCINDA H., b. Dec. 12, 1824; m. May 16, 1855, William Moles, of Williamstown, Mass.; d. Feb. 8, 1879.

2293. v. DEXTER, b. Feb. 7, 1827; m. Sabrina E. Millard.

2294. vi. HARRIET E., b. July 8, 1829; m. May 19, 1851, William Moles, of South Adams, Mass.; d. July 29, 1853.

2295. vii. SAMUEL A., b. April 8, 1831.

2296. viii. LAURA, b. May 16, 1833.

1124. LUTHER FIELD (Samuel, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Samuel and Miriam (Nash), b. in Conway, Mass., 1788; went to Brattleboro, Vt., with his father in 1804, where he was a farmer, and d. Feb. 12, 1867; m., Rachel Austin, of Windsor, Mass., b. 1798; d. Aug. 18, 1855; m., 2d, Sarah P., dau. of Charles and Susan (Packard) Hubbard, of Brattleboro, Vt., b. April 10, 1815. She m., 2d, 1869, Ebenezer Baldwin, of Brattleboro, Vt. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

2297. i. SARAH SMITH, b. July 28, 1826; m. Francis K. Cottrell, of Brattleboro, Vt., Oct. 22, 1863; he was b. April 14, 1827; is a carpenter, s. p.; res. Menlo, Iowa.

2298. ii. GEORGE W., b. July, 1828; m. Mary Cane and Mary Thomas.

2299. iii. AUSTIN LUTHER, b. Nov. 7, 1830; m. Sarah Cane.

2300. iv. ELIZABETH, b. 1832; m. Moses Ware, of Northampton. They had two children and reside in Florence, Mass.; she d., aged 52. Ch.: 1. Mary, m. and res. New York city. 2. Arthur, m. in Nantucket; res. Florence, Mass.

2301. v. CAROLINE, b. 1834; m. Wm. Jones. They resided in Plainfield, Mass., and had one daughter, Anna, who m. —— Rice; res. Florence, Mass.

2302. vi. ELEAZER BROOKS, b. ——; d., aged 17.

1128. TYLER FIELD (Samuel, John, Zechariah, John, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Samuel and Miriam (Nash), b. in Brattleboro, Vt.; he removed in 1831 to Middleport, N. Y.; in 1832 to Jamestown, where he d. 1870; m., Fanny Dean, of Dummerston, Vt., b. ——; d. ——; m., 2d, Mary Dean, sister of first wife, b. ——; d. 1831; m., 3d, Isabella Cunningham, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; res. Jamestown, N. Y.

2303. i. CHAUNCEY T., b. July 6, 1829; m. Emeline Rice.
2304. ii. JAMES V., b. Jan. 31, 1834.
2305. iii. MARY J., b. Dec. 16, 1836.
2306. iv. HENRY B., b. Nov. 3, 1839; d. March 13, 1876.
2307. v. ALFRED D., b. March 28, 1841; m. Emma A. Mason and Alice Pierce.
2308. vi. ALBERT, b. March 28, 1841; d. March 29, 1841.
2309. vii. OLIVER D., b. Dec. 23, 1843.
2310. viii. ELIZABETH M., b. Aug. 8, 1847.
2311. ix. WILLIAM L., b. Jan 13, 1849.
2312. x. ELLA A., b. Jan. 29, 1851; d. Sept. 18, 1875.

1133. ROBERT RUFUS FIELD (Samuel, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., Aug. 22, 1771; m. Jan. 15, 1795, Patty Hoyt, dau. of Jonathan and Abigail (Nash), b. 1775; d. July 23, 1859. Robert Rufus Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Childs), b. in Deerfield, Mass.; he removed in 1791 to Conway, Mass.; in 1796 to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y.; in 1800 to Geneva, N. Y.; in 1808 returned to Deerfield, where he d.; he was for many years toll-gatherer of the Deerfield river bridge at Cheapside; he was a farmer.

Robert R., Deerfield, 1841; intestate and insolvent; widow Martha Field; Richard E. Field, administrator, Aug. 24, 1841.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. July 26, 1841. Res. Phelps, N. Y., and Deerfield, Mass.

2313. i. RICHARD EDWARD, b. Sept. 5, 1796; m. Elizabeth Wait, Mrs. Sarah T. (Snow) Thompson.
2314. ii. ABIGAIL HOYT, b. Sept. 19, 1799; m. March 12, 1817, Sylvester Sage Newcomb, b. Deerfield, Mass., May 6, 1791; d. Dec. 1, 1861, in Fillmore county, Minn. Ch.: 1. Robert Field, b. Nov. 22, 1817; unm.; res., New Grenada, S. A. 2. Ebenezer Everett, b. Oct. 22, 1819; m. Malinda S. Hoyt; res. Preston, Minn. 3. Sylvester S., b. June 30, 1821; res. New Grenada, S. A. 4. Martha F., b. Aug 21, 1824; m. Whitman R Ford; res. Walnut Lake, Minn. 5. Tirzah Anne, b. March 12, 1826; d. ——. 6. Antoinette, b. Nov. 18, 1828; m. George Babcock; res. Preston, Minn. 7. George, b. April 18, 1833; m. Sarah Hill; res. Walnut Lake Minn. 8. Abbie, b. Nov. 30 1840; m. —— Sherman.
2315. iii. ROBERT RUFUS, b. June 29, 1806; m. Eliza O. Barnard.
2316. iv. TIRZA ANN, bap. April 21, 1809; m. Jan. 22, 1832, John C. Andrews, of Hartford; she d. March 19, 1856. He was eldest son of Col. Sidney; res. New Britain, Conn.; he was a trunk and harness manufacturer; she d. March 19 1856; he m., 2d, 1863, Susan Hayden; res. Montague Mass. Ch: 1. Alfred Hobart, b. Nov. 1, 1833. 2. Arthur Wellington, b. Sept. 9, 1835. 3. Ann Field, b. Nov. 9, 1837; m. Walter Weir. 4. Mary Jane b. April 20, 1841; d. Sept. 1, 1842. 5. Sidney Wadsworth, b. July 25,

1843; d. Aug. 4, 1855. 6. Delia Jane, b. Sept. 2, 1846. 7. John Augustine, b. Nov. 30, 1850.

1135. SAMUEL EDWARDS FIELD (Samuel, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., July 31, 1775; m. Jan. 29, 1809, Clarissa Clapp, dau. of John and Eunice (Smead), b. July 22, 1782; d. March 8, 1831; he was a farmer.

Samuel E., of Deerfield, 1848; Feb. 13, 1849, probated; Seth and Sarah C. Field, executors, Nov. 6, 1849; sons, John, David O. Seth; daughters, Clarissa C., Eunice, Sarah C.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Nov. 4, 1848. Res. Great River, Mass.

2317. i. SARAH CHILDS, b. Aug 27, 1810; d. unm. Nov. 29, 1887.

2318. ii. SAMUEL EDWARDS, b. Nov. 19, 1812; d. April 4, 1834.

2319. iii. JOHN, b. Nov. 4, 1814; m. Mehitable Clesson.

2320 iv. DAVID OTIS, b. Nov. 27, 1816; d. Nov. 23, 1853.

2321. v. CLARISSA CLAPP, b. Nov. 22, 1818.

2322. vi. SETH, b. Oct. 31, 1820; unm.; res. one mile below Cheapside Bridge, Deerfield, Mass.

Seth, of Deerfield, 1898; d. unm. Nov. 6, 1898; niece, Jennie T. Palmer of Deerfield; niece, Martha Potter, of Deerfield; nephew, Samuel Field, of Deerfield.—Franklin County Probate.

2323. vii. EUNICE, b. Jan. 22, 1823. Eunice, Deerfield, Sept. 7, 1897; died unm. July 5, 1897; no husband; brother, Seth. of Deerfield; sister Clara C., of Deerfield; deceased brother, John Field; Samuel Field, Jane F. Palmer, Mrs. M. W. Potter, his children.—Franklin County Probate.

1138. GEORGE PLUMB FIELD (Samuel, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Deerfield, Mass., July 22, 1781; m. June 22, 1808, Sylvia Hawks; d. Aug. 12, 1854. George Plumb Field, son of Samuel and Sarah (Childs), was b. in Deerfield, Mass.; he was for a time engaged in the manufacture of nails which he gave up and engaged in the baking business at Cheapside; in 1830 he removed to Greenfield, where he continued the business until his death, which was caused by being run over by the cars on the railroad near Cheapside, while on his return from a visit to Seth Field. He was a man of the strictest integrity, and had the confidence and respect of all who knew him or had any business with him. He m. Sylvia, dau. of Paul and Lois (Waite) Hawks, of Deerfield, b. Nov. 26, 1782.

George P., of Greenfield, May 8, 1855; George Field appointed administrator; also mentioned as guardian of Francis Field, minor, and Tirzah Field, an insane person, heirs-at-law; Tirzah was daughter, and Francis, grandson of George P. Field.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. April 18, 1855. Res. Greenfield, Mass.

2324. i. TIRZAH, b. April 9, 1809; d. unm. Feb. 16, 1857; non compos mentis.

2325. ii. LOIS HAWKS, b. Nov. 26, 1810; m. Jan. 19, 1830, Frank Hawks, of Newark, N. J.

2326. iii. MARY, b. Sept. 14, 1812; d. unm. April 16, 1864.

2327. iv. MARTHA, b. April 6, 1814; m. Oct. 26, 1834, Abel Moore, of Athol, Mass.; she d. in Athol, Mass., Nov. 2, 1835, leaving a son.

2328. v. GEORGE P., b. Dec. 10, 1816; m. Sarah McClellan.

2329. vi. FRANCIS, b. Oct. 18, 1820; d. May 16, 1831.

2330. vii. SYLVIA, b. Nov. 8, 1822; m. May 20, 1851, Joseph Day, of Greenfield; res. Peoria, Ill.

2331. viii. ABIGAIL, b. Dec. 5, 1824; m. May, 1849, Washburne Severance, of Greenfield; she d. Aug. 28, 1851.

1140. WILLIAM FIELD (David, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Hannah (Childs), b. in Conway, Mass., 1775; he removed in 1806 to Albany, N. Y.; in May, 1817, to Geneva, N. Y., where he d.; he was an extensive carriage and sleigh maker in Albany; he m. Filana, dau. of Elihu and Hepsibah (Dickinson) Field, of Guilford, Vt., b. Dec. 13, 1787; d. in Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 5, 1857. Res. Albany, N. Y.

2332. i. DAVID ELIHU, b. Oct. 16, 1815; m. Sarah Castle.

2333. ii. A DAUGHTER, b. in 1818; d. 1824.

1142. DOCTOR DAVID FIELD (David, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Hannah (Childs), b. in Conway, Mass., July 25, 1782; a physician; he settled in 1804 in Albany, N. Y.; in 1806 removed to Geneva, N. Y., where he d. Feb. 14, 1855; he m., about 1811, Hannah Crittenden, probably from Conway; d. in 1815; m., 2d, July 4, 1816, Electa, dau. of Perez and Elizabeth (White) Hastings, of Hatfield, Mass., b. Jan. 15, 1792; d. March 3, 1865. Res. Geneva, N. Y.

2334. i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. May 13, 1818; m. June 16, 1841, Dr. Genet Conger, of Geneva, now (1890), Cleveland, Ohio.

2335. ii. PEREZ HASTINGS, b. Oct. 27, 1820; m. Clara Electa Eddy.

2336. iii. SARAH E., b. March 13, 1823; m. Dec. 26, 1852, John P. Hogarth, of Geneva, N. Y.; d. Aug. 27, 1856.

2337. iv. GEORGE WHITE, b. March 1, 1826; m. Eliza Bement and Mary Jones.

1144. JAMES FIELD (David, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Hannah (Childs), b in Conway, Mass., July, 1787; he settled first in Albany, N. Y.; in 1823 removed to Palmyra, N. Y.; in 1833 to Palmyra, Mich.; in 1842 to Adrian, Mich.; he d. in Kenosha, Wis., March 16, 1863, while there on business; he was one of the first to put a through line of canal boats on the Erie canal, which he ran several years; at the time of his death he was connected with the Northwestern Transportation Co. The following obituary notice is taken from an Adrian paper: "Death of an old and esteemed resident. Died at Kenosha, Wis., while on a business visit, James Field, in the seventy-fifth year of his age. In the death of Mr. Field, Adrian has lost another of those who were among the earliest settlers of the county, and one of the most persevering, energetic men who have ever done business here. He has been for many years, we believe, the general agent of the Northwestern Transportation Company; an employment which necessarily required most of his time away from home, which would have constrained most men of his age to withdraw from business, but the energy of his youth was not at all abated by age, and he therefore literally died with his harness on. In all his business relations he has uniformly sustained the reputation of an honorable, upright Christian." He m. at Palmyra, N. Y., Jan. 13, 1824, Cynthia A., dau. of Salmon and Charlotte Hathaway, b. in North Adams, Mass., April 4, 1805; d. at Adrian Feb. 2, 1872. Res. Adrian, Mich.

2338. i. WILLIAM DICKINSON, b. Oct. 20, 1824; m. Jennie E. Chesley.

2339. ii. ANN SOPHIA, b. Sept. 15, 1826; d. July 20, 1827.

2340. iii. CAROLINE AMELIA, b. June 6, 1829; d. Sept. 21, 1829.

2341. iv. JAMES MADISON, b. Nov. 1, 1831.

2342. v. EUROTAS HASTINGS, b. Jan. 26, 1833; m. Mary L. Cleveland.
2343. vi. CHARLOTTE HATHAWAY, b. Nov. 9, 1834; d. March 1, 1843.
2344. vii. HENRY HATHAWAY, b. Nov. 28, 1837.
2345. viii. MARY JANE, b. July 21, 1840; unm.; res. Painesville, Ohio.
2346. ix. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Nov. 25, 1841; d. July 24, 1842.
2347. x. CATHERINE, b. Jan. 9, 1844; m. Albert Peppon; res. Painesville.
2348. xi. EDWARD PAYSON, b. June 23, 1845; m. Susie Adams.

1147. RUFUS FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Jan. 17, 1774; he removed in 1795 to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y.; in 1800 to Bakersfield, Vt., where he d. of paralysis Jan. 15, 1849; he m., 1796, Lydia Davis, probably of Greenfield, Mass., b. ——, d. Dec. 1, 1813, aged 33; m., 2d, Jan. 12, 1815, Hannah, dau. of Nathan Billings and widow of Joel Webster, b. in Shutesbury, Mass., Jan. 20, 1778; d. Jan. 25, 1863. Res. Bakersfield, Vt.

2349. i. HANNAH, b. Nov. 12, 1798; m. Nov. 23, 1818, Seth P. Huntley, of Hardwick, Vt.; d. November, 1877.
2350. ii. OLIVER, b. 1800; d., 1803.
2351. iii. EBENEZER WILKINSON, b. March 10, 1804; m. Adah T. David and Sarah Cooper.
2352. iv. MIRANDA, b. 1806; d. 1809.
2353. v. LYDIA, b. 1807; m. Jan. 29, 1828, Nathan Phillips, of Newfane, Vt.; d. Dec. 31, 1861.
2354. vi. RUFUS, b. Nov. 7, 1808; d. Dec. 22, 1830.
2355. vii. CHARLES, b. Sept. 22, 1811; m. Harriet Marcy and Mary Davis.
2356. viii. SAMANTHA, b. Feb. 2, 1816.
2357. ix. DIANTHA, b. April 7, 1818; m. Nov. 5, 1856, Lyman Walker, of Enosburg, Vt.
2358. x. CYNTHIA, b. May 8, 1828.

1148. CAPTAIN HORACE FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt) (95), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Nov. 2, 1775; he removed in 1795 to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y.; in 1806 to Alexandria, Va., where he d. Jan. 3, 1841; he commanded a company of militia in the battles about Washington and Alexandria, which were burned by the British, Aug. 25, 1814, by which he lost nearly all his property. While in Alexandria he was engaged in trade and in the tobacco business; he m. about 1804, —— Myers. Res. Alexandria, Va.

2359. i. OLIVER, b. July 13, 1805; m. Jane Dixon.
2360. ii. FILANA, b. ——; m. James Patterson, of Baltimore, Md.
2361. iii. HORACE, b. ——.
2362. iv. PAMELIA, b. ——.
2363. v. RODOLPHUS, b. ——.
2364. vi. HORACE, b. ——.
2365. vii. PAMELIA, b. ——.

1149. JONATHAN FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Deerfield, Mass., 1777; he removed in 1795 to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y.; in 1806 to Alexandria, Va., where he was engaged in trade and tobacco business; about 1845 he removed to Kentucky, where he d. in 1865, leaving a widow, but no children.

1151. OLIVER FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Deer-

field, Mass., 1781; went with his father to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y., in 1796; in 1802 removed to Amsterdam, N. Y.; in 1808 to Schenectady, N. Y.; in 1810 to Sodus, N. Y., where he d. in 1820; he m. about 1805 Olive Crandall, widow of —— Keyes, of Amsterdam; d. in Sodus, N. Y., in 1818. Res. Sodus, N. Y.

2366. i. SILAS CRANDALL, b. Jan. 1, 1807; d. Azubah M. Harlow.
2367. ii. RUFUS W., b. Dec. 11, 1809; m. Catharine M. Monroe.
2368. iii. HANNAH, b. 1812; d. in Geneva, N. Y., in 1824.
2369. iv. CEPHAS, b. 1815; drowned in Lake Ontario Nov. 12, 1833.
2370. v. ANNA, b. April 10, 1818; m. Selah B. Avery, of Waterloo, N. Y.; d. in Oakland, Cal., in 1856.

1153. CEPHAS FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Sept. 17, 1785; he went with his father in 1795 to Phelps, N. Y.; in 1809 removed to Sodus, N. Y.; in 1810 returned to Phelps; in 1821 removed to Lyons, Wayne county; in 1823 returned to Sodus; in 1837 removed to Allegan, Mich., where he d. March 15, 1861. While in Sodus he was engaged in the manufacture of salt. Finding that unprofitable, he abandoned it. After his removal to Allegan, he was engaged in mercantile and transportation business. He enlisted early in the war of 1812, and served until peace was declared. He was at the burning of Black Rock and Buffalo by the British Dec. 30, 1813; at the capture of Fort Erie July 2, 1814; battle of Bridgewater July 5, 1814; Lundy's Lane July 25, 1814, and at the defense of Fort Erie, where the British commander, General Drummond, was killed, Aug. 15, 1814, and various skirmishes on the Canadian frontier. He d. March 15, 1861. He m., 1805, Elizabeth, dau. of John J. S. and Polly E. (Hawks) Taylor, of Phelps, b. in Deerfield, Mass., Aug. 1, 1784; d. in Allegan, Mich., Dec. 24, 1839. Res. Sodus, N. Y.

2371. i. WELLS, b. June 12, 1807; m. Mary Ann McIntosh.
2372. ii. NANCY, b. Sept. 6, 1809; m. Jan. 24, 1830, William Pullen, now of Allegan, Mich.; d. Dec. 4, 1877. He was b. Phelps, N. Y., June 26, 1805; d. Jan. 8, 1883. Ch.: 1. S. Elizabeth Van Buren, b. Feb. 5, 1831; m. June 14, 1854, Allegan, Mich. 2. George Pullen, b. July 14, 1832; m. Sept. 20, 1855; d. Oct. 8, 1858, aged 26 years. 3. William W. Pullen, b. March 29, 1835; m. Oct. 14, 1863, Otsego, Allegan county, Mich. 4. Harriet Pullen, b. June 15, 1837; d. Aug. 22, 1839. 5. Phœbe A. Priest, b. Nov. 10, 1839; m. March 16, 1863, Allegan, Mich. 6. Cornelia R., b. Sept. 18, 1842; m. Nov. 21, 1879, Joseph W. Ely; res. Allegan, Mich.; he was b. March 18, 1840. Ch.: (a) Georgia Winfield Ely, b. Sept. 9, 1879; m. Nov. 8, 1898; present name, Georgia W. Sithes, Millgrove, Allegan county, Mich. 7. N. Ellen Lonsbury, b. Oct. 7, 1844; m. Oct. 12, 1869, Allegan, Mich. 8. Julia E. Winslow, b. March 10, 1847; m. Oct. 6, 1868; d. Aug. 16, 1874, aged 27 years. 9. Anastasie Warner, b. Jan. 11, 1849; m. Oct. 5, 1880, Allegan, Mich. 10. John W. Pullen, b. Nov. 3, 1851; m. June 14, 1881, Allegan, Mich.; George F. Pullen, son of George, deceased, Allegan, Mich., James H. Winslow, son of Julia Winslow, deceased, Hastings, Barry county, Mich.
2373. iii. ELIZABETH HAWKS, b. May 3, 1811; m. Jan. 29, 1832, Oramel Fish, of Sodus, N. Y.; d. in Allegan, Mich., Aug. 19, 1875. He was b. Charlemont, Mass., June 12, 1805; d. Feb. 27, 1857; res. Allegan, Mich.; she d. Aug. 19, 1875. Ch.: 1. Cephas Field, b.

Aug. 17, 1845; m. Aug. 19, 1869, Adelia Delight De Pew, b. May 12, 1845; res. 218 Waring street, Cleveland, Ohio. Ch.: (a) Flora Eliza Fish, b. Allegan, Allegan county, Mich., Aug. 24, 1870; m. June 29, 1893, O. I. Blanchard, 1246 Superior street, Cleveland, Ohio. (b) Arthur Cephas Fish, b. Dec. 2, 1876, Allegan, Mich.; m. April 10, 1898; res. 258 1st street, Detroit, Mich. (c) Anna Marie Fish, b. Dec. 2, 1876, Allegan, Mich.; res. 210 Waring street, Cleveland, Ohio.

2374. iv. CONSTANTINE CEPHAS, b. Feb. 18, 1813; m. Mary Warner.
2375. v. SOPHIA, b. March 3, 1815; m. 1840, William J. Niles, of Allegan, Mich.
2376. vi. JOHN TAYLOR, b. June 12, 1817; m. Eliza A. Hathaway.
2377. vii. JAMES, b. Dec. 1, 1819; d. May 7, 1821.
2378. viii. CORNELIA, b. May 26, 1822; d. April 26, 1828.
2379. ix. CHARLES STUART, b. Oct. 24, 1824; m. Eliza Jane Warner.

1155. RODOLPHUS FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Conway, Mass., June 11, 1790; went with his father in 1796 to Phelps, Ontario county, N. Y.; at the breaking out of the war of 1812 he was residing in Bakersfield, Vt., and enlisted at Burlington, Vt., in the Third Regiment, United States heavy artillery; he was in the bombardment of Burlington, Aug. 2, 1813; the battle of Chateaugeay, Oct. 26, 1813; La Colle's Mill, Canada, March 30, 1814, and the battle of Plattsburg, Sept. 11, 1814; at the close of the war he settled in Utica, N. Y.; in 1818 removed to Sodus, N. Y., where he resided; a pensioner.; he m. April 28, 1815, Rachel, dau. of Aaron and Susan (Watkins) Williams, of Utica, N. Y., b. Aug. 8, 1800; d. Dec. 29, 1875. Res. Sodus, N. Y.

2380. i. LURANCY, b. Jan. 29, 1816; d. April 10, 1838.
2381. ii. WILLIAM WILLIAMS, b. Dec. 15, 1820; m. Emily Tucker.
2382. iii. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 25, 1824; m. Jan. 1, 1841, Joshua Lepper, of Sodus, N. Y.
2383. iv. CHARLES, b. June 16, 1826; drowned May 11, 1839.
2384. v. MORRIS, b. Jan. 8, 1829; m. Louisa Degen.
2385. vi. OLIVER C., b. Nov. 10, 1830; m. Nancy P. Graves.
2386. vii. MARIA, b. Oct. 11, 1833; m. Jan. 4, 1850, Nathan May, of Sodus.
2387. viii. CLESSON, b. Nov. 15, 1835; m. Mary Jane Featherly.
2388. ix. CATHERINE C., b. March 15, 1837; m. Oct. 16, 1861, Ashur Warner, of Cleveland, Ohio.
2389 x. WARREN A., b. Jan. 3, 1840; m. Elmira C. Haroun.
2390. xi. MARY, b. Aug. 31, 1842; m. Jan. 20, 1864, William H. Mumford, of Sodus, N. Y.

1157. CHARLES FIELD (Oliver, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Keturah (Hoyt), b. in Phelps, N. Y., Nov. 21, 1796; he removed March 1, 1816, to Sodus Point, N. Y., where he d. March 17, 1880; he was a zealous and influential member of the Methodist church more than forty years; he m. March 28, 1818, Polly, dau. of Asa Hewitt, of Sodus, N. Y.; no issue.

1160. HON. HENRY FIELD (Elihu, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elihu and Hepsibah (Dickinson), b. in Deerfield, Mass., Aug. 18, 1779; went with his father in 1787 to Guilford, Vt.; in 1803 removed to Elbridge, N. Y.; in 1838 to Bellevue, Iowa, where he d.

April 18, 1868. While in Elbridge he was engaged in farming, merchandise and other business relations. He held various county and town offices and represented Onondaga county in the legislature in 1822; he m. Dec. 20, 1807, Lucinda Frisbie, of Branford, Conn., b. Feb. 17, 1783; d. May 5, 1858. Res. Elbridge, N. Y.

2391. i. FREDERICK, b. Oct. 8, 1808; d. Feb. 18, 1809.
2392. ii. HENRY, b. Feb. 12, 1810; m. Jane A. Potter and Mary Bail.
2393. iii. FREDERICK, b. Aug. 20, 1812; m. Hannah F. Peck and ——.
2394. iv. JULIA, b. Jan. 3, 1814; m., May 31, 1838, John S. Ball; m., 2d, Jan. 21, 1860, William A. Warren, of Bellevue.
2395. v. MATILDA D., b. June 15, 1816; m. Jan. 16, 1851, William A. Warren, of Bellevue, Iowa; d. Sept. 24, 1858.
2396. vi. PLINY ASHLEY, b. July 10, 1818; m. Jane H. Lamberton.
2397. vii. LUCINDA, b. July 20, 1820.
2398. viii. GRATIA EMILY, b. Sept. 13, 1823; d. Jan. 5, 1824.

1161. CAPTAIN ELIHU FIELD (Elihu, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. June 6, 1781; m. April 13, 1808, Pamelia Burt, dau. of Ithamar, b. 1784; d. Springfield, Ohio, Aug. 10, 1872. He was the son of Elihu and Hepsibah (Dickinson), b. in Deerfield, Mass.; went with his father in 1787 to Guilford, Vt., where he resided until his death, Sept. 3, 1864. He was a prominent man in town, holding various town offices, the duties of which he discharged to the satisfaction of his townsmen. He was adjutant of the First Regiment of Vermont Militia during the war of 1812, the duties being very arduous. He was the first postmaster appointed in town, Jan. 1, 1819, which office he held twenty years, when he resigned. He was a member of the Constitutional Convention of 1836, when the Government Council was changed to the Senate, which he opposed, but afterward acknowledged the change was a good one. He represented the town in the Legislature in 1842 and 1843. He m. April 13, 1808, Pamelia, dau. of Ithamar and Prudence (Dickinson) Burt, of Guilford, b. in Deerfield, Mass., Dec. 27, 1783; d. Aug. 10, 1872. She was well versed in the early history of the country, and always kept herself well informed regarding the industrial and political history in which she took great interest. During the great Southern Rebellion she was greatly interested in the result, thinking the war was brought on by a few Southern leaders to aggrandize themselves, and form a despotic government based on slavery. She was strongly opposed to woman suffrage, thinking it without woman's sphere of usefulness; and said political affairs should be left for men to attend to, considering it out of propriety for women to attend the polls. She was charitable to the poor, and respected by all her neighbors. He d. Sept. 3, 1864. Res. Guilford, Vt.

2399. i. RODNEY BURT, b. Feb. 25, 1809; m. Louisa H. Chamberlain.
2400. ii. CORA ARABELLA, b. Dec. 30, 1810; m. Aug. 15, 1836, Samuel Houghton, Jr., of Guilford, Vt.; removed to Springfield, Ohio; she d. s. p. March 7, 1875.
2401. iii. LAURA PAMELIA, b. July 25, 1812; d. July 19, 1833.
2402. iv. JANE SOPHIA, b. Feb. 10, 1816; d. Aug. 27, 1819.
2403. v. JANE SOPHIA, b. Sept. 2, 1820; d. Dec. 23, 1866.

1162. PLINY ASHLEY FIELD (Elihu, David, Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elihu and Hepsibah (Dickinson), b. in Deerfield, Mass., June 2, 1783; went with his father in 1787 to Guilford, Vt.; he removed in 1808 to Black Rock, Erie county, N. Y.; he was drowned in the Niagara river by the capsizing of a boat May 31, 1817. His buildings were burned and nearly all his personal property destroyed by the British when they captured

the place, Dec. 29, 1813. He afterward rebuilt and kept a tavern known as the Vermont House, which was very popular and extensively known to travelers, which was burned in 1879. He m. at Black Rock Sept. 17, 1810, Olivia, dau. of George and Susan (——) Babcock, b. in Preston, Conn., Oct. 13, 1787; she m., 2d, 1822, Isaac Jennings; m., 3d, May 15, 1846, Dr. John R. Mitchell, of Northampton, N. Y.; she d. in Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1858. Res. Black Rock, N. Y.

2404. i. CHARLOTTE ANN, b. Oct. 6, 1811; d. Dec. 23, 1813.
2405. ii. GEORGE PLINY, b. Nov. 11, 1813; m. Elizabeth Vose.
2406. iii. CAROLINE AUGUSTA, b. Oct. 3, 1815; m. July 20, 1831, George Hedge, of Buffalo, N. Y.
2407. iv. CHARLOTTE OLIVIA, b. Aug. 26, 1817; m. March 29, 1841, James D. Sawyer, of Buffalo, N. Y.; d. Jan. 12, 1877.

1169. ELIJAH FIELD (Oliver, Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Longmeadow, Mass., Dec. 29, 1780; m. May 8, 1806, Cynthia Terry, dau. of Col. Asaph and Penelope, of Enfield, b. June 2, 1787; d. 1823. He d. July 18, 1857; State records say he d. Aug. 23, 1857. Res. Longmeadow, Mass.

2408. i. NAOMY, b. May 29, 1808.
2409. ii. ELIJAH, b. Sept. 13, 1810; res. Philadelphia; d. there.
2410. iii. CYNTHIA, b. Feb. 24, 1813; m. Edmund Sackett, of Westfield, Mass.; removed to Illinois.
2411. iv. ANNA, b. June 15, 1815; m. October, 1834, Theodore Noble, of Rome, N. Y.
2412. v. MARY TERRY, b. April 1, 1817; m. Robert McChester, of Longmeadow; went to Illinois.
2413. vi. AARON, b. July 25, 1819; d. Aug. 21, 1834.
2414. vii. LORINDA, b. Feb. 2, 1822; m. Aug. 1, 1841, David Ashley, of West Springfield, Mass.

1171. CALEB COOLEY FIELD (Oliver, Moses, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Oliver and Ann (Cooley), b. in Longmeadow, Mass., March 29, 1787; d. Sept. 19, 1859. He inherited the old homestead of his great-grandfather, Thomas Field. He m. Jan. 19, 1814, Sarah L., dau. of Asahel and Sarah (Lankton) Cotton, of Longmeadow, b. March 17, 1793; d. Nov. 3, 1863. Res. Longmeadow, Mass.

2415. i. OLIVER, b. March 27, 1815; m. Lucy H. Hatch.
2416. ii. FLAVIA H., b. June 25, 1817; m. Sept. 1, 1840, George B. Gleason, of Buffalo, N. Y.; d. May 7, 1844.
2417. iii. MOSES, b. June 21, 1820; m. Ann J. Pierson.

1177. ALFRED LORENZO FIELD (Peter R., Simeon, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Colebrook, N. H., April 16, 1809; bap. Enfield, Conn., June 30, 1816; m. Enfield, Conn., May 28, 1838, Elizabeth Lusk, b. Aug. 19, 1814, Enfield, Conn., in the homestead which still belongs to the Lusk family; d. Dec. 14, 1868; killed by the cars at Delevan, near his Beloit home. He removed in 1842 to Lebanon, N. H.; in 1844 to Colebrook, N. H.; in 1853 to Beloit, Wis. Alfred L. Field was in the early days postmaster in Beloit; owner of a flour mill; cashier in the bank; trustee of the Female Seminary; one of the founders of and deacon in the Second Congregational church; merchant and quartermaster during the civil war of Fortieth Wisconsin Regiment. He d. Dec. 14, 1868. Res. Beloit, Wis.

2418. i. MARY LUSK, b. March 29, 1840; d. July 31, 1841.
2419. ii. SYLVESTER GRAHAM, b. May 19, 1843.

2420. iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 26, 1845; m. Oct. 25, 1871, James Hale Bates; res. 64 Remsen street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Ch.: 1. James Field, b. Sept. 21, 1872; d. June 21, 1874. 2. Elizabeth Graham, b. Dec. 10, 1873; d. Rome, Italy, Jan. 5, 1890. 3. Helen Phelps, b. Aug. 13, 1875; d. July 16, 1884. 4. Carolina Lusk, b. Sept. 17, 1876; d. Dec. 17, 1878.

2421. iv. JAMES ALFRED, b. Aug. 8, 1847; m. Caroline L. Whitney.

1179. DOCTOR JUNIUS LEAVENWORTH FIELD (Edward, Simeon, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Edward and Sarah (Baldwin), b. in Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 1, 1808; graduated at Yale College in 1831; a physician; he settled in Wolcott, and later in Cheshire, Conn.; in —— removed to Unadilla, Mich., where he d. Nov. 23, 1867; he m. Oct. 30, 1831, Mrs. Maria, dau. of James and Betsey (Shaw) Briggs, of ——, widow of Mr. Packard. Res. Unadilla, Mich.

2422. i. JAMES E., b. Dec. 20, 1832; m. Loretta Beal and Sarah Beal.

2423. ii. SARAH E., b. March 18, 1837; d. March 14, 1846.

2424. iii. EUGENE B., b. May 24, 1840; d. Aug. 9, 1840.

2425. iv. CALVIN B., b. Jan. 20, 1844; d. Sept. 20, 1847.

1180. HENRY BALDWIN FIELD (Edward, Simeon, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 11, 1811; m. New Haven, Conn., June 14, 1836, Sarah Ann Bulkley, b. Nov. 28, 1813; she was dau. of Franklin and Content (Mix).

Until nearly forty years of age he lived in Waterbury and New Haven, but on the discovery of gold in California, he joined the great company of forty-niners and went to the Pacific coast in search of the precious metal. He returned East in 1851, and again took up his residence in Waterbury. In 1855 he was appointed secretary and treasurer of the Waterbury Gas Light Company. From that time until July, 1883, the management of the company was in his hands. To his faithfulness, perseverance and integrity the success of the business was chiefly due. He m. Sarah A. Bulkley, dau. of Captain Francis. He had two children. He d. in Waterbury, Jan. 1, 1892. Res. Waterbury, Conn.

2426. i. A DAUGHTER, b. March 21, 1841; d. same day.

2427. ii. FRANCIS BULKLEY, b. Sept. 16, 1843; m. Ella Scoville Cook, Nov. 22, 1870; postoffice address, Waterbury, Conn.

2428. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. March 21, 1849; m. Elizabeth Rockwell Tremaine.

1190. THOMAS FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Saybrook, Conn., Oct. 5, 1794; m. July 20, 1821, in Coxsackie, N. Y., Mariah Van Slyke, b. 1805; d. Nov. 29, 1868. He was a farmer, and went to New York State in 1809. He d. Oct. 3, 1858. Res. Port Byron and East Durham, N. Y.

2429. i. SAMUEL, b. May 16, 1822. He went to Oregon in 1850, m. and had four children He went to the gold fields, and was reported killed by Indians in 1858, but this is not so. He was quite prosperous, and resided in Oregon. In 1847 he started across the plains to California and Oregon; at the age of 22 years he was in the Crimean war; was wounded twice; the United States granted him for his services 600 40 acres of land, 300.20 for himself, 300.20 for his wife.

2430. ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 16, 1826; m. Nov. 11, 1848, Joseph

Keeler; res. Catskill, N. Y. He was b. Sept. 20, 1826; is an undertaker and furniture dealer. Ch.: 1. Newton D. Keeler, b. Aug. 22, 1849; m. 1872, Fannie, dau. of Rev. Millard; he d. Sept. 15, 1873; he was an undertaker and bookkeeper in his father's store at the time of his death; the other children died young.

The village suffered no ordinary loss in the recent death of Newton D. Keeler. It will be difficult to fill his place in the confidence and esteem of the business community. All who had dealings with him bear cheerful testimony to his quiet and gentlemanly conduct. We have never know a young man of twenty-four more highly honored and beloved by all ages and classes. This was evident on the day of his funeral. Such a concourse of people as crowded the church, aisles, vestibule and steps is not often seen on a secular day. It was a spontaneous tribute of respect to the business capacity and moral worth of the deceased. He was free from the vices which degrade and curse many young men. He was thoughtful and studious, and had a mind of wonderful grasp and comprehension. This writer often conversed with him on questions of profound interest, and was surprised to find him so thoroughly acquainted with the various subjects under consideration. About four years since, under the pastorate of the Rev. Z. N. Lewis, the deceased professed faith in Christ and united with the Methodist Episcopal church in this village, since which time till his death, which occurred on Monday, Sept. 15, he has been known as a quiet, consistent, earnest follower of the Lord Jesus. He was also very efficient and useful in the Sunday-school, being both secretary and treasurer at the time of his death. He was united in marriage to Miss Fannie C., daughter of Rev. J. Millard, Oct. 23, 1872, who now mourns her irreparable loss. Of their uncommon devotion to each other I may not now speak. Family worship was maintained till within two or three days of their separation. His father-in-law says of him, "I never knew a more perfect character." Newton Keeler died as he lived. A few hours before death his father asked "How does it look on the other side?" He answered, "Beautiful, glorious, heavenly." Then pausing to rest, he sang:

"'Tis a heaven below
My Redeemer to know,
And the angels can do nothing more
Than to fall at his feet,
And the story repeat,
And the Lover of sinners adore."

—Catskill, N. Y., Paper.

2431. iii. JOHN, b. Jan. 13, 1832; m. Mary Jane Field.

1191. HENRY WILLIAM FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Thomas, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William) b. Aug. 8, 1790; bap. Coxsackie, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1796; m. in 1811, Jane Thompson, a Quakeress, b. 1796; d. April 20, 1833; m., 2d, Catherine Emily Newell, d. Dec. 20, 1836; m., 3d, Mabel Close, d. April 30, 1883; he was a farmer. He d. Oct. 24, 1874. Res. Durham, N. Y.

2432. i. GEORGE, b. Jan. 22, 1812; m. Rebecca Vanhone and Catherine Hollenbeck.

2433. iii. HENRY, b. June 11, 1821; m. Asenath Ferguson and Catherine Bennett.

2434. iv. ANN ELIZA, b. June 15, 1825; m. —— Howland, but d. s. p. Aug. 21, 1867.

2435. v. JULIETTE, b. Sept. 10, 1826; d. unm. Dec. 9, 1869.

2436. vi. RICHARD, b. Sept. 10, 1829; m. Emeline A. Manvel.

2437. vii. JANE ANN, b. April 5, 1833; m. —— Gibbs; a dau., Ann Gibbs, res. Polo, Ill.

2438. viii. HARRIET EMILY, b. Oct. 9, 1834; d. unm. March 22, 1890.

2439. ix. CATHERINE, b. Dec. 11, 1836; m. Wm. Henry Snyder, d. Cairo, N. Y., January, 1863; she d. Sept. 5, 1896. Ch.: 1. George L. Snyder, b. May 21, 1858, Sunside, N. Y. 2. William Snyder, b. Aug. 22, 1860, Catskill, N. Y. 3. Sarah Elizabeth, b. Oct. 4, 1862; m. Nov. 12, 1884, George R. Peck, b. April 18, 1862; is a farmer; res. s. p. South Egremont, Mass.

2440. ii. WILLIAM ELI, b. July 24, 1840; m. Mary A. Meddaugh.

1197. ROSWELL FIELD (George, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of George and Martha (Smith), b. in Northfield, Mass., March 19, 1777; d. July 31, 1835; he m. Oct. 23, 1803, Eunice, dau. of Simeon and Jerusha (Stratton) Alexander, of Northfield, b. Feb. 1, 1783; d. Feb. 14, 1821.

Roswell, of Northfield, 1836; Ezekiel Wood, guardian, Aug. 23, 1836; he d. July 21, 1855; Geo. Field appointed administrator, Nov. 6, 1855; Simeon A. Field hold undivided seventh in estate in common with Eliza Graves, Chas. P. Field, Adeline Merriam, heirs of Jerusha A. Kelton, Horace F. Field and Sarah A. Holton; Simeon A. and Horace F. were sons.

Res. Northfield, Mass.

2441. i. ELIZA, b. March 15, 1804; m. James Merriam and Wyman Groves, of Northfield; she d. Sept. 3, 1891.

2442. ii. SIMEON A., b. Oct. 13, 1805; m. Mrs. Adeline (Merriam) Stratton.

2443. iii. LUCRETIA, b. July 20, 1807; d. Feb. 15, 1818.

2444. iv. ADELINE, b. Sept. 20, 1809; m. June 29, 1837, James Merriam, of Northfield; d. 1855. He was b. Northfield April 9, 1814; d. Feb. 25, 1899; was a farmer. Ch.: 1. Ellen M. Merriam, b. Sept. 22, 1838; unm.; res. Northfield Farms, Mass. 2. Eunice A. Savage, b. July 19, 1840; postoffice, Montague City. 3. William E. Merriam, b. Aug. 28, 1842; Northfield Farms, Mass. 4. Charles Field Merriam, b. March 19, 1845; d. Oct. 7, 1876. 5. Julia E., b. May 19, 1848; d. Feb. 11, 1852. 6. Frank A., b. April 13, 1852; d. Nov. 13, 1852. She d. Nov. 17, 1891.

2445. v. CHARLES P., b. Sept. 17, 1813; m. Mary J. Rosenbury and Elnora S. Pratt.

2446. vi. JERUSHA A., b. June 16, 1816; m. Merrill M. Kelton, of Northfield; d. Aug. 31, 1855, s. p.

2447. vii. HORACE FRANKLIN, b. March 18, 1818; m. Mary E. Gage.

2448. viii. SARAH A., b. Feb. 20, 1821; m. May 26, 1842, Horace Holton, of Northfield, son of Horace, b. July 31, 1812; she d. March 6, 1865; he m. Fanny Webb; three children; one was Sarah Estelle, b. Feb. 10, 1843; m. March 15, 1869, John Francis Rice, b. May 24, 1842; res. 39 Pacific street, Fitchburg, Mass. Ch.: 1. Sarah

Florence Rice, b. Jan. 16, 1870; d. Nov. 7, 1871. 2. Theo. Francis Rice, b. Aug. 6, 1871; m. Aug. 6, 1894, Alice Elizabeth Harper; postoffice address, South Framingham, Mass. 3. Walter Field Rice, b. Oct. 2, 1873; m. Oct. 28, 1896, to Abbie Louise Lamb; postoffice address, 85 Day street, Fitchburg, Mass.

1199. HON. GEORGE FIELD (George, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Massachusetts, June 16, 1781; m. Dec. 2, 1805, Phila Holton, dau. of Elisha and Louise (Benjamin) Holton, b. March 11, 1786; d. Oct. 22, 1840; m., 2d, Feb. 16, 1841, Mrs. Ruth (Holton) Scott, dau. of Elijah and Rhoda (Root) Holton, and widow of Martin, b. Feb. 7, 1792; she m., 3d, April 13, 1857, Job M. Dickinson, and d. Nov. 21, 1869; he was Representative in 1833. He was a type of the early New England settlers; industrious and intelligent, honest and upright in his dealings with others, prizing and working for his home and family, and respected by all. A member of the church and constant in attendance with his family, doing all he could for education where he lived, letting nothing but sickness keep his children from school, giving them as good an education as his means would allow. In a few words, he lived for his home, his Church, the schools and his native town, never missing a town meeting, if it were possible for him to be there. He was a good farmer for those times. He was a selectman of Northfield in 1818, 1819 and 1820; a Representative to the Legislature in 1833. He carried on an extensive farm, and was also a good carpenter. He was a stern but just man, fond of his family, and desirous of giving his children a good education.

George, of Northfield, June 2, 1856, recorded; wife, Ruth; sons, Alfred Russell Field, Caleb Clesson Field, George, Jr.; daughters, Louise, wife of Samuel Merriman; Phila, wife of the late Hiram Withington; son, Alfred, executor.—Franklin County Probate.

Elisha Holton, father of Mrs. Field, was b. in Northfield, Mass., 1756; m. to Lois Benjamin in June 9, 1785; she was b. in Hardwick, Mass., in 1757; her father's name was Caleb Benjamin, and moved to Wendell. Their children were: 1. Phila Holton, b. March 11, 1786. 2. Electa Holton, b. March 2, 1788. 3. Elisha Holton, b. March 28, 1790. 4. Elihu Holton, b. March 28, 1792. 5. Eliphalet Holton, b. Aug. 2, 1796. 6. Lois Holton, b. March 19, 1802; she d. July 29, 1803. The Holtons were of good family relations respected by friends and neighbors, and their descendants are scattered from New England to California.

George d. March 8 (State records say March 10), 1856. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2449. i. GEORGE, b. April 2, 1806; d. July 1, 1810.

2450. ii. SON, b. April 3, 1808; d. April 4, 1810.

2451. iii. DAUGHTER, b. Feb. 19, 1809; d. Feb. 27, 1809.

2452. iv. CALEB CLESSON, b. May 27, 1810; m. Hannah C. Danforth, Mrs. Anna S. Carter and Martha Joslyn.

2453. v. MARTHA S., b. Jan. 9, 1813; d. unm. Sept. 16, 1832.

2454. vi. ALFRED RUSSELL, b. Oct. 28, 1815; m. Sarah N. Allen, Mary H. Allen and Rebecca J. Williams.

2455. vii. LOIS B., b. Nov. 17, 1817; m. Nov. 12, 1837, Samuel Merriman. She d. Sept. 9, 1890. He was son of Levi, was b. May 12, 1807; d. Dec. 21, 1854; res. Northfield. Ch.: 1. Clesson, b. Nov. 28, 1838; m. Helen M. Montague. They had one son, Arthur C. Merriman, b. June 11, 1868, his mother dying three days later. Clesson carried on his father's large farm until 1882, when he removed to Leominster, where he still lives, and where his son

conducts a large horn manufactory. 2. Mary, b. Nov. 24, 1840; d. Feb. 23, 1844. 3. Crosby, b. May 25, 1844; d. Feb. 23, 1845. 4. Ella, b. Nov. 4, 1846; m. Sept. 17, 1867, J. Augustus Barber; she d. s. p. Leominster, Oct. 15, 1889. 5. Russell, b. Oct. 22, 1851; d. July 31, 1853. 6. George, b. May 22, 1854; d. April 11, 1857.

2456. viii. GEORGE, b. April 4, 1820; m. Susan A. Brainard.

2457. ix MARY, b. March 18, 1823; d. April 23, 1840.

2458. x. PHILA, b. March 25, 1826; m. Feb. 21, 1848, Rev. Hiram Withington, a Unitarian clergyman, b. July 29, 1818; d. Oct. 30, 1848; she res. s. p. Leominster, Mass. He was son of Isaac Withington, of Dorchester, Mass., b. Aug. 7, 1772; d. Feb. 10, 1854; m. Dec. 15, 1799, Mary Turner, of Hanover, Mass., b. Nov. 1, 1781; d. Jan. 1, 1854. Rev. Hiram was b. July 29, 1818, m. Nov. 17, 1844, Elizabeth Humphrey Clapp; she d. in Leominster, Mass., Dec. 3, 1845. The only issue was by the first wife, a son, Wm. Clapp Withington, res. 41 Stanley street, Dorchester, Mass. Rev. Hiram was educated at the schools of his native town, and began teaching at the age of sixteen in Hanover. At seventeen was teaching in the grammar school in Dorchester. From early youth he was interested and took part in the Sunday-school, where he was liked by the pupils very much. He wished to study for the ministry, and was encouraged by his minister, Rev. Mr. Hall. He entered the divinity school at Cambridge in 1841 for three years, and at the close of that time was settled as pastor of the First church in Leominster in December, 1844, and on account of ill-heatlh was obliged to resign in 1848, and died in Dorchester Oct. 30, 1848. It was with great regret to both himself and people that he was obliged to separate from them. His disposition was mild and affectionate and yet firm. His manners winning, and his voice particularly pleasing. There was a small memoir published concerning him by his intimate friend, Rev. Joseph H. Allen, of Northboro. One friend said of him at the time, "That though he died young, his life was long, for it was crowded to its close with noble aims and lofty endeavors."

2459. xi. PRUSIA, b. March 15, 1829; d. Dec. 22, 1834.

2460. xii. MORRIS M., b. March 10, 1834; d. July 29, 1839.

1201. JESSE FIELD (George, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of George and Martha (Smith), b. in Northfield, Mass., Oct. 5, 1787; he is probably the Jesse who m. Experience, dau. of Joshua Smead, b. 1789; removed to Norway, N. Y.

1203. ELIHU FIELD (George, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of George and Martha (Smith), b. in Northfield, Mass., Nov. 10, 1794; settled in Athol, Mass.; he m. Elizabeth Stratton. Res. Athol, Mass.

2461. i. A SON.

2462. ii. A SON.

2463. iii. A DAUGHTER.

2464. iv. A SON.

2465. v. A DAUGHTER.

2466. vi. PROSPER JOSEPH, b. about 1836; last heard of was in Oregon.

1206. SYLVESTER FIELD (Rufus, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., July 13, 1770; m. Jemima Freeman, dau. of Daniel and Jemima. He d. 1847. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2467. i. THOMAS JEFFERSON, b. Jan. 6, 1804; m. Maria Durkee.

2468. ii. HORATIO, b. April 21, 1814; m. Lucinda Brigham and Frances Maria Mason.

2469. iii. HOLLIS, b. Dec. 8, 1816.

2470. iv. LYDIA, b. Nov. 8, 1819.

2471. v. SYLVANUS, b. Dec. 11, 1809; m. Deborah Bonney and Mrs. Lurana (Parkman) Robbins.

2472. vi. AHAZ, b. Oct. 13, 1805; m. Mary Brown.

2473. vii. JOSIAH, b. April 2, 1807; m. Lydia Carrier.

2474. viii. JEMIMA, b. March 14, 1811; m. April 29, 1838, Evander G. Marsh, of Vernon, Vt.; she d. Sept. 15, 1880.

2475. ix. FRANCIS, b. May 11, 1822; m. Harriet Deming.

1209. HOLLIS FIELD (Rufus, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Jan. 22, 1778; m. Jan. 21, 1806, Betsey Jennings; she m., 2d, Oct. 12, 1813, Obed Morgan, of Gill; d. April 30, 1857.

Hollis, of Northfield, d. June. 22 1813; filed; wife Betseym., 2d, Morgan before fully administering on husband's estate; de bonis non; letter of administrator dated Jan. 4, 1814.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Northfield, Mass.

2476. i. ROSWELL, b. April 11, 1808; a physician; res. in Gill, Mass.; owner of the sandstone quarries at Turner's Falls, containing bird and other tracks; d. Nov. 26, 1882; unm.

Dr. Roswell, of Gill, 1883; d. Nov. 25, 1882; half-brothers, Obed Morgan, Jr., of Deerfield; Elijah S. Morgan, of Sunderland; half-sisters, Jerusha A. Marble, of Gill; Mary E. Morgan, of Gill; nephews, Cornelius O. Field, of Westfield; Albert A. Field, of Gill; niece, Eugenia M. Foster, of Gill. Gives to Mt. Hermon School for Boys in Gill entire cabinet of fossils, footprints, shells, minerals and natural and artificial curiosities; also the sum of $1,600, $1,000 of which is to be used in enlarging and replenishing said cabinet, and that $600 shall be used in providing a suitable building for said cabinet or in making such provision as shall seem best to directors of said school. Gives $1,000 for purpose of founding a library in school district No. 4 at Northfield Farms, principal to be invested, interest only to be used in sustaining and replenishing said library.—Probate Records.]

2477. ii. DWIGHT, b. June 19, 1810; m. Mary A. Allen.

1210. RUFUS FIELD (Rufus, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., June 16, 1780; settled in Erving, Mass.; d. July 7, 1858; he m. Hannah Jennings, b. July 21, 1777; d. July 21, 1825; he was a farmer. Res. Erving, Mass

2478. i. ELIZA, b. ——; m. Silas Bruce, of Erving, Mass.

2479. ii. RUFUS, b. May 20, 1812; m. Azubah N. Benjamin.

1214. SETH FIELD (Rufus, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Rufus and Elizabeth (Field), b. in Northfield, Mass., May 13, 1791; he m., Feb. 9, 1814, Polly, dau. of Lemuel and Sarah (Moffitt)

Coy, of Northfield; b. July 23, 1795; m., 2d, —— Fox, of Coleraine, Mass., widow of Sylvanus Hastings. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2480. i. ELIAL GILBERT, b. 1816; m. Fanny D. Pratt.
2481. ii. WILLARD, b. 1818.
2482. iii. SARAH JANE, b. 1820; m. John Perry, of Amherst, Mass.
2483. iv. ALVANUS W., b. ——; m. Sylphiana Whipple.
2484. v. SETH, b. ——.
2485. vi. FIDELIA, b. ——; m. Addison Beach, of Pittsford, Vt.
2486. vii. ENOS, b. ——.
2487. viii. MARY ANN, b. ——; m. Willard Fisher, of Brattleboro, Vt.
2488. ix. ALMIRA J., b. ——; m. Harrison Cole, of Brattleboro, Vt.

1217. HENRY FIELD (Henry, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass,, Oct. 3, 1789; m. Dec. 29, 1814, Mary Simonds, dau. of Capt. William, b. Aug. 5, 1790; d. Dec. 24, 1848. Henry Field, son of Henry and Rhoda (Stratton), was b. in Northfield, Mass.; he was killed by being drawn over the dam embankment at Webster's Mill by a blind horse.

Henry, of Northfield, March 25, 1833, filed; children, William Henry, Morgan, Elijah Carpenter, Albert, Mary Ann, George Artemas, Asa Sanderson, Erasmus, Martha, Julia (minors), Lucretia; Asahel Sawyer, guardian; wife, Mary.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. March 5, 1833. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2489. i. HENRY W., b. Nov. 26, 1815; d. Nov. 22, 1838.
2490. ii. MARY A., b. April 9, 1817; m. Sept. 22, 1827,* George H. Waters, Waterbury, Conn.
2491. iii. ELIJAH CARPENTER, b. March 28, 1819; m. Louisa H. Starr.
2492. iv. ALBERT ADAMS, b. Feb. 13, 1821; m. Eliza Morgan.
2493. v. GEORGE ARTEMAS, b. March 20, 1823; m. Elizabeth Wheelock.
2494. vi. ASA SANDERSON, b. Aug. 22, 1825; m. Laura Jewell.
2495. vii. ERASMUS JARVIS, b. May 23, 1827; m. Sarah Sergeant.
2496. viii. MARTHA E., b. March 18, 1829; m. Eli Porter, of New Britain, Conn.
2497. ix. JULIA ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 18, 1831; m. D. Gilbert Wilkins, of Leyden; she d. June, 1873.
2498. x. LUCRETIA, b. ——.

1218. CHARLES F. FIELD (Henry, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., April 1, 1794; m. Dec. 21, 1820, Electa Mattoon, dau. of Samuel, b. March 20, 1796; d. May 16, 1823; m., 2d, Dec. 20, 1827, Mary Harriet Alexander, dau. of Elijah and Polly (Field), b. Dec. 31, 1806.

Charles F. Field, of Northfield, 1875; wife, Mary H.; daughters, Rhoda S., wife of Lucius O. Field; Sophia B., wife of Chas. H. Stearns; Isabella A., wife of Joseph C. Swan; Mary H. Field; Sarah E., wife of Samuel R. Furrow; Frances H. Field; Clarissa J. Field; Roxanna B., wife of John W. Mann; son, Frederick F. Field, Elijah A. Field, Otis E. Field; witnessed by Simeon A. Field.

He d. March 14, 1875. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2499. i. CYRUS WASHBURNE, b. Nov. 19, 1821; d. July 18, 1862.
2500. ii. RHODA STRATTON, b. April 28, 1829; m. Lucius O. Field.
2501. iii. SOPHIA BEAUFORT, b. June 1, 1830; m. Feb. 27, 1853, Simeon A. Spafford; m., 2d, July 16, 1861, Charles H. Stearns.

*History of Northfield, but probably 1837.

2502. iv. ISABELLA ALEXANDER, b. July 20, 1831; m. April 16, 1856, Joseph C. Swan, of Northfield.
2503. v. MARY H., b. Feb. 20, 1833.
2504. vi. FREDERICK F., b. March 9, 1834; m. and resides at St. Paul, Minn.
2505. vii. SARAH E., b. Oct. 18, 1835; m. April 3, 1860, Samuel R. Furrow, of Westfield.
2506. viii. HOPE F., b. Oct. 20, 1837.
2507. ix. CLARISSA J., b. March 29, 1839; m. Oct. 12, 1876, Delavan C. Johnson.
2508. x. ROXANA B., b. Aug. 8, 1840; m. Oct. 9, 1866, John Wesley Mann, of Northfield.
2509. xi. ELIJAH A., b. Feb. 9, 1842; m. Mary Jane Holton.
2510. xii. CHARLES H., b. July 12, 1844; d. Jan. 5, 1872.
Charles H., of Northfield, 1872; Chas. F. Field appointed administrator of estate of Chas. H. Feb. 6, 1872; father of Chas. H. Field; sister, Sophia S. Stearns.—Franklin County Probate.
2511. xiii. GEORGE J., b. Nov. 4, 1845; d. Oct. 11, 1848.
2512. xiv. OTIS EVERETT, b. July 10, 1847.
2513. xv. ELIZA ELECTA, b. Jan. 6, 1850; d. Sept. 9, 1851.

1219. ZENOPHON FIELD (Henry, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., April 18, 1797; m. in 1821 Clarissa Harris, b. 1797; d. July 15, 1883. Res. Northfield and Northampton, Mass.

2514. i. MARSHAL D., b. May 13, 1822.
2515. ii. MARY S., b. June 10, 1824.
2516. iii. EDWARD E., b. Nov. 16, 1826.
2517. iv. DWIGHT D., b. Feb. 4, 1828.
2518. v. ELVIRA A., b. March 10, 1830.
2519. vi. WELLS S., b. Aug. 23, 1831.
2520. vii. HENRY H., b. April 6, 1835.
2521. viii. CLARISSA, b. April 20, 1837.

1223. DAVID HITCHCOCK FIELD (Seth, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Brookfield, Mass., Aug. 25, 1798; m. Harriet J. ——.

Inventory of David H. Field, of Brookfield, 1833; wife, Harriet J. Field; Nathaniel Paine, judge.

Account of Harriet J. Field, administratrix of the estate of husband, David H. Field, late of Brookfield, 1833; Nathaniel Paine, judge.

It will be seen by the above that he died intestate. No children are mentioned. —Worcester County Probate.

He d. July 3, 1833. Res. Brookfield, Mass.

1232. THEODORE FIELD (Theodore, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Theodore and Catherine (Parker), b. in Brimfield, Mass., Oct. 28, 1799. He removed to Ware village, Mass., where he d. Jan. 18, 1873; he was a dyer; he m., Sept. 1, 1824, Almira Allen; d. Aug. 16, 1857; m., 2d, Sept. 5, 1860, Elizabeth Barr; she res. in Ware. Res. Ware, Mass.

2522. i. GEORGE PARKER, b. July 17, 1825; d. Dec. 7, 1835.
2523. ii. ALMIRA OLIVIA, b. Oct. 6, 1826; m. Sept. 16, 1853, Dr. Oscar David Cass; d. in Denver, Col., Sept. 20, 1870, s. p.

2524. iii. CAROLINE MARIA, b. July 18, 1828; m. Nov. 26, 1849, John H. Knapp; d. Sept. 20, 1870. He was b. Elmira, N. Y., March 29, 1825; d. Oct. 14, 1888, at Menomonie, Wis.; she d. Jan. 31, 1854. John Holly Knapp was son of Gen. John H. Knapp and Harriet Seely, of Elmira, N. Y., where he was born March 29, 1825, and in 1835 removed with his parents to Fort Madison, Iowa. On June 1, 1846, he engaged in lumber manufacturing at Menomonie, Wis , founding the business which grew to be the Knapp, Stout & Co. Company, said to be the largest lumber concern in the United States. He married Caroline Maria Field, and one child was born to them and named Henry Eno Knapp. Mrs. Knapp died Jan. 31, 1854. Mr. Knapp afterwards married Valeria Adams. Henry Eno was b. March 14, 1851, in Fort Madison, Iowa; m. June 12, 1879, Jessie Thomas, of Ripon, Wis.; res. Menomonie. Henry E. Knapp attended Denmark Academy and Ripon College; m. June 12, 1879, Jessie Thomas, of Ripon, Wis.; no children. He is a member of the Knapp, Stout & Co. Company, and has been actively engaged in the lumber business since 1874, and res. at Menomonie, Wis. Is a 32 degree Mason. Henry E. Knapp enlisted in Ludington Guards, Wisconsin State Militia, Nov. 21, 1876; was on that date commissioned sergeant; commissioned second lieutenant Sept. 28, 1880; resigned after over five years' service June 21, 1882; re-entered the service and commissioned second lieutenant Jan. 18, 1883; first lieutenant July 21, 1883; resigned June 13, 1884, and was honorably discharged.

2525. iv. CATHERINE ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 2, 1832; m. May 10, 1860, George Potwin Eaton. She d. Sept. 27, 1897, at Orange, N. J. John Potwin Eaton, only son of George Potwin Eaton and Catherine Elizabeth (Field), was b. July 31, 1869, and m. Emma Louisa Jackson June 19, 1895, at Menomonie, Wis., and res. at St. Paul, Minn., where he is cashier for Y. & L. Coal Company. They have one child, Henry Field Eaton, b. December, 1898.

2526. v. CHARLES EDGAR, b. March 17, 1835; d. unm. Feb. 13, 1871.

2527. vi. HARRIET NEWELL, b. Feb. 15, 1839; d. Oct. 24, 1850.

2528. vii. HARRIET ALLEN, b. Aug. 8, 1841; d. July 16, 1843.

2529. viii. WILLIAM THEODORE, b. Aug. 26, 1845; he d. unm. May 30, 1898, in Denver, Col.

1233. CHARLES FREDERICK FIELD (Theodore, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Theodore and Catherine (Parker), b. in Brookfield, Mass., Sept. 11, 1802. He settled in Monson, Mass.; in 1829 removed to Amherst, Mass.; in 1836 to Gill, Mass., and in 1848 to Akron, Ohio. In 1849 he went overland to California, where for three years he was engaged in furnishing supplies for the miners. In 1853 he returned and purchased a farm in Johnstown, Rock county, Wis. In —— he sold and removed to St. Louis, Mo., where he d. July 28, 1869. He m. Sept. 6, 1826, Emily Penelope, dau. of Rodolphus and Hannah D. (Hollister) Field, of Gill, b. July 10, 1803; d. in St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 9, 1869 (see). Res. Akron, Ohio.

2530. i. ANNA FIDELIA, b. Nov. 8, 1827; m. June 8, 1863, Warren Reed Parker, of St. Louis, Mo., s. p.; res., 4964 Lotus avenue.

2531. ii. EMILY GRATIA, b. Sept. 6, 1829; m., Oct. 23, 1849, Frederick L. Rice, of Wayland, Mass., d. April 26, 1852; m., 2d, March

30, 1865, Rollin Richmond, of St. Louis, s. p.; he d. May 21, 1895; res. 4964 Lotus avenue.

2532. iii. HELEN POMEROY, b. Jan. 17, 1834; m. Dec. 21, 1856, De Witt Clinton Blackman, of Johnstown and of Buffalo, he was b. April 12, 1834: d. July 14, 1899; she res. 4964 Lotus avenue, St. Louis. Ch.: 1. Claren Sidney, b. July 21, 1859; m. —— Perkins; res. Buffalo, N. Y. 2. Fred. De Witt, b. July 19, 1865.

2533 iv. EDWARD PRENTICE, b. March 9, 1839; m. Agnes Cook.

2534. v. CHARLES PRENTICE, b. Dec. 5, 1842; m. Caroline B. Richmond.

1234. ORUS FIELD (Theodore, Seth, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Theodore and Catherine (Parker), b. in Brimfield, Mass., Nov. 8, 1804. He settled in Southbridge, Mass., where he resided several years. He afterwards traveled extensively in the United States and the West India Islands with an exhibition. He then settled in Detroit Mich., where he kept a hotel for several years. He d. in Boston, Mass., where he went for medical treatment, Feb. 25, 1853. The State records style him "Gentleman" at his death. He m. Catherine Fish, of ——; she d. from the effects of chloroform taken for the extraction of a tooth; no issue.

1238. NATHAN FIELD (James, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John Richard, William, William), b. in Surry, N. H., Aug. 1, 1765. He was one of the first settlers of Peacham, Vt., going into town by marked trees, carrying on his back from Keene, N. H.. seed corn, with his axe and other baggage. He made a purchase of 600 acres of land and cleared it mostly with his own hands, with very little hired help; getting it into a good state of cultivation and suffering the privations of all new countries. He sold and removed to Greensboro, Vt., where he d. Nov. 10, 1859. He m., November, 1794, Lucina, dau. of Jonathan Sumner, of Keene, N. H., b. March 25, 1763; d. March 19, 1796; m., 2d, April 29, 1798, Hepsibah Bailey, of Bath, N. H., b. June 6, 1764; d. Aug. 16, 1857. Res. Peacham, Vt.

2535. i. LUCINA S., b. Dec. 13, 1795; m. June 13, 1820, Simeon Harvey. He was b. Nov. 22, 1792; d. June 4, 1866, in Danville, Vt.; she d. Jan. 29, 1857; he was a manufacturer. Ch.: 1. Elijah D., b. July 2, 1821; d. Feb. 26, 1879. 2. Betsey Lucina, b. March 16, 1823; d. Feb. 23, 1844. 3. Nathan Field, b. Dec. 29, 1824; d. June 28, 1898. 4. Charles b. March 15, 1826; d. April 21, 1827. 5. Charles Field, b. June 10, 1829; d. May 22, 1895. 6. Abba M., b. April 4, ——; d. Sept. 4, 1854. 7. Mary A. W., b. Aug. 30, 1834; m. Oct. 7, 1868, Russell Underwood; res. 4 Cross street, St. Johnsbury, Vt.; he was b. Feb. 26, 1826; d. Sept. 30, 1876; was a bridge builder; s. p. 8. A. Clarke, b. Aug. 7, 1836; 31 Pearl street, St. Johnsbury, Vt. 9. E. Olin, b. May 16, 1839; Lincoln, Neb., First National Bank.

2536. ii. SARGEANT, b. Dec. 5, 1799; d. Nov. 30, 1800.

2537. iii. SARGEANT, b. June 25, 1802; m. Sarah B. Cobb.

2538. iv. MARY, b. Jan. 29, 1804; m. Jan. 27, 1824, Elisha N. Wood, of Peacham, Vt.; d. in Elgin, Ill., Jan. 27, 1877. He was b. Waterford, Vt., June 17, 1802. Ch.: 1. Nathan F. Woods, b. Dec. 1, 1825; d. Nov. 5, 1847. 2. Mary F. Woods, b. Jan. 12, 1829; d. July 19, 1891. 3. Annie E. Woods, b. Aug. 11, 1835. 4. Newell E. Woods b. Feb. 14. 1841. 5. Joseph Woods, b. Nov. 22, 1831; m. at Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 14, 1871, Elizabeth Tilford. 6. Frank-

lin, Peacham, Vt., b. May 16, 1827; m. Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 1, 1851, Mary Douglass Tilford, b. in Scotland, 1832; res. Philadelphia, Pa., 651 North 44th street; is a publisher and editor. Ch.: (a) Kittie E. Woods, b. 1854, Jersey City; m. March 17, 1880, A. R. Allen, now of Wyckoff, N. J. (b) Frank Tilford Woods, b. Chicago, Ill., April 6, 1862; now in Jersey City, N. J.; m. Ellen Smithwick, of Philadelphia. (c) Charles Douglas Woods, b. Allegheny City, Pa., Dec. 31, 1874.

2539. v. CHARLES B., b. Dec. 20, 1805; m. Abigail Cobb and Merol Clark.

2540. vi. NATHAN, b. Feb. 29, 1808; d. Dec. 8, 1810.

2541. vii. ANN ELIZA, b. Oct. 1, 1809; m. June 17, 1837, Milo Blodgett, of Peacham, Vt.; d. Jan. 6, 1843.

2542. viii. LUCY MEHITABLE, b. Sept. 27, 1811; m. March 16, 1835, Orville Jennison, of Danville, Vt. He was b. March 17, 1808, in Walpole, N. H.; d. in New Hampton, Iowa, July, 1885; was a farmer; she d. March 16, 1864. Ch.: 1. Lucy Augusta Thompson, b. May 9, 1839; m. Jan. 22, 1865; res., 66 Montague street, Brooklyn, N. Y. 2. Miss C. R. Jennison, b. June 25, 1837; res., 3301 Laclede avenue, St. Louis, Mo. 3. Helen Eliza, b. Nov. 25, 1840; d. March 13, 1843. 4. Martha Ann, b. Nov. 4, 1843; m. Jan. 29, 1870, in Grinnell, Iowa, Newell E. Woods, b. Feb. 14, 1841, s. p.; res. Dresden, N. Y.

2543. ix. NATHAN, b. Jan. 13, 1814; m. Abbie E. Pratt.

1241. JAMES FIELD (James, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of James and Mary (Woodcock), b. in Nelson, N. H. He settled about 1785 in Peacham, Vt., where he d. He m. Betsey Johnson.

2544. i. LUCY, b. October, 1800.

1246. OTHNIEL FIELD (Joshua, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Joshua and Thankful (Robbins), b. in Winchester, N. H., April 18, 1771. He went with his father in 1786 to Brandon, Vt.; in 1817 removed to Batavia, N. Y.; in 1835 to Berlin, Ohio, where he d. March, 1850. He m. ——. Res. Berlin, Ohio.

2545. i. A SON, b. ——; d. in infancy.

1250. CALVIN FIELD (Joshua, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Winchester, N. H., Nov. 21, 1777. He went with his father in 1786 to Brandon, Vt.; in 1809 removed to Batavia, N. Y.; in 1831 to Ann Arbor, Mich., where he d. Feb. 28, 1849. He was killed while traveling on the road in Ingham county with a man by the name of Hyde, who suddenly turned and dealt him a mortal blow with an axe, causing his death. Hyde was arrested and tried, and sentenced to the State's prison for seven years. He was an officer in the heavy artillery during the war of 1812; was in the battles of Queenstown, Chippewa, Lundy's Lane and Fort Erie, and continued in the service until the close of the war. He was living in Mason county at the time of his death. He m., Nancy, dau. of Thomas Rice, of Clarendon, Vt., b. ——; d. ——; m., 2d, 1832, Asenath Strickland, of Ann Arbor, Mich., b. ——; she m., 2d, —— Willing, of Dallas, Clinton county, Mich. Res. Ann Arbor, Mich.

2546. i. WARREN L., b. ——; m. Ardine Pratt.

2547. ii. A DAUGHTER, b. ——.

2548. iii. A SON, b. ——.

2549. iv. CALVIN, b. Oct. 3, 1812; m. Samantha Strickland.
2550. v. NANCY, b. 1818; m. 1838, Samuel Cate, of Batavia, N. Y., now of Decatur, Mich.; d. November, 1863. Mrs. Frances Lyon, dau. of Nancy, South Bend, Ind.
2551. vi. HELEN A., b. August, 1833; d. 1856.
2552. vii. MARY, b. November, 1835.
2553. viii. DENNIS, b. 1839; d. 1843.

1251. PAUL FIELD (Joshua, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Winchester, N. H., April 10, 1779. He went with his father in 1786 to Brandon, Vt., and inherited the homestead. He was a very worthy man, and was highly esteemed by all his neighbors. He was killed by being hooked by an ox Oct. 21, 1834. He m. Dec. 3, 1810, Mary, dau. of Jonathan Stearns, of Brandon, b. in Hardwick, Mass., Aug. 15, 1790; d. Sept. 8, 1851.

2554. i. STEARNS, JR., b. July 10, 1813; m. Anna Trainer.
2555. ii. BURGESS PAUL, b. Jan. 6, 1817; m. Lydia W. Hemenway.
2556. iii. GEORGE F., b. June 2, 1819; m. Byra A. Munger and Mrs. Mary Sampson.
2557. iv. SARAH A. E., b. March 15, 1824; m. Oct. 21, 1844, Stephen Alden, of Brandon.
2558. v. CAROLINE I., b. Jan. 1, 1827; m. Feb. 10, 1857, S. D. Wing, of Brandon.
2559. vi. ADELINE J., b. Jan. 1, 1827; m. Feb. 10, 1857, Alfred Knapp, of Brandon; d. July 21, 1879.
2560. vii. MAHALA, b. Aug. 13, 1830; m. April 14, 1852, John Barker, of Brandon.

1253. DOCTOR RODOLPHUS FIELD (Joshua, Gaius, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Joshua and Thankful (Robbins), b. in Winchester, N. H., June 17, 1783. A physician. He settled in Cornwall, Vt., in 1810; removed to Crown Point, N. Y.; d. ——; he m. Matilda Allen, of Crown Point; no issue.

1260. WILLIAM FIELD (William, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Nov. 23, 1785; m. May 8, 1808, Mary Woodward, dau. of John and Sally Drury, b. April 25, 1787; d. Feb. 8, 1868. He was a painter.

William, of Northfield, died intestate, insolvent; administrator appointed Feb. 12, 1850, by Geo. Grinnell, probate judge; wife Polly had dower allowed.

He d. Dec. 24, 1849. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2561. i. SARAH PETTEE, b. April 2, 1809; m. May 23, 1839, John Lee, of Vernon, Vt., and Southington, Conn.; res. New Britain, Conn.
2562. ii. WILLIAM E., b. Sept. 9, 1811; m. Lucretia E. Dickinson.
2563. iii. ABIGAIL H., b. Jan. 9, 1814; m. Oct. 23, 1833, Josiah Jennison, Jr., of Northfield; d. at Hartford, Conn., Aug. 26, 1863.
2564. iv. HAMPTON E., b April 15, 1816; m. Sarah Turner.
2565. v. STORER WOODBURY, b. Nov. 30, 1819; m. Lucy Ann Jones.
2566. vi. FRANKLIN, b. Aug. 11, 1824; m. Mary Goldsmith.
2567. vii. NEWTON SAMUEL, b. Jan. 22, 1833; m. Electa G. Atkins.

1268. JESSE FIELD (Asa, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Vermont, Dec. 27, 1802; m. Lancaster, N. Y., Jan. 17, 1844, Harriet Amelia Wakelee, of Lancaster, N. Y., b. April 17, 1817; d. Sept. 4, 1878. He was b. at Pawlet, Vt., and moved in childhood with his father

and family to what was then Clarence, now Lancaster, Erie county, N. Y., where his father bought a farm about thirteen miles east of Buffalo, N. Y. During the excitement previous to the war of 1812, he used to tell of training a company of young Indians in military style, much to the gratification of the older Indians. He gained a common school education, and in young manhood traveled considerably through the west on some lumber or milling business, doing a deal of it on horseback and meeting with many adventures peculiar to the times. In 1844 he m. Miss Harriet A. Wakelee, and went to housekeeping at the old farm homestead after purchasing the other interests. Here he lead the life of a thrifty and well-bred farmer. Here his four children were born—Jessie, Asa W., Scott, and Edward C. In 1863 he sold the farm and moved with is family to the village of Lancaster, about three miles distant. He bought the leading dry goods store in the village, and later was appointed postmaster, which latter position he held at the time of his death, which occurred Feb. 21, 1881. In politics he was a Whig and staunch Republican, and came near exterminating a Copperhead who exultingly announced the assassination of Lincoln. He was not a church member, though a regular attendant at the Presbyterian church, and was for a long time trustee. He was of quiet and kindly disposition, respected by all, fond of an argument, with a keen sense of humor. He d. Feb. 21, 1881. Res. Lancaster, N. Y.

2568. i. JESSIE AMELIA, b. Dec. 17, 1844; m. Jas. B. Hanvey, Aug. 29, 1865; d. Nov. 11, 1875. Jessie, the eldest of the family, was b. at Lancaster, N. Y.; graduated at Miss Bryan's Seminary; m. Mr. James B. Hanvey; three children were born of this union; one died young shortly after her mother. He d. Oct. 15, 1886; res. Rochester, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Florence Evelyn Hanvey, b. Nov. 17, 1870; m. Aug. 12, 1896, William L. Mead; address, 51 Orlean street, Rochester, N. Y. 2. Alice Gertrude Hanvey, b. June 8, 1872; d. March, 1876. 3. Wallace Field Hanvey, b. April 14, 1867; m. Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 3, 1898, Florence G. Chapin, b. April 18, 1872; res., s. p., 29 Kenwood avenue, Rochester, N. Y.; he is a furniture designer.

2569. ii. ASA W., b. Jan. 11, 1848; unm.; res., Saginaw, Mich. Asa W., b. at Lancaster, N. Y., went as a young man to Battle Creek, Mich.; spent most of his boyhood and young manhood in this place, living with his uncle Clem Wakelee. After finishing school, he worked for a time in his uncle's dry goods store, and later accepted a position in the First National Bank of Battle Creek, acquiring in that institution a thorough knowledge of the banking business. Later he was called to San Francisco, Cal., to assist his uncle Henry Wakelee in the management of his affairs. Was secretary of the Golden City Chemical Works; secretary and treasurer of the California Theater Co. After eight or ten years in San Francisco, he returned East and accepted a position in a Saginaw bank. He was induced to enter the political field, and ran for county treasurer, but was defeated. He was for a time manager of the Saginaw Street Railway System, but not long ago resigned that position to assume the management of a branch of the Bank of Saginaw, at East Saginaw, where he now resides, a bachelor.

2570. iii. SCOTT, b. Feb. 23, 1852; m. Emma Skinner and Katherine E. Waterbury.

2571. iv. EDWARD CLEM, b. Nov. 19, 1855; m. Alice D. Harlow.

1273. WILLIAM FIELD (Asa, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Pawlet, Vt., Oct. 17, 1792. He removed in 1811 to Lancaster, Erie county, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 2, 1860; he m. ——.

1274. ASA FIELD (Asa, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Pawlet, Vt., Aug. 13, 1794. He went with his father in 1811 to Lancaster, Erie county, N. Y.; in 1824 removed to Middleburg, Vt.; in 1830 to Buffalo, N. Y.; in 1832 to Ravenna, Ohio; in 1834 to Akron, Ohio; d. Jan. 14, 1869; he m., Sept. 18, 1825, at West Haven, Vt., Betsey, dau. of Isaac and Mary (Winter) Cady, b. in Pawlet, Vt., Aug. 13, 1794; d. in Buffalo, July 9, 1832; m., 2d, June 15, 1835, at Royalton, Ohio, Mary Ann Catherine Cady, sister of first wife, b. Jan, 12, 1810; d. June 15, 1895. Res. Akron, Ohio.

2572. i. ANGELINE, b. Feb. 9, 1827; m. Jan. 26, 1848, Cyrus Masters, of Akron, Ohio, now a widow at Mt. Morris, N. Y.

2573. ii. GUY, b. March 30, 1836; d. Feb. 19, 1853.

2574. iii. PETER, b. July 3, 1838. He enlisted Nov. 20, 1861, in Capt. Cullen Bradley's Sixth Ohio Battery, in which he served during the War of the Rebellion; was discharged and re-enlisted Dec. 12, 1863, as a veteran, and was honorably discharged; d. from disease contracted in the service July 15, 1866.

2575. iv. PAUL, b. Jan. 14, 1842; m. Fidelia McConnaughey.

2576. v. FRANCES E., b. June 27, 1843; m. June 9, 1862, Richard F. Palmer, of Akron. She d. April 26, 1898. He is a commercial traveler; with his sons he is a breeder and shipper of high class s. c. black Minorcas fowls. Ch.: 1. Jesse Dwight, b. Feb. 22, 1866. 2. Joseph Asa, b. July 7, 1868; m. Sept. 27, 1892, Libbie Alice Prier. Ch.: (a) Clarence Asa Palmer, b. June 15, 1894. (b) Frances Elizabeth Palmer, b. Oct. 25, 1897; he is stenographer and private secretary. 3. Frank L., b. Dec. 31, 1863.

2577. vi. JOHN AUGUSTUS, b. March 14, 1845; m. Isabella Baker.

2578. vii. JESSIE, b. Jan. 27, 1847; d. Feb. 27, 1853.

2579. viii. PARK B., b. Aug. 7, 1850; m. Anna E. Smith.

1284. SILAS FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, April 12, 1779, m. Oct. 24, 1805, Ruth Bryant Faxon, b. Bridgewater, Sept. 18, 1789, dau. of Benjamin and Ruth (Bryant); d. March 27, 1880, aged ninety-one years, six months and ten days. He d. June 27, 1862. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2580. i. BENJAMIN F., b. Sept. 23, 1806; m. Elizabeth S. Towne.

2581. ii. SILAS, b. 1809; was a supercargo; d. at sea in 1833.

2582. iii. ELIZABETH, b. ——. Res. Northfield.

2583. iv. AUGUSTA, b. ——. Res. Northfield.

2584. v. FRANKLIN, b. in 1815; unm. He was abroad for several years in Calcutta and Japan; was a merchant. "Franklin, Northfield, March 2, 1897; died Jan. 21, 1807. Brother, Joseph W., of Northfield; sisters Augusta and Moaria, of Northfield; children of deceased brother: B. F. Field, William DeWitt Field and Fanny Field, of Northfield."—Franklin County Probate.

2585. vi. NATHANIEL BRYANT, b. June 8, 1817; d. October, 1818.

2586. vii. MARIA A., b. in 1818; unm. "Maria A., Northfield, April 6, 1897; died March 8, 1897; single woman. Next of kin: Brother Joseph W., of Northfield (administrator); sister, Augusta Field, of Northfield; nephews, Benjamin F. and William DeGough;

niece, Fanny Field, of Northfield. Mentions in will, Bertha F., wife of William De G. Field; Amelia D., wife of Joseph W. Field; deceased brother, Franklin Field."—Franklin County Probate.

2587. viii. RUTH, b. in 1823; d. young.

2588. ix. JOSEPH W., b. May 24, 1826; m. Amelia Deblois Bush.

1285. HON. ELISHA FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Jan. 28, 1781; m. Miriam Hancock. Elisha Field, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Mattoon), born in Northfield, Mass. He removed to Boston Mass., and engaged in commercial affairs. He raised a company of men in the War of 1812, called the Sea Fencibles, which he commanded. He was for a time United States consul at the Cape De Verde Islands. He was a sea captain in the East India trade, and died at Batavia, Island of Java, East Indies, in 1817. Res. Boston, Mass.

2589. i. MARY P., b. ——; m. James Mattoon. Res. Lancaster, Mass.

2590. ii. MARTHA A., b. ——; m. —— Bemis. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2591. iii. ELISHA, b. Jan. 6, 1817; m. Mary Flint.

1287. JUSTIN FIELD (Samuel, Samuel, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b., Northfield, Dec. 22, 1784; m. Nov. 22, 1810, Harriet Powers, dau. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Dec. 9, 1790; d. Nov. 14, 1845. He moved to Boston in 1828 and engaged in business. He was a lawyer. He d. in Stoughton, May 23, 1862. Res. Northfield and Boston, Mass.

2592. i. JUSTIN, b. Oct. 22, 1811; d. Nov. 30, 1814.

2593. ii. THOMAS POWERS, b. Jan. 12. 1814; m. Maria A. Daniels and Charlotte Coit.

2594. iii. JUSTIN, b. April 10, 1816; m. Caroline C. Wilde.

2595. iv. HARRIET, b. May 21, 1819.

2596. v. SAMUEL STILLMAN, b. Oct. 17, 1821.

2597. vi. EDWARD LINCOLN, b. Feb. 22, 1825.

2598. vii. WILLIAM PAISLEY, b. Dec. 27, 1828; d. May, 1859.

2599. viii. MARY EUGENE, b. March 22, 1831; d. in 1831.

1298. DOCTOR JOHN FIELD (Spencer, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John John, Richard, William, William), son of Dr. Spencer and Betsey (Frink), b. in Oakham, Mass., Nov. 3, 1777. He was a celebrated physician. He removed, in 1803, to Barre, Mass., in 1805, to Rutland, Mass.; in 1808 to New Braintree, Mass.; in 1812 returned to Oakham. He was drowned while fishing in Demond Pond, in Rutland, Aug. 28, 1815, with his uncle, Frink, who fell out of the boat, and in trying to get in capsized it. Dr. Field wanted him to take hold of the stern of the boat, and he would row it ashore. Regardless of his wishes, Dr. Frink said he would get in, with the above result. A man passing by succeeded in rescuing Dr. Frink, but before he could reach Dr. Field he sank and drowned. A monument of stone was erected on the spot, but now, 1899, has nearly all disappeared.

Dr. John Field, of New Braintree, administrator, appointed 1815; wife, Rhoda Field; Nathaniel Paine, judge. Guardian appointed for Charles Field, son of John Field, late of New Braintree.—Worcester County Probate.

He married Aug. 22, 1799, Phebe, dau. of Joseph and Katherine (Monroe) Bowman, of New Braintree, b. June 30, 1780; d. in Alton, Ill., Sept. 28, 1839.

2600. i. CHARLES EDWIN, b. Sept. 10, 1800.

2601. ii. ELIZABETH DAUR, b. May 31, 1802; d. March 22, 1810.

2602. iii. SPENCER, b. Feb. 8, 1804; m. Harriet Block.

2603. iv. JOHN, b. Jan. 17, 1806; d. infancy.

2604. v. ERASMUS DARWIN, b. Oct. 29, 1807; d. June 3, 1809.
2605. vi. JOHN BOWMAN, b. Nov. 12, 1809.
2606. vii. JABEZ UPHAM, b. Nov. 3, 1811; d. Aug. 25, 1813.
2607. viii. HARRIET, b. Sept. 14, 1814; m. Sept. 12, 1837, George Curtiss, of Worcester. Now resides in Warren, N. J.

1305. ERASTUS FIELD (Walter, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Dec. 24, 1791; m. Jan. 29, 1821, Hannah Collender, dau. of Benjamin and Sally (Lawton), b. 1800; d. April 14, 1872.

Erastus, of Northfield; April 27. 1853; wife, Hannah; daughters, Sarah E. Elizabeth, wife of Joseph B. Callender, of Cambridge; Eloisa Antoinette, Lucretia; son Thomas J., who is named executor.

Hannah C., Northfield, 1872; died April 14, 1870; next of kin: son Thomas J.; daughters Sarah C., Elizabeth Field Callender and Antoinette Field; all of Northfield. The administrator was the son, Thomas J., appointed May 14, 1872, which leads me to think the date of this death may have been 1872 instead of 1870, as the record states (L. C. K.)—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Feb. 23, 1853. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2608. i. THOMAS J., b. March 3, 1822; m. Hannah Mattoon.
2609. ii. SARAH E., b. Feb. 24, 1824.
2610. iii. ELIZABETH, b. June 17, 1826; m. June 25, 1850, Joseph B. Callender. Res. Cambridge, Mass.
2611. iv. ELOISA ANTOINETTE, b. Dec. 13, 1828.
2612. v. ERASTUS, b. Sept. 12, 1831; d. Feb. 7, 1832.
2613. vi. LUCRETIA, b. Feb. 14, 1833; d. Jan. 11, 1856.

1311. WALTER (Walter, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard. William, William), b. Northfield, Oct. 22, 1805; m. Jan. 8, 1834, Mary Holton, dau. of Horace, b. Aug. 9, 1808; d. June 4, 1847; m., 2d, Feb. 28, 1849, Anna Lyman, dau. of Elisha and Margaret Lincoln, b. Sept. 12, 1809, d March 19, 1880; m., 3d, Aug. 31, 1881, Lydia Smith. He was killed by falling from the great beam of his barn.

Walter, Northfield, 1881; died Dec. 17, 1881; widow, Lydia; son, George W., of Keene, N. H.; grandchildren, Walter F. Wheeler and Elizabeth Wheeler, of Spencer, Mass.; children of daughter Ann Wheeler and Edward R. Wheeler; nephew, Thomas J. Field, of Northfield, appointed executor.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. Dec. 17, 1881. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2614. i. ANNA, b. Aug. 2, 1838; m. June 25, 1865, Dr. Edward R. Wheeler, of Elmira, N. Y. She d. Sept. 9, 1873.
2615. ii. GEORGE W., b. July 14, 1840; m. Fanny Swift.
2616. iii. CLARISSA M., b. March 15, 1850; m. March 8, 1854.

1315. LUCIUS FIELD (Zechariah, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John John, Richard, William, William), b. in Northfield, Mass., March 29, 1792. He settled in 1815 in Marlboro, Vt.; in 1819 went to Winchester, N. H., where he kept a noted tavern until 1830, when he removed to Troy, N. Y., and engaged in the clothing and auction business. In 1868 he removed to Highland Park, Ill., where he died Jan. 25, 1876. He m. Oct. 25, 1813, Lucia, dau. of Lucius and Anna (Pomeroy) Hubbard, of Chester, Vt., b. June 12, 1795. He d. Feb. 1, 1882.

2617. i. LUCIUS HUBBARD, b. Sept. 1, 1814; d. May 1, 1815.
2618. ii. LUCIUS, b. March 11, 1816; d. Jan. 4, 1885.
2619. iii. WILLIAM POMEROY, b. Jan. 5, 1818; deaf mute; d. May 19, 1843.

2620. iv. ANNA M., b. Jan. 4, 1820; m. Dec. 1, 1841, Asa Keyes Allen, of New York. Res. Highland Park, Ill. He was b. Aug. 25, 1816; d. Aug. 9, 1873. Ch.: 1. Charles Spencer Allen, b. Oct. 27, 1842; d. April 19, 1866. 2. Frederic Dwight Allen, b. July 31, 1850; d. Oct. 16, 1851.

2621. v. CHARLES SPENCER, b. Feb. 5, 1822. He settled in Texas, and was killed at the battle of Salado, between the Mexicans and Texans, Sept. 18, 1842.

2622. vi. HENRY MARTYN, b. March 17, 1825; d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 24, 1846.

2623. vii. ABIGAIL MATTOON, b. March 17, 1825; m. May 25, 1847, Stewart Hardinge, of Brooklyn, N. Y. He was b. Aug. 29, 1823; d. Oct. 23, 1855. Res. 5515 Madison Av., Chicago, Ill. Ch.: 1. Margaret Anne Hardinge, b. March 26, 1848. P. O. address, 5515 Madison Av., Chicago, Ill. 2. Lucius Field Hardinge, b. Oct. 2, 1850; m. Dec. 24, 1869; d. Sept. 2, 1869. 3. Lucia Hubbard Hardinge, b. Feb. 22, 1852; d. Jan. 4, 1864. 4. Benjamin Henry Hardinge, b. Dec. 10, 1853; d. July 29, 1854. 5. Minnehaha Hardinge, b. July 16, 1855. P. O. address, 5515 Madison Av., Chicago, Ill.

2624. viii. DORASTUS FITCH, b. June 17, 1827; d. Dec., 1894.

2625. ix. HUBBARD, b. May 27, 1831; m. Mrs. Charlotte (Downer) Williams.

2626. x. CORNELIUS ROBBINS, b. Dec. 3, 1833; d. Jan. 15, 1835.

2627. xi. CORNELIUS ROBBINS, b. Sept. 29, 1836; m. Sarah E. Henry.

1322. SPENCER FIELD (Zechariah, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Zechariah and Abigail (Mattoon), b. in Northfield, Mass., Oct. 8, 1806. He removed to Kentucky, later to New Orleans, La., where he resided. He m. April 28, 1829, Clara Humphrey, of Athol, Mass.

2628. i. FREDERICK F., b. ——; m. Mary Bonney.

2629. ii. SPENCER, b. ——; m. —— ——.

1325. JUDGE CHARLES FIELD (Zechariah, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Athol, Mass., June 9, 1815; m. July 28, 1856, Caroline C. Alden, b. Jan. 27, 1829. Charles Field, the youngest of twelve children of Zechariah and Abigail (Mattoon) Field, was born in Athol, Mass. He is a representative of the eighth generation in descent from Sir John Field, the astronomer, who was born at Ardsley, England, in 1525. He began his education in the public schools of Athol, and attained high rank as a scholar, especially in mathematics and the languages, in the educational institution from which he graduated. He read law in the office of Hon. Daniel Wells, of Greenfield, Mass., afterward chief justice of the court of common pleas, and on the completion of a three years' course of study, he spent several years in the west and southwest, principally in Kentucky and Illinois; in the latter state taking the stump for General Harrison, in the Log Cabin and Hard Cider campaign of 1840. Returning to New England after an absence of four years, he settled in Athol, his native town, where he conducted a profitable law business, until 1884, when he was appointed judge of the District Court, which office he still holds. In 1857 he represented his town in the House of Representatives, that being the last year before the state was divided into districts; and in the two years following he was a member of the state Senate. A Republican in politics, he was chosen a Presidential elector in 1860, after which he left the field of politics altogether, and confined himself to the duties

of his profession. Judge Field was admitted to the bar in 1843, and is one of the vice-presidents of the Worcester County Bar Association. A pronounced Unitarian of the Channing type, he held the office of president of the Worcester County Unitarian Association for two successive terms, declining a re-election, and for many years served on the executive committee. He was married to Caroline C. Alden, whose first American ancestors on both sides were "Mayflower" Pilgrims. She is a lineal descendant in the eighth generation of John and Priscilla Alden. On the maternal side Mrs. Field is a greatgranddaughter of Major John White, who was a direct descendant of Peregrene White, born on board the Mayflower, in Cape Cod harbor. Mrs. Field is the author of the popular novel, "Two Gentlemen of Boston," and mother of one son, Charles Field, Jr.

Res. Athol, Mass.

2630. i. CHARLES, b. March 18, 1857; unm. Res. Athol. He was b. in the city of Cambridge, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and attended private and public schools in Athol, Mass.; fitted for college with private tutors, and at Phillips' Academy, Andover; graduated B. A. at Williams College in 1881; read law in his father's office, at Athol, for three years and attended lectures for two years at the Boston University School of Law; was admitted a member of the Massachusetts bar in June, 1886, and has continuously practiced his profession at Athol since his admission.

1327. DOCTOR GEORGE A. FIELD (Hubbard, Paul, Zechariah, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Lyndon, Vt., Aug. 2, 1825; m. in Sutton, Mass., June 1, 1848, Louisa Rawson, b. April 26, 1827, dau. of Dr. Levi and Alice (Temple). She was m., 2d, as his second wife, July 5, 1859, Rev. A. Decatur Spalter, of Sutton, who was b. in Grafton, Mass., 1816, son of John and Elizabeth. Was a practicing physician in Grafton. Dr George d. in Columbia, Cal., Dec. 3, 1853. Res. Grafton, Mass.

2630½. i. LEVI RAWSON, b. March 22, 1849; d. Aug. 25, 1851.

1330. RUDOLPHUS WRIGHT FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Grass Hill, Gill, Oct. 1, 1769, bap. Northfield, Mass., Oct. 22, 1769; m. Sept. 14, 1797, Hannah Dwight Hollister, b. Aug. 24, 1775. She m., 2d, 1818, Hon. Josiah Pomeroy, who was b. Sept. 1, 1767.

Hannah Dwight Hollister, b. Aug. 24, 1775, in Eastbury Society, Glastonbury, Conn.; was a dau. of Captain and Deacon Elisha Hollister, and his second wife, Mrs. Penelope (Dwight), of Belchertown, Mass., dau. of Jonathan Graves, Jr., of Belchertown, and Margaret (Strong). She married Sept. 14, 1797, as her first husband, Rodolphus Wright Field, of Grass Hill, in Gill, Franklin county, Mass., born at Grass Hill, then a portion of Northfield, Mass., Oct. 1, 1769, son of Ebenezer Field, 3d, of Grass Hill, and Eunice (Wright), of Northfield. (Grass Hill orginially belonged to Northfield, it being later cut off to form the northern boundary of the town of Gill.)

Rodolphus Wright Field died at his home, Grass Hill, March 12, 1816, aged forty-six years. He was short in stature, and of a delicate constitution; his complexion was dark, and his hair dark. Although slight in physique, his mental powers were extraordinary, showing especially marked mathematical talent. Among the employments of his comparatively short life, may be mentioned the compilation of an almanac, thus indicating that he possessed an astronomical tendency, which he no doubt inherited from his illustrious ancestor, John Field, the

astronomer. By trade he was a saddler, and in addition, a prosperous farmer. Being naturally endowed with intellectual tastes, he found time to pursue and enjoy studies in literature.

Hannah Dwight Hollister, as the widow of Rodolphus Wright Field, married about 1818, her second husband, Hon. Josiah Pomeroy, Jr., of Warwick, Mass. She being his second wife. She died as his widow, June 16, 1867, at the venerable age of nearly ninety-three years. Her death occurred in Providence, R. I., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gratia Electa Hawkes. She was taken for burial to Gill, Mass., and in its cemetery, within her own family lot, her remains were placed, surrounded by a numerous kindred. She was liberally educated, having been a pupil at the Academy of Rev. Dr. Timothy Dwight, in Northampton, Mass., a renowned institution of learning in its day. Dr. Dwight became later, the illustrious president of Yale College. In her girlhood Hannah D. Hollister is said to have been "a belle in Glastonbury." She was gifted with remarkable physical strength, possessing likewise, great mental strength. She is remembered as a woman of high moral worth, and integrity. By all classes of society she was esteemed and respected, her fine judgment and large benevolence rendering her the center of the circle in which she moved. Coming into the place, when it was conparatively new, which for more than fifty years became her home, she identified herself with its best interests, "the moral, educational and social enterprises of the times, receiving her prompt and full sanction." Having fervent piety, her earnest prayers were largely for the younger portion of the community, desiring particularly for them, the greatest possible benefits. In stature she was rather above medium height, and of commanding presence. She had large brown eyes, dark hair, and fair complexion. Her features were prominent, and bore the Puritan characteristics.

Hon. Josiah Pomeroy, Jr., born in Northampton, Mass., Sept. 1, 1767, was a son of Josiah Pomeroy and Joanna (Wright), of Northampton, and of Warwick, Mass. He married as his first wife, Mary Barnes, of Warwick, born., in Marlboro, Mass., March 29, 1765. She died in Warwick, June 5, 1816. He died in Greenfield, Mass., March 18, 1848, in his eighty-first year. His death occurred suddenly, while in Greenfield attending to business from an attack of apoplexy, having fallen upon the street in a faint, from which he never recovered. He possessed a powerful physique, being over six feet in height, having broad shoulders, and an erect, stately carriage. He had great ability, and represented his district, as a member of the Legislature of Massachusetts at Boston. His genial nature and kindly disposition gained for him the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends. He was a great musician, a powerful singer, his loud deep-toned voice being full of melody.

Honorable, Captain and Deacon Elisha Hollister, born in Glastonbury, Conn., in 1722, was the youngest child of Thomas Hollister and Dorothy (Hills), of Glastonbury. He married about 1748, Experience Robbins, daughter of Richard Robbins, of Wethersfield, and Martha. She died July 7, 1765, aged thirty-seven years. He married, as his second wife, Mrs. Penelope Dwight, widow of Elisha Wright, of Belchertown, Mass., daughter of Jonathan Graves, Jr., of Belchertown, and Margaret Strong. Captain and Deacon Elisha Hollister settled in East Glastonbury, where he was a farmer, and an inn-keeper, also a captain of militia. He served as an officer in the war of the Revolution. The Revolutionary records of the State of Connecticut, under the official seal of the adjutant-general, Andrew H. Embler, show that "Elisha Hollister served as captain in the Sixth militia regiment in 1777." He was also a member of the Connecticut Committee of Correspondence, appointed June 23, 1774, "to receive and answer all letters and to promote and forward such contributions as shall be made in this town" (Glastonbury) "for the relief of our distressed friends in Boston," etc. He was a deacon of the church. In the year 1764

he represented the town of Glastonbury in the Legislature of Connecticut. He died in East Glastonbury, Nov. 12, 1800, and was buried among his kinspeople, in the Wassuc burying-ground, the most ancient cemetery in East Glastonbury.

Eliza Anna Ives, daughter of Leverett Joseph Ives, and Fidelia Elvira (Field), was born in Akron, O., Nov. 12, 1841; married Nov. 12, 1863, on her twenty-second birthday, at Richmond, Ind., in St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, by Rt. Rev. John Wakefield, D. D., the rector, Charles Calhoun Kellogg, of Chicago, Ill., born in Cornwall, Litchfield county, Conn., June 27, 1833. He died in Chicago, Jan. 10, 1871. She died in Chicago, Oct. 15, 1870. She received her education at the Cleveland Female Seminary, Cleveland, O. She was familiarly known as "Lida." She possessed marked personal beauty, and a well formed statue of medium height. She had large, handsome, expressive brown eyes, light hair, and a fair, rosy complexion. Having a social nature, her conversation, at times, overflowed with pleasantry and with sparkling wit. She died upon the threshold of a promising womanhood.

Charles Calhoun Kellogg, was a son of Hon. Frederick Kellogg, of Cornwall, Conn., and Ruth Robinson (Calhoun), of Cornwall. He removed to Chicago, Ill., where he was secretary and treasurer of the Barnum & Richardson Car Wheel Manufacturing Company, which position he held at the time of his early death, in 1871. Ch.: 1. Anna Ruth Kellogg, b. in Chicago, Feb. 6, 1865. 2. Helen Kellogg, b. in Chicago, Jan. 9, 1867. She was educated at St. Agnes school, Albany, N. Y.

Hon. Frederick Kellogg, born in Cornwall, Conn., was a son of William Kellogg and Dennis (Swift), daughter of Gen. Heman Swift. In 1829 Hon. Frederick Kellogg married Ruth Robinson Calhoun, born in Cornwall, daughter of Dr. John Calhoun and Sarah (Fay). In 1827, according to the annals of Cornwall, Frederick Kellogg is registered a merchant. In 1829 he succeeded his father to the office of town clerk, which position he held sixteen years, until 1845. From 1830 to 1840 he represented Cornwall four years in the Legislature. In 1840 he was appointed county commissioner, retaining the position three years. In 1852 he was chosen judge of probate, in which office he remained, with the exception of two years, until constitutionally disqualified. Ruth Robinson Calhoun was a daughter of Dr. John Calhoun and Sarah (Fay), of Cornwall, son of John Calhoun, of Woodbury, Conn.

Sarah Fay was a daughter of Sarah (Robinson) and Benjamin Fay. Sarah Robinson, as the widow of Benjamin Fay, married for her second husband, Gen. Heman Swift. We thus learn that the mother, Dennis (Swift), of Hon. Frederick Kellogg, and the mother, Sarah (Fay), of Mrs. Frederick Kellogg were step-sisters, the former being a daughter, and the latter, a step-daughter of Gen. Heman Swift.

William Kellogg, of Cornwall, Conn., was a son of Deacon Judah Kellogg, of Colchester, Conn., and Mary (Tomlinson), of Stratford, Conn. He married Dennis, daughter of General Heman Swift, of Cornwall. In 1820, upon the death of his father, William Kellogg succeeded to the office of town clerk of Cornwall, and held it until his death, in 1829, which was nine years.

Hon. and Deacon Judah Kellogg, of Colchester, Conn., married Mary Tomlinson, of Stratford, Conn. She was an aunt of the late Governor Gideon Tomlinson, of Connecticut. In 1774 Deacon Judah Kellogg removed to Cornwall, where on June 20, 1776, he was chosen deacon of the church. "He was a gentleman of liberal education," having graduated from Yale College, class 1763. For many years he was a member of the general assembly, and thirty-six years clerk of the town. The office of town clerk descended to his son, and to his grandson, embracing a period of sixty-one years. "Deacon Judah Kellogg," relates the history of Cornwall, "was a man whose counsel was sought when questions of civil law were involved." He died in 1820.

Gen. Heman Swift, born in Wareham, Plymouth county, Mass., became an early settler of Cornwall, Litchfield county, Conn History records him as having married four wives, one of which, as Mrs. Sarah (Fay) was the grandmother of Ruth Robinson Calhoun, while his daughter, Dennis Swift, by another wife, became the mother of Hon. Frederick Kellogg, the husband of Ruth R. Calhoun. In relation to General Swift we find the following beautiful tribute to his memory, on pp. 406 and 407, third volume of "Travels in New England and New York," by Timothy Dwight, S. T. D., LL.D., late president of Yale College, 1822: "Cornwall is particularly distinguished for being the residence of Hon. Maj.-Gen. Heman Swift. This gentleman was born in Wareham, in the county of Plymouth, Mass. The only education which he received was that of a parochial school. Soon after his removal to Connecticut, when a young man, he was chosen a representative to the Legislature. In the American army he rose to the rank of brigadier-general. After the Revolutionary war was ended he was elected a member of the council. He resigned his seat at this board in 1802. For many years he was judge of the court of common pleas, for the county of Litchfield. He was distinguished for native strength of mind, regularly directed to practical and useful objects, and he solicitously sought improvement from the sources which were within his reach. In this manner he acquired extensively that knowledge which fits a man to be serviceable to his fellowmen. His affections were soft and gentle, his conversation mild, and unassuming. But his conceptions were bold and masculine, and his disposition invincibly firm. When he was once assured of his duty, nothing could move him from his purpose. Hence he possessed an independence of mind, which all men reverenced, and all bad men dreaded. As an officer, though distitute of the brilliancy so coveted in that character, he was highly respected by his fellow officers, and loved by the soldiers, every one of whom approached him with a certainty of being justly and kindly treated. His bravery was that of Putnam, tempered with consumate prudence. As a judge, probably no man ever held a more equal balance. As a councillor, he was wise, he was humble, sincere, upright, generous, charitable, and eminently pious. The great inquiry of his life was, what was his duty? and his great purpose, to do it." The biographer of General Swift relates of him that "he was a personal friend of General Washington, by whom he was held in high esteem, and who once paid him a visit at his home in Cornwall." He was an officer in the old French and Indian wars, serving likewise through the war of the Revolution. The archives of the state of Connecticut, under the official seal of the Adjutant-General Andrew H. Embler, relate that "General Heman Swift, of Cornwall, commanded the Seventh regiment Connecticut line, formation of 1777-1781, and the Second regiment Connecticut line, formation of 1781-1783."

Anna Ruth Kellogg, familiarly known as "Ruth," daughter of Charles Calhoun Kellogg and Eliza Anna Ives, was born in Chicago, Ill., Feb. 6, 1865. She was educated at St. Agnes School Albany, N. Y.; married as her first husband, June 7, 1888, in Christ church, East Orange, N. J., by Rev. Horace Bishop, the rector, assisted by Rev. Dr. L.W. Bancroft, rector of Christ church, Brooklyn, N. Y., William Edward Mathews, secretary of the Crescent Watch Works, Brooklyn, son of Edward Loree Mathews, of Brooklyn, and Rebecca (Holliday), born in Glasgow, Scotland. He was born in Brooklyn, Sept. 8, 1862; died in Brooklyn, March 18, 1891. (Edward Loree Mathews, born in New York City, was a son of William Edward Mathews, born in London, England, and Hannah Loree, born in New Brunswick, N. J., daughter of Dr. Ephraim Loree and Catharine (Vorhees), daughter of —— Vorhees and —— (Schuyler). Ch.: 1. Loree Schuyler Mathews, b. in Brooklyn, Jan. 10, 1890; d. in New York City, April 23, 1897, of malignant scarlet fever. Anna Ruth Kellogg, as the widow of William Edward Mathews, married

her second husband, in Bath, N. Y., June 24, 1897, Walter Edwin Hodgman, of Yonkers, N. Y. He was born in Bath; is connected in business with the Otis Elevator company, at Yonkers.

Mary Bishop Ives, daughter of Leverett Joseph Ives and Fidelia Elvira (Field), was born in Akron, O., April 8, 1846. She was educated at the McLean Female Seminary, Indianapolis, Ind.; married in Newark, O., at St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, by Rev. William Bower, the rector, Feb. 23, 1869, William Frederick Kidder, of New York City, born July 29, 1842, on the "old Amos farm," at Hackensack, N. J., son of William Kidder, Jr., born in Boston, Mass., and Rebecca Ann (Ackerman), born in New York. William Frederick Kidder was the founder of the large and flourishing proprietary medicine house, in New York, of Kidder and Wetherell, having a branch establishment in London, England. He took up his residence in East Orange, N. J., becoming there a prominent citizen, and largely interested in real estate. He is a Free Mason of high degree, and a Knight Templar. William Kidder, Jr., born in Boston, Mass., settled in New York City, where he married Rebecca Ann Ackerman. He was a son of William Kidder, a well known chemist in Boston, and Charlotte Augusta (Adams). Rebecca Ann Ackerman, daughter of —— Ackerman and Catherine J. (Bogert), was born in New York City, on the "old General Rutgers estate," situated upon the east side of the city, near what is now Catherine street. "Rutgers Pike and several adjacent streets formed an original portion of that estate." Catherine J. Bogert was a daughter of Col. John Gilbert Bogert, an officer of the war with England of 1812. He descended from Tennis Guysbert Bogert, who emigrated from Heykoop, in Holland, about 1625, and became one of the early settlers of New Amsterdam. Charlotte Augusta Adams, born in Boston, Mass., was a daughter of Samuel Adams and Thankful (Chamberlain), both natives of Boston. He being familiarly known as "merchant Samuel Adams," to distingush him from his cousin, Governor Samuel Adams, the patriot and signer of the Declaration of Independence. Both Samuels were descendant of Henry Adams, who came to New England in 1632. Ch.: 1. Lida Ives Kidder, b. in New York City, July 24, 1872. 2. Leverett Ives Kidder, b. in New York City, July 24, 1872; d. in New York City, July 27, 1872. 3. Rebecca Ives Kidder, b. at Watsessing, in West Orange, N. J., Sept. 21, 1875.

Rodolphus W., of Gill, 1816; wife, Hannah D.; children, Eliza Dwight Field, Penelope Emily, Fidelia Elvira, Feronia Drusilla, Josephine M., Gratia Electa, Clarissa Aurelia. Probated June 10, 1816.—Franklin County Probate.

He d. March 12, 1816. Res. Gill, Mass.

2631. i. ELIZA DWIGHT, b. Nov. 10, 1799; m. March 26, 1818, John Joyce Pierce, of Greenfield, Mass.; d. May 2, 1878. John Joyce Pierce was a staunch Democrat and his descendants have followed in his line. They are all Episcopalians. He was of Greenfield, Mass.; was b. May 26, 1793; d. there, March 22, 1878. She d. there May 2, 1878. Ch.: 1. Anna Ferona, b. June 30, 1827; m. Theodore Dehone. He d. New York City, Nov. 2, 1863. 2. John Dwight, b. May 29, 1837; m. Ruth Abbott Page. Two children. Res. Greenfield, Mass. 3. Charles Prentice, b. Sept. 3, 1838; m. ——. Res. Greenfield. Eliza Dwight Field married John Joyce Pierce. She was born at Grass Hill, in Gill. He was born in Greenfield, Franklin county, Mass. Both died there. Their youngest child, Capt. Charles Prentice Pierce, died while on a visit from his home, in Greenfield, Mass., at Keene, N. H., April 23, 1889. Their oldest child, Mrs. Anna Ferona (Pierce) Judah,

has since died, also a daughter of their second son, John Dwight Pierce. He d. Keene, N. H., April 23, 1889.

2632. ii. PRENTICE HOLLISTER, b. Oct. 24, 1800; d. March 9, 1813.

2633. iii. EMILY PENELOPE, b. July 10, 1803; m. Sept. 6, 1826, Charles Frederick Field, of Gill; d. in St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 9, 1869. (see.)

2634. iv. FIDELIA ELVIRA, b. March 31, 1805; m. April 25, 1832, Leverett Joseph Ives, at Perrysburg, N. Y., where she was engaged as school teacher. She traced her lineage through a number of original settlers of New England, among whom are Samuel Wright, of Northampton; Elder John Strong, of Northampton; Lieut. John Hollister, Richard Treat, of Weathersfield, Conn. She possessed great energy, activity and strength of character. Through all her years of residence in Akron, O., her gentleness of spirit and large benevolence secured her many friends. She d. Aug. 14, 1886. She was liberally educated, having been a pupil at the select school for young ladies, of Miss Mary Lyon, in Ashfield, Mass., who afterward become the founder of the Mount Holyoke Female Seminary. Fidelia E. Field was likewise a scholar at the Wesleyan Academy, in Wilbraham, Mass., under the instruction of its gifted principal, Rev. Dr. Wilbur Fisk. She married at Perrysburg, Cattaraugus county, N. Y., April 25 (so recorded in her family Bible), 1832, Leverett Joseph Ives, b. in West Springfield, Mass., Sept. 18, 1806. She d in East Orange, N. J., Aug. 14, 1886, aged eighty-one years, four months and fourteen days. He d. in East Orange, Sept. 20, 1876, aged seventy years, two days. Like her ancestor, Mrs. Fidelia E. Ives, possessed energy, activity, remarkable physical strength, a high moral tone of character, fervent piety and executive ability. Her honesty of purpose, her gentleness of spirit, and her large benevolence, gained her many kindly friends. Her birthplace has been renamed Mount Hermon. It forms the seat of Mr. Dwight L. Moody's famous institution of learning. The name was changed from Grass Hill to Mount Hermon by Mr. Moody, when he or his co-workers became a purchaser of the property. The original farm houses of Ebenezer Field, 3d, and of his son, Rodolphus W. Field, are yet standing upon their early sites, and are used for purposes required by the institution. Ebenezer Field, 3d, became a purchaser of this large New England farm, when the locality now called Gill, was known as Northfield. At the marriage of his son, Rodolphus Wright Field, with Hannah Dwight Hollister, he set off from it eighty acres as a wedding gift to his son. There all of the children of Rodolphus Wright Field and Hannah Dwight Hollister were born. Leverett Joseph Ives, son of Joseph Ives and Sarah (Bishop), was born in West Springfield, Ireland Parish, Mass., Sept. 18, 1806. He died in East Orange, N. J., Sept. 20, 1876, aged seventy years and two day. The line of descent, paternally, of Leverett Joseph Ives, comes from William Ives, born 1607, a member of the New Haven colony, 1639, who arrived in America, 1635, a passenger on the ship Truelove, from London, Robert Dennis, master. He is recorded a signer on June 4, 1639, of the Fundamental Agreement of Guinnisprack, being likewise mentioned as one of "the sixty-

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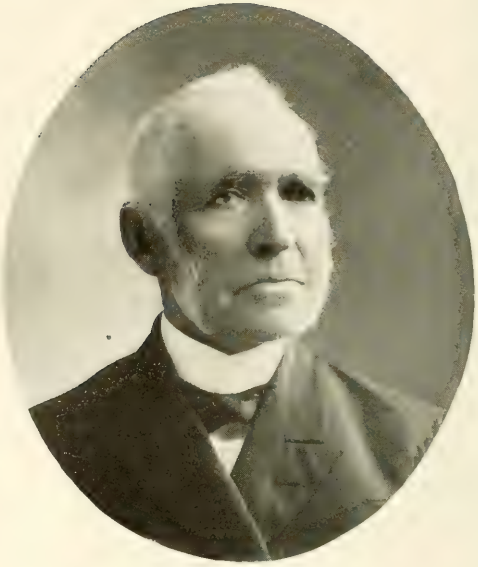

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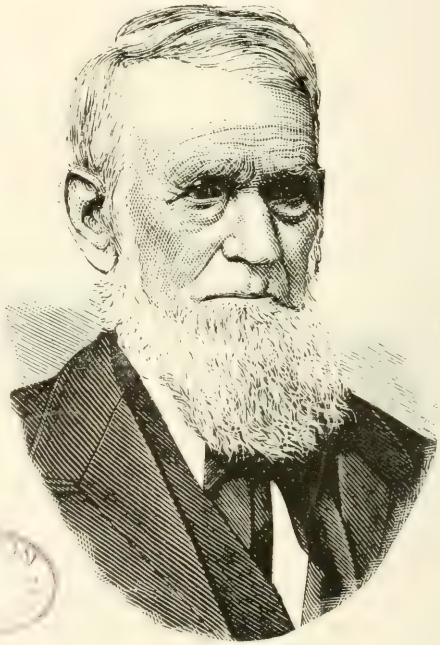

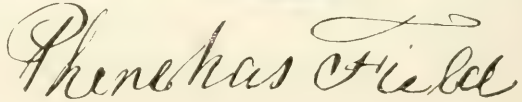

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three original Free Planters of the colony of New Haven." He married Hannah ——. Joseph Ives, son of William Ives and Hannah ——, married Jan. 2, 1672-3, Mary Yale, born April 16, 1650, daughter of Thomas Yale and Mary (Turner). Mary Turner was a daughter of Capt. Nathaniel Turner, a founder of the New Haven colony, and prominent otherwise in American colonial affairs. He was an original charter member of the ancient and honorable artillery company of Boston, being the twelfth signer upon its roll. Captain Turner, with Deputy Governor Thomas Gregson, were of that "godly company," who perished on the so-called Phantom ship, and each was an ancestor of Leverett Joseph Ives. Lieutenant and Deacon Samuel Ives, son of Joseph Ives and Mary (Yale), was born in New Haven, Conn., Nov. 6, 1677. He died there Nov. 24, 1726, aged forty-nine years. He married Jan. 3, 1706, Ruth Atwater, born in New Haven, Dec. 31, 1688, daughter of Jonathan Atwater and Ruth Peck. Ruth Peck being a daughter of Rev. Jeremiah Peck and Joanna (Kitchel). "Rev. Jeremiah Peck, in 1660, according to an act of the court, was established in the Hopkins collegiate grammar school of New Haven, and there taught the languages and science." Capt. Jonathan Ives, son of Deacon Samuel Ives and Ruth (Atwater), was born in New Haven, March 14, 1716-17. He married Feb. 19, 1737-8, Thankful Cooper, of New Haven, born April 11, 1721, daughter of Joseph Cooper, of New Haven. Capt. Jonathan Ives had four sons, all of whom are said to have served faithfully in the war of the Revolution. Jeremiah Ives, son of Capt. Jonathan Ives and Thankful Cooper, was born in New Haven, Nov. 19, 1738; married June 7, 1768, Hannah Bassett, born in New Haven (that portion now North Haven), Dec. 26, 1739, daughter of Abraham Bassett, of North Haven, and Mehitable (Street), of Wallingford. Joseph Ives, son of Jeremiah Ives and Hannah Bassett, was born in New Haven, Feb. 2, 1771; married Sarah Bishop, born in New Haven, Feb. 3, 1777, daughter of Isaac Bishop and Sarah (Macomber), both of New Haven. Joseph Ives and Sarah Bishop were the parents of Leverett Joseph Ives. In his maternal line, Leverett Joseph Ives descended from Deputy Governor James Bishop, a prominent member of the New Haven colony, through his son Deacon Samuel Bishop, Sr., and Mrs. Hannah (Talmadge), widow of Enos Talmage, daughter of Thoms Yale and Mary (Turner) (Mrs. Hannah (Yale) Bishop was a sister of Mary Yale, wife of Joseph Ives), whose son was Deacon Samuel Bishop, Jr., who married Abigail Atwater, daughter of Ebenezer Atwater and Abigail (Heaton), and had son Isaac Bishop, who married Sarah Macomber, and had daughter Sarah Bishop, who married Joseph Ives. Sarah Bishop and Joseph Ives were the parents of Leverett Joseph Ives. About the year 1833, Mr. Ives removed from Lodi, Cattaraugus county, N. Y., where he settled soon after marriage to Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario. In the spring of 1837, owing to the outbreak of the Canadian rebellion, being unwilling to swear allegiance to the British crown, he removed to Cleveland, O., and in the following autumn became a resident of Akron, O., where he lived twenty-

three years, acquiring prominence there in the drug trade. He identified himself largely in the interests of the growing young town, was energetic in promoting its early progress, and may be truly styled, as one of its pioneers. In 1860 he removed to Chicago, Ill. After remaining in the West a number of years, he returned East, and settled in East Orange, N. J. He died at his residence there Sept. 20, 1876, aged seventy years and two days. "He was honest and upright in his dealings with men; a good citizen, a kindly friend and neighbor, his manners were pleasing," he was full of hospitality, and a helper to the oppressed. In politics he originally belonged to the Whig party. In 1848 he voted the Republican ticket, upholding anti-slavery, and ever after firmly adhered to those party lines. He was a personal friend of "Old John Brown, the martyr," and presented him with a rifle when he started on "his mission to Kansas." Ch.: 1. Helen Pomeroy, b. June 27, 1836; m. Jan. 2, 1861, Edwin Louis Bomeisler. She received a liberal education, and was graduated from the Ontario Female Seminary, Canandaigua, N. Y., class 1854; married Jan. 2, 1861, in Trinity church, Protestant Episcopal, Chicago, Ill., by Rev. James Pratt, the rector, Edwin Louis Bomeisler, b. Nov. 15, 1827, in Philadelphia, Pa. Edwin L. Bomeisler was b. Nov. 15, 1827. Res. 255 Hancock St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Edwin Louis Bomeisler died on the 11th of June, 1900, at 255 Hancock St., Brooklyn, N. Y., of apoplexy; aged 72 years, 6 months, 25 days. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Charles M. Homer, rector of St. James Protestant Episcopal church of Brooklyn. His remains were interred in Woodlawn cemetery, New York City. Ch.: 1. Louis Edwin Bomeisler (only child), b. July 22, 1862, in Philadelphia, Pa.; m. June 11, 1890, Natalie Holliday Cantoni, b. Aug. 6, 1869, in Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y. By profession, a counsellor at law. Office, 27-29 Pine St., Borough of Manhattan, N. Y. Res. 255 Hancock St., Brooklyn. Ch.: (a) Louis Edwin Bomeisler, Jr., b. April 3, 1891, in Brooklyn. (b) Douglass Mortimer Bomeisler, b. June 20, 1892, Brooklyn. (c) Natalie Ives Bomeisler, b. June 11, 1898, Brooklyn. Res. 255 Hancock St., Brooklyn. Louis Bomeisler, the eldest son of Nathan Loebl Bomeisler and —— (Heller), of Munich, Bavaria, was born in Munich, Nov. 15, 1790. Born of wealthy parents, who held a high position in the social ranks of the splendid Bavarian capital, Louis Bomeisler was reared in the midst of a refined and cultivated home environment, receiving therein rare privileges, bestowed with unbounded generosity. He was liberally educated, his early instruction and preparation for college being conducted under the watchful care of a capable private tutor, who accompanied his pupil upon an extended tour through Europe, visiting Russia, Poland, and Asia Minor. He completed his course of study at Heidelberg University, Heidelberg, Germany, excelling in the languages, seven of which he became master, and also in mathematics. At an early age he joined the allied forces of the French and Bavarians, under the Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte, and served as aide-de-camp to one of Napoleon's

generals at the battles of Jena and Austerlitz. In 1815 he was decorated by King Louis XVIII. of France, at Paris, with the "Order of the Lily," which order was granted by the King to the National Guards of France, Mr. Bomeisler being a member of that organization. On Dec. 1, 1816, he was initiated into the order of Free Masons, at Paris. About 1818 he came to America, landing at Philadelphia, not however, with the intention of remaining, but being taken seriously ill with a fever, his attendant physician, Dr. Benjamin Rush, who became his life-long friend, induced him to make Philadelphia his permanent residence. On April 23, 1819, the Masonic records of Philadelphia, state, "Brother Louis Bomeisler was admitted to membership in Herman Lodge, No. 125, F. and A. M." On April 13, 1824, he took the oath of Freedom in Philadelphia. On May 15, 1824, he married Mrs. Elizabeth Murray, of Philadelphia, widow of George Murray, daughter of Col. Daniel McKaraher and Susanna (Dunwoody). Louis Bomeisler upon settling in Philadelphia became a shipping merchant. Having his place of business on Front street, adjoining that of Stephen Girard. Mr. Bomeisler was public-spirited, and largely indentified himself with some of Philadelphia's early interests. He was courteous, affable, refined and dignified, and may be said to have been one of "nature's noblemen." He died in the city of his adoption, Sept. 28, 1856, aged sixty-four years, ten months and sixteen days. Elizabeth McKaraher, the youngest child of Col. Daniel McKaraher and Susanna (Dunwoody), was born in Philadelphia Jan. 4, 1794. She married as her first husband, in Philadelphia, George Murray, son of John Murray, Jr., of Philadelphia, and Susan (Elton), of Burlington, N. J. They were members of the Society of Friends, called Quakers. He was a son of John Murray and Elizabeth, who belonged to the early Quaker Murray family of New York City, which has perpetuated the name in various localities of that great metropolis. The birth of Elizabeth McKaraher occurred in the southern part of the city of Philadelphia, then known as "Society Hill." She died, as the widow of Louis Bomeisler, in her native city, June 16, 1876, at the age of eighty-two years, six months, twelve days. She was a gentlewoman of rare ability, and of charming personality. Beloved in her home, she possessed, likewise, a large circle of friends. She inherited not only the beauty of her mother, but in addition, the strong, physical and mental qualities of her Scotch-Irish ancestors.

Col. Daniel McKaraher, born about 1751, in Londonderry, Ireland, came to America, landing in Philadelphia, perhaps shortly previous to 1777. In the Pennsylvania archives it is recorded that "on July 31, 1777, Daniel McCaracher took the oath of allegiance to the new government." He was an Irish patriot, and fled from his native land to escape persecution on account of his patriotism. In America he served in the Revolutionary war, and was one of the unfortunate sufferers at the siege of Valley Forge, who in departing therefrom left foot-prints of blood upon the frosty pathway along which they moved. He was a devout member of the Third Presbyterian church, in Philadelphia, located at

Fourth and Pine streets, which during the war of the Revolution, was used by the British soldiers as a stable for their horses. Upon his return home, at the close of the war, he ordered his church-pew rebuilt, at his own expense, it having continued in use among his descendants to the present generation. He married in Philadelphia, Mrs. Susanna Hamill, widow of William Hamill, daughter of John Dunwoody and Susanna (Cresswell). In his native city, Londonderry, he became a member of the order of Free Masons. The Masonic records of Philadelphia relate, concerning him, that "Brother Daniel McKaraher, a past master, was admitted to membership in lodge No. 9, F. and A. M., in this city, Jan. 4, 1784, and was elected worshipful master of said lodge in 1794." He died at Philadelphia, Sept. 25, 1811; "in the sixtieth year of his age," as per his tombstone. He was buried with military and Masonic honors. His remains lie interred in the Third Presbyterian ground, at Fourth and Pine streets, Philadelphia. Upon his tombstone appears the military title of colonel, and surrounding it are Masonic emblems. He was not only an uncompromising Scotch Irish Presbyterian, but he embodied the unswerving characteristics of honor, uprightness and bravery, which mark that vigorous nation. Susanna Dunwoody, born at Fagg's Manor, Chester county, Pa., was a daughter of John Dunwoody (but one o originally) and Susanna (Cresswell). At the time of her marriage to Col. Daniel McKaraher, she was the widow of William Hamill, a native of the north of Ireland, a son of the Scotch-Irish race. She possessed great physical strength, and uncommon personal beauty. It being said of her that "she was the handsomest woman who went into Brandywine Manor meeting house." Her eldest brother, Dr. James Dunwoody, who removed shortly prior to the Revolutionary war, from Chester county, Pennsylvania, to the town of Sunbury, in Georgia, is an ancestor on the maternal side of Hon. Col. Theodore Roosevelt, governor of the state of New York. John Dunwoody was a native of Donegal, in the north of Ireland, and belonged to the sturdy, sterling Scotch-Irish race. Having received an education in his native land, he followed the occupation of a school master, at Fagg's Manor, in Chester county, Pennsylvania. He there married Susanna Cresswell, daughter of William Cresswell and Mary —— of Fagg's Manor. William Cresswell is mentioned as one of the earliest settlers of Fagg's Manor. The Cresswell family came from England prior to the middle of the eighteenth century. "They entered at the mouth of the Chesapeake Bay, landing high up," viz., at its head, "in Maryland." Some of them crossed the border into Pennsylvania, and settled in Chester county.

Louis Edwin Bomeisler, the only child of Edwin Louis Bomeisler and Helen Pomeroy (Ives), was born in Philadelphia, July 22, 1862. At the age of five years he was admitted into the school of the Deütschen Frien Gemeinde, in Philadelphia, of which Herr Friedrich Schünemann Pott, was director, continuing under German tuition until the age of eleven years, thus acquiring fluency in the German tongue. In 1873 his parents removed

from Philadelphia to New York City, when he became a pupil of grammar school, No. 35, ot which Prof. John A. Forbes was the well-known and able superintendent. Among the branches of learning in which this young student excelled, was that of elocution, being called upon to give recitations in the evening schools of New York City. May 12, 1877, an interesting biographical sketch, together with a portrait of Louis Edwin Bomeisler appeared in Frank Leslie's magazine, entitled, "The Boys' and Girls' Weekly," in which he is mentioned as one of "the distinguished scholars of the New York schools." June 19, 1877, he was graduated from grammar school, No. 35, and in the following autumn entered the college of the city of New York, remaining there two years. In that institution he was the champion athlete of his class. In 1879 he took a course of study at the Commercial College, in New York, of Prof. S. S. Packard, upon leaving Columbia College School of Mines, where he pursued the special course in assaying. In September, 1886, he was admitted to the Law School of Columbia College, in New York, from which he was graduated in the class of 1888, with the degree of LL. B. He is a member of the law firm of Dill, Bomeisler & Baldwin, having their offices at Nos. 27 and 29 Pine street, New York. He is one of the best known after-dinner speakers in the city of New York. Being a prominent member of the Masonic order, he was initiated into the Acanthus Lodge, No. 719, F. and A. M., in Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 7, 1891; passed as a Fellow Craft, Feb. 1, 1892; raised as a Master Mason, Feb. 15, 1892; elected Senior Warden, Dec. 16, 1895; elected Master, Dec. 21, 1896; retired, Dec. 20, 1897; elected trustee, Dec. 20, 1897; re-elected trustee, Dec. 19, 1898; retired Dec. 18, 1899. Jan. 31, 1899, he was admitted a member of the Mystic Shrine. Is a member of all the Scottish Rite bodies, and is a thirty-second degree Mason. He married June 11, 1890, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Natalie Holliday Cantoni, born in Brooklyn, Aug. 6, 1869. The officiating clergyman being Rev. Charles Homer, rector of St. James Protestant Episcopal church, in Brooklyn. She was a daughter of Salvatore Cantoni and Clarissa Douglass (Olsen). Natalie H. Cantoni was educated at the Adelphi Academy, in Brooklyn, and at the convent of St. Elizabeth, Madison, N. J. Taking at the latter institution, in June, 1888, "the Golden Crown of Honor," presented by Bishop Wigger of the diocese. It being the highest prize bestowed.

Salvatore Cantoni born in Venice, Italy, was a son of Leon Vita Cantoni and Rosa (Cesanna), Venetians by birth; but the ancestors of Rosa Cesanna were natives of Greece. Mr. Cantoni was decorated by King Humbert of Italy, with the order of the Crown of Italy, which bestows the title of chevalier with the rank of knight. For a number of years he held the office of president of the Italian colony of the United States, performing honorably and creditably his duties in that position. He was a banker in New York City. He died suddenly, at Bay Shore, Long Island, N. Y., June 21, 1896. Clarissa Douglass Olsen, daughter of James William Olsen and Clarissa (Douglass), was

born in New York City. James William Olsen, born in Chester, England, was a son of —— Olsen, a native of Denmark, and —— (Mortimer), born in Chester, England. Mr. Olsen possessed remarkable intellectual ability, being offered the professorship of astronomy and mathematics in Rutgers College. He was a prominent politician in New York City, and belonged to the Republican party. He was private secretary to Hon. A. Oakley Hall.

Clarissa Douglass, born in New York City, was a daughter of John Douglass and Mrs. Jane (Mikels). John Douglass was born in Scotland, but settled in Dublin, Ireland. Later he came to America, where, in New York City, he established himself in the linen trade. He was a Scotch Irish Protestant. Mrs. Jane Mikels, (born Jane Haynes), was at the time of her marriage to John Douglass the widow of Jacob Mikels, of New York City. He was her second husband. She married Jasper Miller; m., 2d, Jacob Mikels; m. 3d, John Douglass.

The children of Louis Edwin Bomeisler and Natalie Holliday (Cantoni) were: 1. Louis Edwin Bomeisler, Jr., b. Friday, April 3, twenty-five minutes after ten a. m., at No. 255 Hancock st., Brooklyn, N. Y.; baptized Wednesday, May 28, eleven a. m., in St. James Protestant Episcopal church, by Rev. Charles Homer, the rector, who also christened and married the mother; sponsors, Olive Douglass Cantoni, of Brooklyn, Dr. Parker Syms, of New York, and the father. 2. Douglass Mortimer Bomeisler, b. Monday, June 20, 1892, half past twelve, a. m., at No. 255 Hancock st., Brooklyn; baptized Thursday, Jan. 26, 1893, five p. m., at No. 255 Hancock st., the residence of his parents, by Rev. Charles Homer; sponsors, Austin E. Pressinger, of New York, Edna Mortimer Cantoni, of Brooklyn, and the father. 3. Nathaniel Ives Bomeisler, b. Saturday, June 11, 1898, six a. m., at No. 255 Hancock st., Brooklyn. (Her birth occurred on the eight anniversary of her parents' marriage.) Baptized at Freeport, Long Island, N. Y., Sunday, Sept. 24, 1899, at fifteen minutes to three p. m., in the church of the Incarnation Protestant Episcopal, by Rev. Arthur Loundes, D. D., the rector; sponsors, Edna Mortimer Cantoni, of Brooklyn, Mrs. Florence Bomeisler, of East Orange, N. J., and Paltiel Rowland Bomeisler, of East Orange.

2. Sarah Bishop, b. Feb. 8. 1838; d. Aug. 26, 1839. 3. Prentice Field, b. Nov. 1, 1840; d. Nov. 7, 1840. 4. Eliza Anna, b. Nov. 12, 1841; m. Nov. 12, 1863, Charles C. Kellogg, b. June 27, 1833. Ch.: 1. Ann Ruth, b. Feb. 6, 1865; m. June 7, 1888, William Edward Mathews, b. in Brooklyn, N. Y., 1861; d. in Brooklyn, March 18, 1891, of acute Bright's disease. Ch.: (a) Loree Schuyler Mathews, b. in Brooklyn, Jan. 10, 1890; d. in New York, April 23, 1897, of malignant scarlet fever. Mrs. Anna Ruth (Kellogg) Mathews, m., 2d, in Bath, N. Y., June, 1897, Walker Edwin Hodgeman. They reside at Yonkers, N. Y. William Edward Mathews was an only child, and on his father's side descended from the Lorees and Schuylers. His mother was Holliday, a native of Glasgow, Scotland. 2. Helen, b. Jan. 9,

1867. Eliza A. d. in Chicago, Oct. 15, 1870. Charles C. d. Jan. 10, 1871, in Chicago. 5. Mary Bishop, b. April 8, 1846; m. Feb. 23, 1869, William Frederick Kidder. Among the three children of Mr. and Mrs. Kidder is Lida Ives Kidder, a twin, born in New York, July 24, 1872. Dr. Case incorrectly records her death; she is yet living, and grown to womanhood. Her twin brother, however, died, as Dr. Case has it, three days after birth.

2635. v. FERONA DWIGHT, b. March 20, 1807; m. 1839, Rev. Daniel Fairchild, of Saratoga, N. Y.; d. in Illinois, March 24, 1869. He was b. 1804; was of the Methodist Episcopal conference, and d. some time in 1860. She d. in Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 24, 1869. Her name was changed by act of the legislature from Ferona Druscilla to Ferona Dwight. Ch.: 1. George Heber, b. Kent, Conn., July 4, 1840. 2. Clarissa Field, b. July, 1842; d. s. p., in Glenwood, Iowa, Sept. 16, 1862.

2636. vi. JOSEPHINE MARIETTE, b. March 15, 1809; m. March 13, 1839, at Troy, O., Thomas Hunt Goodwin, of Akron, O. He was b. Oct. 10, 1810, in Baie de Verte, Nova Scotia. Res. Akron, O., where he d. May 3, 1893. Ch.: 1. Alfred Davidson, b. Aug. 23, 1840; m. July 21, 1863, Lucinda Caroline Chapman, b. Nov. 1, 1846. Res. St. Johns, N. B.; five children. In 1868 he went to St. Johns, N. B., where he engaged extensively in the commission business, and acted for a time with credit as United States vice consul. He was United States consul for Paraguay also. The great fire of 1877 swept away his entire property, and he removed to Baltimore, Md., where he took charge of the subscription business for several large publishing firms of New York, Boston, and Philadelphia. He died in Baltimore, Jan. 18, 1880, of typhoid fever. His widow resides 529 West Market St., Akron, O. Ch.: (a) Howard Glenn Goodwin, b. March 8, 1866. (b) Mabel Clare Goodwin, b. Oct. 11, 1874. (c) Flora Josephine Goodwin, b. Sept. 19, 1876. 2. Clarissa Aurelia, b. Sept. 7, 1842; unm.; d. in Akron, O., Aug. 10, 1883. 3. Pamela Helen, b. March 2, 1845; m. June 16, 1879, William Renwick. Res. Davenport, Iowa, and Claremont, Cal. Ch.: (a) William Goodwin, b. Berlin, Germany, Jan. 10, 1886. He d. Jan. 12, 1889. Mr. Renwick was a son of Hon. James and Elizabeth (Locherby), both natives of Scotland. 4. Prentice Field; d. young.

2637. vii. GRATIA ELECTA, b. April 16, 1813; m. June 5, 1834, Rev. Philo Hawks, of Charlemont, Mass. Res. Barnstable, Mass. He was b. June 5, 1810; of the Methodist Episcopal conference. Ch.: 1. Clarissa Field, b. April 6, 1836; m. John A. Francis and John Pollard Ellis, of Boston. Two children—one each husband. 2. Philo Prentice, b. Nov. 9, 1838; m. Aug. 7, 1862, Abby Jane Gayton. One child. 3. Abigail Dwight, b. Feb. 12, 1841; m. April 27, 1874, Benjamin Sumner Proctor, of Boston. 4. Emma Fitch, b. Aug. 6, 1843; d. Nov. 15, 1867. 5. Dr. William Hines, b. Oct. 25, 1845; graduated Brown University, Providence, R. I., 1867, and University of Pennsylvania as M. D. in 1874; surgeon in United States army; m. Oct. 25, 1887, Laura Sprague Tenny, b. in Methuen, Mass., April 14, 1849, dau. of John Tenny, b. Sept. 12, 1799, in Dumbarton, N. H., and his wife, Augusta

Sprague, b. Aug. 22, 1819, in Salem, Mass. Both Gratia E. Field and Philo Hawkes had the same progenitor, in John Hawkes; colonial settler in Deerfield, Mass. Her line of descent being Joanna Hawkes, daughter of John and (?: Was his wife, Elizabeth Ward) married William Arms (Dr. Case makes it incorrectly Ormel). Their daughter, Elizabeth Arms, m. Ebenezer Field, the first, of Deerfield; their son Ebenezer, 2d; their son Ebenezer, 3d; their son Rodolphus W., father of Gratia Electa Field. Rev. Philo Hawkes died at his residence, in Barnstable, Mass., June 7, 1891, from heart failure, aged eighty-one years; a clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal denomination. Mrs. Gratia E. Hawkes died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Summer Proctor, at Southboro. Mass. (Abba Dwight Hawkes), June 21, 1894, aged eighty-one years. She and her husband were married June 5, 1834, on his twenty-fourth birthday. "They lived for fifty-seven years an exceptionally happy life." Dr. Case, in Hollister History, omitted their youngest child, Ella Blanche Hawkes, born Feb. 16, 1852; m., at Providence, R. I., March 29, 1880, John Magrath Kelly, born in Boston, Mass. I have not Mr. Kelly's date of birth. They reside in Surrey, London, England. He was a son of John D. Kelly, a native of Ireland, and Mary Ursuline Magrath, born in Malden, Mass. Ch.: 1. Paul Herrick Kelly, b. June 7, 1882, in Providence, R. I. 2. Agnes Kelly, b. April 20, 1886, in London, England. 3. Joseph John Kelly, b. July 7, 1888, in London, England. Probably more. In religion, Roman Catholic.

2638. viii. CLARISSA AURELIA, b. Oct. 28, 1815; d. Feb. 7, 1835.

1332. EBENEZER SERENO FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Ebenezer and Eunice (Wright), b. in Northfield, Mass.; bap. May 7, 1775. He was sent off to Gill, Mass., in 1793. He d. suddenly, supposed in a fit, at Claremont, N. H., while there on a visit, May 30, 1820. He m. 1802 Amelia, dau. of Samuel and Rebecca (Bridgman) Connable, of Bernardston, Mass., b. Dec. 24, 1781; d. Aug. 15, 1831. Res. Gill, Mass.

2639. i. MINERVA ALTHEA, b. Oct. 26, 1803; m. April 3, 1824, Samuel C. Stevens, of Guilford, Vt. They removed to Illinois, where she d. Jan. 5, 1846. They had six children.

2640. ii. BARNARD WARREN, b. Sept. 5, 1808; m. Sarah Rachel Cushman.

1336. LOREN SHELDON FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), bap. Northfield, Mass., April 9, 1786. He inherited his father's homestead which he sold in —— and removed to Marietta, Ohio, where he remained but a few years, returning to Gill, Mass., in a Pennsylvania covered wagon which was a great curiosity to the inhabitants of the town, himself and family broken down in health from malarial disease, and losing most of his property in consequence of removal. Previous to his leaving, his mother's third and personal property were fortunately invested in a homestead in Gill, Mass., which was nearly all they had to fall back upon, and he resided there with his mother until his death. He m. July 14, 1807, Mary Hubbard, of Greenfield, Mass.

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FIELD HOME, BELFAST, ME., RESIDENCE JUDGE BOHAN P. FIELD.

2641. i. EMELINE, b. ——; m. —— Severance, of Northfield, Mass.
2642. ii. DIANA.
2643. iii. MARY.
2644. iv. LOUISA.
2645. v. EBENEZER.
2646. vi. HUBBARD.

1339. JUDGE BOHAN PRENTICE FIELD (Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Ebenezer and Eunice (Wright), b. in Northfield, Mass., May 23, 1773; graduated at Dartmouth College in 1795. He commenced the study of law in Portsmouth, N. H., and afterward entered the office of Hon. Samuel Dana, of Amherst, N. H., where he finished his studies preparatory to being admitted to the bar. After being admitted to the bar in New Hampshire, he removed in 1798 to North Yarmouth, Me., being the first lawyer to settle in that place. In 1799 he removed to Belfast, Me., and became the pioneer of his profession in that town, which was then in Hancock county, and in 1800 contained but 674 inhabitants, and in 1860 contained 5, 520. Mr. Field lived through the period of its growth from its humble beginning, forty-four years. On the organization of the county of Waldo in 1827, he was appointed by Governor Lincoln, chief justice of the Court of Sessions for the county, which was a surprise to him, as they were political opponents. He continued to discharge the duties of the office for the term of ten years with industry and to the satisfaction of the county. He was a well read lawyer and his opinions were regarded as good authority and entitled to great weight. He rarely appeared as an advocate but when he found it necessary or expedient to address a jury he did it with force and clearness, without any display of rhetoric, arguing for the cause and not for outside effect. He was valued in the community where he lived for his general intelligence, soundness of judgment and integrity of character. He d. March 13, 1843. The following tribute to his memory is from the pen of Hon. Mr. Williamson, of Belfast. Speaking of Mr. Field as a magistrate and referee, in which capacity he was often employed, he says: "No man entered on the investigation of the rights of parties freeer from passion and prejudice, and no man exercised a sounder judgment. Hence his decisions were uniformly correct and satisfactory. Such was his known integrity of character and singleness of purpose, that he received a thousand unsought tokens of public favor and confidence. Few men ever died more highly esteemed by all who knew him." He m. Oct. 23, 1807, Abigail, dau. of Benjamin and Mary (Mann) Davis, of Bilerica, Mass., b. Oct. 23, 1787; d. Nov. 3, 1863.

2647. i. HENRY CUMMINGS, b. Sept. 14, 1809; m. Areneth Harriman.
2648. ii. WILLIAM PATTON, b. Jan. 31, 1811; m. Sarah Ingram.
2649. iii. ABIGAIL ELEANOR, b. March 2, 1812; d. Oct. 1, 1813.
2650. iv. EBENEZER WRIGHT, b. Sept. 23, 1813; d. Oct. 7, 1813.
2651. v. CHARLES DAVIS, b. Aug. 5, 1814; m. Eliza Osgood.
2652. vi. BOHAN PRENTICE, b. Sept. 11, 1815; m. Lucy Haraden.
2653. vii. GEORGE WARREN, b. Dec. 9, 1818; m. Lucy H. Humphrey.
2654. viii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. Oct. 10, 1820; m. Caroline Williams Toby and Annie Fuller Toby.
2655. ix. EDWARD MANN, b. July 27, 1822; m. Sarah Ross McRuer.

1346. ROSWELL FIELD (Abner, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Dec. 1, 1789; m. Dec. 12, 1813, Peace Cook, of Tiverton, R. I. He kept tavern in that town. He went from Northfield about 1827 to Sunderland; kept tavern at the house now

occupied by Mrs. Abigail L. Gilbert, and afterwards at the present Mt. Toby House; removed to Hartford after 1830; m. Peace Cook, of Tiverton, R. I. She d. Sept. 22, 1862, at the house of Samuel Dunlap. He d. Nov. 24, 1846; buried in Sunderland. The eldest five children were born in Northfield. Res. Sunderland, Mass.

2656. i. SARAH ELECTA, b. Dec. 13, 1814; m. Samuel Dunlap.
2657. ii. ALBERT ROSWELL, b. Sept. 27, 1816.
2658. iii. JUDITH MATILDA, b. in 1827; d. Oct. 11, 1831.
2658⅛. iv. GEORGE, bap. July 6, 1828.
2658¼. v. MARIA, bap. July 6, 1828.
2658⅓. vi. ELIZABETH WHITING, bap. July 6, 1828; m. Dec. 24, 1839, Austin F. Rowe.
2658½. vii. STEPHEN, R. B., d. Aug. 6, 1827, aged 18 months.
2658⅔. viii. MARY EMELINE, bap. July 4, 1830; d. Aug. 17, 1831, aged 19 months (gravestone).
2658¾. ix. AMELA M., d. Nov. 1, 1847, in Boston, aged 17 years, 7 months (gravestone).
2658⅞. x. JULLIET MARY, bap. Nov. 23, 1834; m. Sept. 6, 1855, Charles H. Sweet.

1348. GEORGE P. FIELD (Abner, Ebenezer, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Abner and Mary (Mattoon), b. in Northfield, Mass., April 19, 1794. He m. Dec. 2, 1818, Pamelia, dau. of Thomas Bardwell, of Deerfield, Mass., b. Nov. 11, 1795; d. April 24, 1836.

2659. i. GEORGE P., b. ——.

1353. MOSES FIELD (Moses D., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses D. and Patience (Smith), b. in Surry, N. H., July 9, 1769; d. Jan. 31, 1815. A farmer. He m. 1796 Molly, dau. of Peter Hayward, of Surry, b. 1763; d. Aug. 24, 1808.

2660. i. AMOS, b. 1797; d. Feb. 7, 1807.
2661. ii. HASKINS, b. Feb. 8, 1801; d. Feb. 22, 1801.
2662. iii. PATIENCE, b. 1803; m. John Pierce, of Springfield, Vt.
2663. iv. JERUSHA, b. May 10, 1805; d. Sept. 26, 1805.
2664. v. RISPAH, b. 1806; m. —— Clark, of Gilsum, N. H.
2665. vi. A DAUGHTER, b. 1808; m. Eleazer Wilcox, of Surry, N. H.

1358. ISAAC FIELD (Moses D., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses D. and Patience (Smith), b. in Surry, N. H. He removed in —— to Pennsylvania, where he d. He m. Dolly, dau. of Jonathan Robinson, of Surry, N. H.

2666. i. LUCIA, b. ——; m. —— Fish, of Pennsylvania.
2667. ii. PRESCOTT, b. ——.
2668. iii. LOUISA, b. ——; m. —— Kimball, of Pennsylvania.

1359. ELIPHAZ FIELD (Moses D., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses D. and Patience (Smith), b. in Surry, N. H., Feb. 20, 1784; d. Jan. 18, 1872. He inherited the homestead. He m. Susanna, dau. of Jonathan Robinson, of Surry, N. H., d. Aug. 17, 1853, aged 65.

2669. i. JONATHAN R., b. Dec. 3, 1812; m. Julia F. Morton.
2670. ii. ELIZA C., b. Sept. 16, 1814; d. Jan. 15, 1835.
2671. iii. EMELINE S., b. Dec. 19, 1817; m. April, 1845, Daniel Burr, of Marlow, N. H.

2672. iv. SARAH JANE, b. Feb. 16, 1820; m. May, 1844, Henry T. Ellis, of Marlow, N. H.
2673. v. LUCIA M., b. Jan. 15, 1823; unm.; res. Brattleboro, Vt.
2674. vi. GEORGE, b. May 21, 1826; d. Feb. 4, 1827.
2675. vii. LEWIS D., b. Dec. 6, 1828; d. Jan. 22, 1829.

1361. CYRUS FIELD (Moses D., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Surry, N. H., Nov. 20, 1789. He removed in —— to New York, where he d. He m., Nancy, dau. of Simeon Baxter, of Surry, N. H., b. 1795; d. March 5, 1820; m., 2d, Sarah, dau. of Peter and Sarah (Kidder) Joslyn, of Surry, N. H. Res. Surry, N. H.
2676. i. HARRIET, b. ——; m. —— Coryill; a dau. is Mrs. Wm. H. Allen, of Riverside, Ill.
2677. ii. RHODA, b. ——.
2678. iii. WILLIAM B., b. June 28, 1816; m. Esther Amelia Yontz.
2679. iv. MARY, b. ——.
2680. v. HIRAM, b. ——.
2681. vi. CHARLES, b. ——.

1363. ZENAS FIELD (Moses D., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William, son of Moses D. and Patience) (Smith) (123), b. in Surry, N. H., in 1795. He removed in —— to Pennsylvania, where he d. He m. —— Follett.
2682. i. RHODA, b. ——.
2683. ii. ELIPHAZ, b. ——.
2684. iii. MOSES, b. ——.
2685. iv. ISAAC, b. ——.
2686. v. NELSON, b. ——.
2687. vi. MARY, b. ——.

1366. SOLOMON FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., Nov. 1, 1776. He removed about 1805 to Verona, N. Y. He m. March, 1796, Ruth Porter, of Hawley, Mass., b. ——.
2688. i. ASABEL WRIGHT, b. 1797; d. Sept. 10, 1801.
2689. ii. WILLIAM, b. ——.

1367. REUBEN WRIGHT FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., April 3, 1779. He removed in 1806 to Buckland, Mass., where he d. Jan. 24, 1863. A farmer. He m., April 14, 1806, Polly, dau. of Zebulon and Alice (Chase) White, of Buckland, b. April 11, 1782; d. May 15, 1808; m., 2d, June 3, 1809, Abigail L., sister of first wife, b. Oct. 3, 1787; d. June 8, 1840.
2690. i. ZEBULON WHITE, b. June 19, 1807; m. Roxanna Giles.
2691. ii. REUBEN WRIGHT, b. May 12, 1808; d. May 21, 1808.
2692. iii. SOLOMON, b. 1810; d. 1810.
2693. iv. MARY WHITE, b. Feb. 27, 1812; m. Dec. 14, 1836, Dexter Atkins, of Buckland. He was b. March 19, 1812; d. Nov. 24, 1885; she d. March 29, 1885. Ch.: 1. Sarah Abigail Atkins, b. Oct. 15, 1840; date of death unknown. 2. Dexter Ashman Atkins, b. Sept. 27, 1847; now residing in Springfield, Mass.
2694. v. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 22, 1815; d. ——.
2695. vi. LUCY WRIGHT, b. Jan. 8, 1818; m., 1844, Willard Packard; m.,

2d, June 16, 1853, Samuel A. Clark, of Hawley. She res. Hawley, Mass., s. p.; d. Oct. 4, 1898; Mr. Clark was b. April 24, 1812; d. March 26, 1898.

2696. vii. REUBEN WRIGHT, b. Aug. 14, 1820; m. Harriet L. Parker and Mary Elizabeth Severance.

2697. viii. POLLY, b. 1823; d. 1823.

2698. ix. ABIGAIL ALICE, b. Dec. 12, 1824; m. Jan. 20, 1853, Alphonzo Dickinson, of Hadley, Mass.

1368. SILAS FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., Sept. 3, 1781; d. May 19, 1862. He was a blacksmith. He m. Aug. 12, 1804, Gratia Thankful, dau. of Timothy and Silence (Bartlett) Catlin, of Conway, b. in Sunderland, 1784; d. Jan. 6, 1867.

2699. i. ——, b. April 12, 1805; d in infancy.

2700. ii. ——, b. March 6, 1806; d. in infancy.

2701. iii. ——, b. Feb. 11, 1807; d. in infancy.

2702. iv. ——, b. Dec. 4, 1807; d. in infancy.

2703. v. ——, b. Oct. 26, 1808; d. in infancy.

2704. vi. CHARLES NELSON, b. Oct. 26, 1810; m. Anna Newhall and Rebecca D. Tolman.

2705. vii. GRATIA, b. Jan. 17, 1817; m. Jonathan M. Thompson, of Colrain; he d. in Conway, July, 1879, where she now resides.

1369. HORACE FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Conway, Mass., April 14, 1784. He removed to Ashfield, Mass., where he d. March 16, 1831. He m. Dec. 3, 1808, Zerviah, dau. of Moses and Abigail (Bacon) Burnham, of Montague, Mass., b. Jan. 25, 1787; d. Aug. 26, 1862. He was a farmer.

Horace, of Conway, Oct. 11, 1831, filed; Zerviah, wife; no heirs mentioned beside wife Zerviah.—Franklin County Probate.

2706. i. HORACE LOREN, b. July 2, 1809; m. Mary S. Sherman.

2707. ii. LOVINA BARDWELL, b. Oct. 17, 1812; m. May 31, 1837, Stephen Averill, of Wilmington, Vt. He was b. Nov. 27, 1802; d. March 19, 1887; was a farmer; she resided in Wilmington, Vt. Ch.: 1. Phœbe Jane Wellman, Wilmington, Vt., b. April 8, 1838; m. Aug. 8, 1861. 2. Diadonnia Pulsifer, b. June 6, 1839; d. June 3, 1858, Peoria, Ill. 3. Ellen Maria, b. Nov. 24, 1840; d. Sept. 17, 1842, Wilmington, Vt. 4. Stephen Franklin, b. July 22, 1843, Peoria, Ill. 5. Charles Henry, b. March 23, 1845, Wilmington, Vt. 6. Lucius Wilcox, b. Dec. 27, 1846, Wilmington, Vt. 7. Mary Cliffordier Lyon, b. Sept. 30, 1850; m. June, 1871; d. April 6, 1875, Wilmington, Vt. 8. Abigail Electa, b. March 8, 1852; d. March 16, 1869, Wilmington, Vt. 9. Emerette Louise Gifford, b. Sept. 4, 1854, Wilmington, Vt.; m. Dec. 4, 1879; res. Wilmington, Vt.

2708. iii. ALVIN S., b. Nov. 2, 1814; m. Sylvia Crafts.

2709. iv. ELIJAH, b. Dec. 16, 1817; m. Emerette L. Hill.

2710. v. ELECTA, b. Feb. 1, 1820; d. Aug. 29, 1822.

2711. vi. MOSES B., b. Oct. 25, 1822; m. Lucinda Edson.

2712. vii. ABIGAIL B., b. March 29, 1825; m. Feb. 15, 1841, Emerson C. Foote, of Conway. He was b. June 10, 1818; d. June 11, 1899; was an undertaker. Ch.: 1. Zerviah (Foote) Packard, b. May

19, 1843; m. John B. Packard March 22, 1864. d. May 21, 1872. 2. William Harlow Foote, b. March 1, 1848; d. Aug. 6, 1851. 3. George F. Foote, b. May 28, 1853; d. March 2, 1856. 4. Josephine L. (Foote) Batchelder, b. Nov. 24, 1856; m. Wm. K. Batchelder, March 10, 1875. 5. Anna R. (Foote) Holcomb, b. May 9, 1859; m. Fred Holcomb Dec. 30, 1880. 6. Fannie R. Foote, b. May 9, 1865; d. May 23, 1865.

2713. viii. ELECTA, b. Aug. 1, 1827; m. Dec. 28, 1843, Edward Howland, of Greenfield, Mass.; d. 1847.

2714. ix. PAMELIA S., b. May 18, 1830; d. Jan. 18, 1831.

1370. JOEL FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., Oct. 27, 1786; d. Sept. 3, 1838. He m. Feb. 10, 1820, Philinda, dau. of Samuel and Rebecca (Nims) Wilder, of Deerfield, Mass., b. July 30, 1794; she d. Sept. 15, 1890, aged 96.

Joel, of Conway, Dec. 18, 1838, filed; Philinda Field, wife, and guardian of Joel, Rebecca, Mary P., all under fourteen years of age. Another paper filed Oct. 8, 1839, gives Austin Rice as guardian for Consider, Israel W. and Mary W., minor children above age of fourteen.

Mrs. Philinda, of Conway; will filed 1891; no husband. Daughters, Mrs. Samuel Jackson, of Brighton, Mass.; son, Joel Field, of West Springfield, Mass.; granddaughters, Mrs. Etta (Field) Dowding, Mary W. Field, Lizzie M. Field, all of Conway, Mass.; Mrs. Idella Albee, of Charlemont; Mrs. Chas. Fisher, of Hartford, Conn.; grandsons, Frank Field, of Conway, Mass.; Edgar Field, of Hartford, Conn.—Franklin County Probate.

2715. i. CONSIDER WILDER, b. Dec. 4, 1820; m. Mary A. Field.

2716. ii. ISRAEL WILDER, b. Feb. 20, 1823; m. Elizabeth A. Ranney.

2717. iii. MARY WRIGHT, b. April 11, 1825; m. April 16, 1846, Samuel Jackson, of Brighton, Mass. He was b. April 14, 1817; d. Aug. 5, 1898; was a farmer. Ch.: 1. William Jackson, b. March 13, 1848; m. April 27, 1886; civil engineer, address, city engineer, City Hall, Boston. 2. Edward Field Jackson, b. Dec. 23, 1849; m. March 28, 1890; clerk; address, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill. 3. Mary Elizabeth Jackson, b. Oct. 11, 1851. 4. Frank Henry Jackson, b. April 27, 1854; mining engineer; address, 105 Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal. 5. Andrew B. Jackson, b. March 12, 1856; d. April 24, 1856. 6. Albert Samuel Jackson, b. May 4, 1858; d. Jan. 17, 1874. 7. Louis Lincoln Jackson, b. March 12, 1861; m. July 2, 1896; professing chemist; address, 3323 Lucas avenue, St. Louis, Mo. 8. Fred Wilder Jackson, b. Nov. 2, 1863; m. Oct. 20, 1898; address, Union street, Brighton, Mass.

2718. iv. JOEL, b. Sept. 20, 1827; m. Fanny Mellen.

2719. v. REBECCA, b. Nov. 19, 1829; m. Samuel Ward, of Buckland, Mass. Ch.: 1. ——, b. ——; m. E. J. Allbe; res. Charlemont, Mass.

2720. vi. MERCY PHILINDA, b. Feb. 17, 1831; m. George C. Dole, of Shelburne, Mass.; d. Feb. 1, 1871. He res. Greenfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Geo. C. Dole, d. in infancy. 2. Amelia S. Dole-Ford, Ashfield, Mass., b. March 14, 1853. 3. Melissa M. Dole-Soule, 570 Barry street, Fremont, N. Y.; b. Dec. 30, 1855. 4. Charles S. Dole, Shelburne, Mass.; b. March 31, 1857. 5. George F. Dole, Shelburne, Mass.; b. March, 1859. 6. Fred L. Dole, 928 West

Eighth street, Kansas City, Mo.; b. April, 1865. 7. Edward Dole, d. when two and a half years old. 8. Mary Philinder, b. Aug. 31, 1862; unm.; is a physician; res. Greenfield, Mass.

1371. CHESTER FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., Dec. 27, 1788. He settled in Deerfield; in 1829 returned to Conway, where he d. Oct. 22, 1855. He m., Oct. 13, 1813, Sophia, dau. of Amasa and Lucy (Eames) Loveridge, of Deerfield, b. 1794; d. April 3, 1841; m. 2d, Rebecca, dau. of Stephen and Elizabeth (Jordan) Johnson, of Vernon, Vt., widow of Moses Munson, of Greenfield, Mass., b. March 15, 1797; d. April 10, 1876.

2721. i. MILO WRIGHT, b. 1814; d. in infancy.

2722. ii. CHESTER, b. Sept. 4, 1816; m. Louisa Blanchard and Marietta Perley.

2723. iii. SOPHIA, b. Oct. 20, 1818; d. March 5, 1829.

2724. iv. PERSIS, b. Oct. 4, 1821; m. April 11, 1844, Porter Mitchell, of Greenfield, d. Jan. 14, 1870.

2725. v. AUSTIN, b. Sept. 10, 1825; m. Sarah Rockwood and Mrs. Martha Butler ~~Chapin.~~

2726. vi. CAROLINE, b. Oct. 9, 1827; d. July 23, 1842.

2727. vii. LOIS ANGELIA, b. 1830; d. Sept. 10, 1836.

1372. ELIJAH FIELD (Solomon, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Solomon and Mary (Wright), b. in Conway, Mass., Nov. 13, 1791; m., Oct. 15, 1818, Philana, dau. of Henry and Experience (Chase) Arms, of Conway, b. Oct. 19, 1798; d. June 10, 1828; m. 2d, Jan. 30, 1829, Nancy Gray, dau. of Luther and Eunice (Alden) Ranney, of Ashfield, Mass., b. Oct. 24, 1811; d. August, 1872. Was a farmer and manufacturer. He d. Sept. 18, 1871. Res. Ashfield, Mass.

2728. i. HARRIET PAMELIA, b. Nov. 28, 1819; d. Nov. 18, 1843.

2729. ii. HENRY ARMS, b. Sept. 9, 1823; m. October, 1853, Ellen M——; d. May 7, and May 15, 1857, in the Franklin County Probate Records, his wife Ellen M. is mentioned, but no children. Res. Ashfield.

2730. iii. SOLOMON, b. Aug. 25, 1821; d. Feb. 25, 1831.

2731. iv. PHILANA, b. Jan. 23, 1826; m. October, 1850, Liberty Pease, of Ashfield. Res. Farragut, Iowa.

2732. v. GEORGE, b. May 13, 1829; m. Sarah Lyon Pierce.

2733. vi. ELIZA ARMS, b. March 8, 1832; m. October, 1851, Charles H. Forbes, d. April 21, 1881. Ch.: 1. Frank H. Forbes, Northwood, Iowa.

2734. vii. SOLOMON ELIJAH, b. July 8, 1834; m. Nov. 5, 1870, Celestia I. Eastman. Res. Shenandoah, Iowa. Ch.: Henry, Weber, Martha, Jessie, Solomon E., Leanna R., Susanna.

2735. viii. HELEN LUCINDA, b. March 2, 1837; m. Nov. 27, 1856, Charles E. Williams, of Deerfield. He was b. Feb. 29, 1824. Res. South Deerfield, Mass. Ch.: 1. Henry Field, b. July 30, 1858; m. July 24, 1880; postoffice, South Deerfield, Mass. 2. Mary Nims, b. Dec. 14, 1860; m. Oct. 20, 1885; postoffice, Mrs. H. W. Read, Atlantic, Mass. 3. Charles Wellington, b. Nov. 8, 1864; d. Nov. 3, 1887. 4. Nellie Russell, b. March 1, 1867; d. June 18, 1891. 5. Alice Maud, b. March 26, 1871; m. June 22, 1898; postoffice, Mrs. George A. Goodell, Barnard College, New York, N. Y.

2736. ix. AMELIA SOPHIA, b. Nov. 5, 1839; m. June 17, 1866, Truman Bowman, of Amherst. Res. Ashfield. He was b. Oct. 26, 1832. Is a farmer, and was in the civil war in the Fifty-second Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers. Ch.: 1. Harry Goodell Bowman, b. May 18, 1867.

2737. x. FRANKLIN HERBERT, b. Sept. 19, 1849; m. Laura Weston.

1376. EDWARD FIELD (Noah, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Feb. 6, 1780; m. July 28, 1803, Nancy Ingalls, b. Rehoboth, Mass., March 11, 1786; d. Oct. 5, 1842. Of the large family of Edward Field and their wives, all are believed to be dead except Mrs. Amelia Field, wife of Henry B. Field, who is now seventy-five years old, and lives with her son, Nelson Field, in Stow township, Summit county, Ohio. The family is scattered over the United States, from Massachusetts to Oregon. Austin and Edward settled in Michigan. Hannah, Obed and Henry settled in Summit county, Ohio, and nearly all their descendants live near there. Nancy lived at Wesleyville, Pa., and Dexter moved to Colorado. Chester's and Noah's children live near Summit county. Dexter Field, Jr., lives at Salem, Oregon. The family is one of strong vitality and muscular endurance. Nearly all have been tillers of the soil. In connection with their agricultural pursuits they carry on some auxiliary work, such as milling, carpentering, teaching school and the like. Genius, industry and firmness of will-power are inherent qualities and crop out all along the line. It seems to be a family trait to want to "build a home" from the digging of the cellar drain to the final strokes of the paint brush. Several of their homes have been thus built, and a great many buildings in Summit and Medina counties of Ohio bear the Field "trade mark," i. e., the impress of the saw and hammer. He d. Feb. 14, 1849. Res. Deerfield, Mass.

2738. i. OBED S., b. May 28, 1814; m. Mrs. Mary L. C. Page.

2739. ii. CHESTER, b. July 20, 1817; m. Celesta Porter.

2740. iii. HENRY B., b. Dec. 26, 1815; m. Amelia Delashmot.

2741. iv. NANCY, b. Aug. 4, 1804; m. June 15, 1829, Frederick Fitch. She d. Jan. 25, 1884, in Stow, Ohio.

2742. v. OTIS, b. Oct. 17, 1805; m Mary Ingalls.

2743. vi. AUSTIN, b. March 14, 1807; m. Sarah Ann Compton and Matilda Stokins.

2744. vii. EDWARD, b. Aug. 25, 1808; m. Eliza Fuller.

2745. viii. TRYPHENA, b. Nov. 23, 1809; d. Aug. 26, 1836.

2746. ix. HANNAH, b. June 7, 1811; m. August, 1836, Thomas Porter. She d. April 21, 1881. Ch.: 1. Miles Porter. 2. Lauren Porter; res. Ghent, Ohio. 3. Janette Porter. 4. Jane Porter; m. —— Emery; res. Ghent, Ohio.

2747. x. HARVEY, b. Jan. 29, 1813; d. Dec. 26, 1819.

2748. xi. HARVEY, b. April 20, 1820; n. f. k.

2749. xii. HARRIET, b. April 20, 1820; m. Oct. 24, 1844, Nathaniel Wilson. She d. June 13, 1851.

2750. xiii. MARY, b. Nov. 5, 1821; m. October, 1843, L. W. Porter. She d. Dec. 5, 1844.

2751. xiv. DEXTER W., b. May 14, 1823; m. Mrs. R. Wilson.

2752. xv. NOAH, b. June 11, 1827; m. Mrs. Julia Ann Owen.

1377. OBED FIELD (Noah, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Whately, Mass., March 8, 1782; m. Tabatha Aldridge. He joined the Shakers at Shelby, N. Y. Res. Shelby, N. Y.

2753. i. ORRIN D., b. Sept. 5, 1812; m. Nancy Dobson.
2754. ii. MARY, b. ——; m. —— Page.
2755. iii. LUCY, b. ——; m. —— Page.
2756. iv. JANE, b. ——; m. —— Tabor; res. East Shelby, N. Y.

1385. SOLOMON FIELD (Medad, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Medad and Phœbe (Gould), b. in Northfield, Mass., Jan. 6, 1801; d. Feb. 6, 1848. He m. Prudence Gould; she m., 2d, Willard Priest.

2757. i. ELECTA, b. ——; m. Oratio Stratton, of Northfield, d. Aug. 15, 1843.

1386. CORPORAL SHARON FIELD (Phineas, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Oct. 17, 1785; m. Aug. 2, 1814, Mrs. Betsy Lamb Hastings. Sharon Field, son of Phineas and Diadama (Morgan), b. in Northfield, Mass., Oct. 17, 1785; d. Dec. 19, 1868. He served as corporal in Captain Mattoon's company of artillery two months at Boston in 1814, and on their return to Northfield they showed the people the great proficiency they had acquired in artillery practice while in service, notwithstanding the soiled uniforms they returned in. He m. Aug. 2, 1814, Elizabeth, dau. of Samuel and Mary (Ryder) Lamb, widow of Hezekiah Hastings, of Phillipston, Mass., b. Oct. 17, 1784. He d. Dec. 29, 1848. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2758. i. SAMUEL, b. May 27, 1815; m. Sarah Woodbury.
2759. ii. REUBEN M., b. Oct. 6, 1816; m. Harriet M. Scott.
2760. iii. MARTHA, b. July 3, 1818; d. Dec. 14, 1868.
2761. iv. MARY E., b. June 10 1820; d. Oct. 16, 1822.
2762. v. ANSEL, b. Jan. 27, 1823; d. Aug. 15, 1825.
2763. vi. ELECTA T., b. March 12, 1828; m. Feb. 4, 1845, D. F. Caller; res. Greenfield.
2764. vii. ELIZABETH A., b. Aug. 11, 1828; m. June, 1853, Jones Fisher, of Brattleboro; m., 2d, November, 1864, Dr. Philander Pierce, of Warwick, Mass.

1374. DEACON PHINEHAS FIELD (Phineas, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Phinehas and Eunice (Lyman), b. in Northfield, Mass., April 14, 1799. He removed in 1838 to Charlemont, Mass. A deacon and an antiquarian. He traveled extensively in the Southern States in 1830, and was advised by a friend in Savannah, Ga., on account of his anti-slavery principles, not to let the people know he was from Massachusetts, fearing he might be ill-treated. Mr. Field replied: "I shall never deny the place of my nativity." When calling upon a planter for entertainment, on being asked where he was from, he replied, "From Massachusetts, sir," and was always well entertained. He served two years on the Christian and Sanitary Commission at the front during the great Rebellion of 1861-64, and was deputed to examine those that applied for assistance to prevent fraud in procuring help. He had been for several years collecting Indian relics and the early history in Franklin county, Mass., for the Pocumtuck Valley Memorial Association of Deerfield, of which he was an active member. He d. Aug. 29, 1884. He m. May 11, 1831, Chloe Maxwell, dau. of Col. Roger and Chloe (Maxwell) Leavitt, of Heath, Mass., b. May 21, 1803; d. July 4, 1874. She was a well educated woman and took great interest in the advancement of society, and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. No issue.

Phineas, Charlemont, 1841 (name spelled also Phinehas), d. Aug. 29, 1884; no

widow. Deceased brother Sharon Field's children, Electa T. Collor, of Guilford; Elizabeth A. Pierce, of Northfield. Deceased sister Diadema Field Jewell's children, Diadema S. Harris, of Filating, Potter county, Pa.; Lura F. Dimgers, of Filating, Potter county, Pa.; Lucy F. Hoyt, of Irving, Marshall county, Kan.; Sarah T. King, of Gilletts, Bradford county, Pa. Grandniece, Lucy A. Jewell, of Pennsylvania. Late brother Moses Field's children, Lucius Field, of Clinton, Mass.; Frank E. Field, of Clinton, Mass.; Josiah A. Field, of Leominster, Mass.; Catherine S. Russell, of North Hadley, Mass.; Christiana C. Stockbridge, of Northfield, Mass. Winesses, Reuben W. Field, Mary E. Field, Kimball S. Field. The will is signed Phinehas.

1397. DEACON MOSES F. FIELD (Phineas, Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Northfield, Mass., Aug. 11, 1808; m. Nov. 13, 1839, Catherine Swan Alexander, dau. of Josiah and Myra (Lyman), b. Feb. 26, 1818; d. April 24, 1895. Moses Field was a carpenter by trade, but health becoming poor, bought a farm and carried it on until his last sickness. He died of typhoid fever at the Massachusetts General Hospital, succeeding an operation for stone in the bladder. He was honest, conscientious, frugal, a lover of music and quite a musician; a hard worker in the Congregational church of which he was a member and supporter until his death.

Moses, of Northfield, Aug. 4, 1868, filed. Wife, Catherine. Children, Chrissie C., Josiah A., minors.

He d. in Boston March 21, 1868. Res. Northfield, Mass.

2765. i. LUCIUS, b. Aug. 15, 1840; m. Annie S. Harrington and Mary A. Wilmarth.

2766. ii. MYRA, b. May 15, 1843; d. Jan. 25, 1846.

2767. iii. FRANCIS E., b. Feb. 23, 1845; m. Maria R. Smith.

2768. iv. CATHERINE S., b. June 5, 1847; m. Oct. 19, 1869, H. Clement Russell, of North Hadley, Mass. He is a farmer; was b. Oct. 8, 1844.

2769. v. CHRISTIANA C., b. Feb. 12, 1833; m. Oct. 19, 1869, Frank G. Stockbridge; res. Northfield.

2770. vi. JOSIAH ALEXANDER, b. Oct. 21, 1860; m. Fannie E. Osborn.

1399. REV. ELIJAH H. FIELD (John M., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John M. and Martha (Harris), b. in Sullivan, N. H., Oct. 3, 1796. A Methodist minister. He removed to Ohio; d. at Saint Paris, Ohio, Oct. 1, 1878. He m. June 8, 1828, Ann, dau. of —— Taylor, of Hamilton, Ohio.

2771. i. JOHN, b. ——.

2772. ii. A DAUGHTER, b. ——.

1401. JOHN FIELD (John M., Moses, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John M. and Olive (Clark), b. in Sullivan, N. H., April 17, 1803. He removed in —— to Jaffrey, N. H., where he d. He m. March 26, 1826, Olive C. Morse, of Fitzwilliam, N. H., b ——.

2773. i. JOHN, b. ——.

2774. ii. MARIA, b. ——; m. ——.

1405. AARON FIELD (Jesse, Aaron, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Jesse and Lydia (Burke), b. in Bernardston, Mass., Aug. 25, 1780; d. Feb. 14, 1807. He m. Lovina, dau. of —— Scott, of Bernardston, b. ——; she m., 2d, Timothy Hale, of Bernardston.

2775. i. RODNEY AUGUSTUS, b. ——; m. Theola Plummer.

2776. ii. AARON WESSON, b. Jan. 13, 1807; m. Harriet Hamilton.

1410. JESSE FIELD (Jesse, Aaron, Ebenezer, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bernardston, Mass., Aug. 25, 1792, where he resided on the old homestead. He m. December, 1818, Lurancy Parmenter, dau. of Elias and Sarah (Snow) Scott, of Bernardston, b. Jan. 30, 1798; d. Oct. 3, 1876. He d. May 6, 1883. Was a farmer.

2777. i. MARY HOYT, b. March 30, 1820; m. March 6, 1851, Richard Bagg, of Montague, Mass. She d. May 30, 1888. He d. June, 1893, s. p.

2778. ii. AARON WESLEY, b. April 5, 1822; d. Aug. 16, 1825.

2779. iii. JOHN BURKE, b. June 27, 1824; m. Sarah H. Hubbs.

2780. iv. SOPHRONIA LURANCY, b. Dec. 26, 1829; m. March 21, 1855, Alonzo Graves, of Greenfield, Mass. He was b. April 15, 1818. Is a carpenter and joiner and farmer. Res. Pine Grove Farm, Greenfield. Ch.: 1. Burke Field Graves, b. Oct. 18, 1858; m. Dec. 8, 1885. 2. Cyrus Stowell Graves, b. July 27, 1863; m. Sept. 15, 1887. 3. Mary Lucinda Graves Cromack, b. Aug. 1, 1868; m. Oct. 21, 1891, J. B. Cromack. P. O. address of all Greenfield, Franklin county, Mass.

2781. v. AARON WESLEY, b. Oct. 31, 1837; m. Jennie S. Raymond and Alice Bremen.

2782. vi. HARRIET LOVINA, b. Oct. 1, 1826; m. Oct. 9, 1866, Otis C. Chittenden, of Leverett, Mass. Res. North Hadley, Mass. He was b. March 4, 1815; d. s. p., Aug. 20 1892. Was a merchant and postmaster.

1412½. NATHANIEL REED FIELD (Daniel, Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Daniel and Mary, b. in Bolton, Conn.; bap. April 8, 1784. He went to Tolland, Conn., where he learned the tailors' trade. In 1804 he removed to Salisbury, Vt.; later to Leicester, Vt., where he d. May 4, 1863. He m. in 1804 Ruth, dau. of Daniel and Millicent Noyes, of Salisbury, b. in 1787; d. in Rutland, January, 1882, aged ninety-five.

2783. i. DANIEL GORDON, b. November, 1805; m. Elizabeth Towne.

2784. ii. WILLIAM MORTON, b. Sept. 5, 1813; m. Minerva K. Davenport.

2785. iii. FRANCES ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 9, 1819; m. 1834, Levi Briggs, b. Bedford, Mass. He was sheriff of Rutland county, Vermont, and d. in Rutland. She d. in 1883. Ch.: 1. Delia June Briggs, b. in 1837; m. Edward Hinds d. Ch.: (a) John Hinds, Ticonderoga, N. Y. 2. Clara F. Briggs, b. March 16, 1841; unm. Res. Leicester Junction, Vt. 3. Henry Briggs, b. in 1844; d.——. 4. Anna Louise, b. in 1848; m. M. L. Faulkner, Castleton, Vt.

1415. JOHN FIELD (David, Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Bettie (Squires), b. in Tolland, Conn., July 3, 1791; went with his father, in 1801, to Somers, Conn., where he d. May 6, 1876. He m. Nov. 13, 1815, Anna Gowdy, of Enfield, Conn., b. 1796; d. June 12, 1874.

2786. i. JOHN SHERMAN, b. Dec. 26, 1816; m. Mary S. Charter.

2787. ii. AMELIA A., b. October, 1818; m. Dec. 31, 1841, George S. Billings, of Somers, Conn.; d. March 15, 1874. Ch.: 1. Edwin J., b. Nov. 8, 1843; m. Dec. 28, 1865, Ella S. May, b. October, 1847; d. Feb. 14, 1892. He d. Middletown, Conn., Nov. 26, 1895. Was a farmer. Ch.: (a) John E. Billings, b. April, 1870, in Somer-

ville, Conn.; m. Feb. 22, 1899. (b) Grace Hoffman; m., Feb. 22, 1899. Res. Springfield, Mass. (c) George R., b. Jan. 9, 1869; m. Ellington, Conn., Jan. 24, 1894, Mrs. Annie E. (Raymond) Pratt, b. Dec. 18, 1865. Res. Rockville, Conn.; owns a steam laundry, and is one of the town assessors.

2788. iii. MARTIN H., b. July 18, 1821; m. Harriet Kingsbury.

2789. iv. MARY A., b. May 29, 1823; m. Wolcott Janes, of Bolton, Conn.

2790. v. THEODORE D., b. Aug. 9, 1825; m. April 11, 1854; d. Aug. 13, 1895.

2791. vi. LUCENA A., b. Aug. 31, 1833; m. Nov. 27, 1850, John Parkhurst, of Somers; removed to Pennsylvania. She d. Feb. 2, 1895.

2792. vii. EUGENE, b. July 4, 1836; m. Delinda McCann.

2793. viii. IRENE, b. July 4, 1836; m. Dec. 31, 1855, John Osborne, of Windsor, Conn.

2794. ix. CHESTER, b. Nov. 22, 1843. He enlisted in Company K, Fourteenth regiment Connecticut volunteers, and d. from wounds received in the battle of Fredericksburg, Va.—his eighth engagement.

1417. DANIEL FIELD (David, Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Bettie (Squires), b. in Tolland, Conn., Aug. 9, 1794; went with his father to Somers, Con., in 1801; in 1821 removed to Springfield, Mass., where he d. June 11, 1831. He was employed in the United States armory. He m. Oct. 12, 1815, Cherry, dau. of Asa and Hannah (Dibble) Wood, of Somers, b. March 19, 1798; d. April 15, 1838.

2795. i. EMELINE, b. May 10, 1816; m. Dec. 20, 1838, Henry Hancock Hulburt. He was b. Feb. 25, 1816; d. Sept. 7, 1891; was a farmer. She resides 75 High st., Rockville, Conn. Ch.: 1. Charles Henry Hulburt, b. Aug. 8, 1839; m. Dec. 25, 1861. Res. 23 Pearl St., Norwich, Conn. 2. Emma Jane (Cady), b. Aug. 18, 1843; m. June 8, 1863. Res. 75 High St., Rockville, Conn. 3. Elizabeth Ann Hulburt, b. Nov. 20, 1845; d. Dec. 25, 1845. 4. George Daniel Hulburt, b. Jan. 11, 1848; m. Sept. 3, 1871; d. Aug. 28, 1878. 5. Sarah Amelia (Parker), b. Sept. 5, 1852; m. Jan. 17, 1874; d. Oct. 29, 1874. 6. Libbie Lucinda (Humes), b. June 25, 1855; m. Dec. 25, 1871. Res. Hazardville, Conn. 7. Isadore Ellen (Collins), b. July 17, 1858; m. April 7, 1880; d. May 20, 1883.

2796. ii. DANIEL, b. March 8, 1818; d. June 8, 1818.

2797. iii. AURELIA, b. Jan. 25, 1820; m. Philo Fuller, of Somers.

2798. iv. LOREN, b. April 8, 1822; m. Mary Ann Deming and Mary A. Cooley.

2799. v. HENRY, b. Sept. 16, 1823.

2800. vi. CHESTER, b. Sept. 27, 1825; d. April 8, 1827.

2801. vii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 10, 1827; d. Dec. 7, 1845.

2802. viii. CHARLES W., b. Oct. 21, 1830; d. Aug. 22, 1836.

1419. CHESTER FIELD (David, Daniel Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Bettie (Squires), b. in Somers, Conn., Aug. 9, 1802; d. Sept. 9, 1855. He m. Nov. 27, 1850, Rhoda Tiffany, d. Nov. 20, 1852; no issue.

1420. CHAUNCEY FIELD (David, Daniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of David and Bettie (Squires), b. in Somers,

Conn., July 20, 1804; d. Feb. 14, 1871. He m. Dolly, dau of Peter and Polly Smith; d. July 12, 1841.

2803. i. CHAUNCEY, b. ——.

2804. ii. RALPH, b. ——; d Nov. 11, 1859.

1423-6. CAPTAIN FRANCIS FIELD (Francis, Nathaniel Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Vermont; m. Diadema Bolton; d in 1828; m., 2d, —— He was a farmer; was in the war of 1812. He d. Jan. 15, 1864. Res. Vermontville, Mich.

2804¼. i. HORACE BOLTON, b. May 8, 1824; m. Olive ——. He d. September, 1892; a son Frank resides Gresham, Mich.

2804⅓. ii. MARINDA, b. Sept. 21, 1822; m. Nov. 14, 1839, —— Teachout. Res. Cleveland, O.

2804½. iii. EMILY, b. April 28, 1819; m. July, 1838, C. B. Bostwick, b. April 1, 1800. He d. in 1864; m., 2d, John Phillips; he d. 1870, and she m., 3d, John McFarland. Res. Painesville, O. Ch.: Athalia M. Guinn Erwin, and Julia M. Bostwick the last two deceased. Athalia, b. 1840; m. in 1860. Present name, Mrs. A. B. Turney. Address, Painesville, O. Guinn E., b. March 19, 1845.

2804⅔. iv. ROBERT, b. ——; d. ——.

2804¾. v. NETTIE, b. ——; d. ——.

2804⅞. vi. CHARLES BYRON, b. ——. Res. Petoskey, Mich.

2804-2. vii. EMILINE, b. ——. She d. Carson City, Mich., in 1882.

2804-3. viii. WAKELEY, b. ——. Res. Buffalo, N. Y. A son Daniel resides St. Louis, Mo.

2804-4. ix. OSCAR A., b. June 29, 1847; m. Maria Lunsden.

2804-5. x. GEORGE ALBERT, b. ——. Killed at the battle of the Wilderness in the Civil war.

1423-7. WILLIAM SYLVESTER FIELD (Francis, Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. May 29, 1791; m. Nelson, N. Y., March 20, 1817, Orphia Haskell, b. July 25, 1791; d. in 1833. He d. Sept. 2, 1872. Res. Rochester, N. Y., and Dansville, Mich.

2804-6. i. HENRY HORACE, b. Aug. 12, 1819; m. Maria Anthony. Res. Dansville, Mich.

2804-7. ii. FRANCIS HASKELL, b. Aug. 2, 1821; d. August, 1892.

2804-8. iii. WILLIAM LYSANDER, b. Jan. 7, 1828; m. and resides St. Johns, Mich.

2804-9. iv. ROSENA MALVINA, b. Sept. 22, 1829; m. May 2, 1852, Daniel Marshall Patterson. Res. Conneaut, O. He was b. March 8, 1822; d. Nov. 22, 1892; was a marble and granite dealer. Ch.: 1. Charles F. Patterson, b. Feb. 26, 1856; m. Sept. 4, 1873, Mary A. Gibson. Res. Conneaut. 2. Mary Alice Patterson, b. July 11, 1853; d. Aug. 20, 1854. 3. Edward Hascal Patterson, b. July 30, 1858; last heard from Valparaiso, South America. 4. Sarah Nellie Patterson, b. June 17, 1869; m. —— Bates, present name. Res. Conneaut.

1423-9. ALBERT FIELD (Francis, Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Sunderland, Vt., March 26, 1795; m. Arcade, N. Y., June 24, 1824, Azubah Jackson, b. Feb. 11, 1810. He was a farmer. He d. Monroe, Ogle county, Ill., Aug. 29, 1872. Res. Arcade, N.Y., and Monroe, Ill.

2804-10. i. ALBERT, b. May 11, 1828; m. Lany M. Crill.

1423-11. DOCTOR ABEL WAKELEE FIELD (Francis, Nathaniel, Joshua, Samuel, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bennington, Vt., July 26, 1802; m. Gorham, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1826, Zilpha Witter, b. Nov. 22, 1802; d. April 13, 1894. Abel Wakelee Field was born in Bennington, Vt. He was the youngest of a family of ten children, of Francis and Naomi (Wakelee) Field. His surviving family know but little of his early life, except that he received a good common school education. He married Zilpha Witter, eldest daughter of Elijah Witter, in the town of Gorham, Ontario county, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1826. To them three children were born, Archelaus G., Orestes G. and James W. His occupation was that of operator in the carding department of a woolen mill, in the meantime pursuing the study of medicine, with the aid of such books and helps as he could command. In the year 1838 he removed from Gorham, where he owned a small home, with one acre of land, to Cataraugus county, New York, and from there by way of raft on the Conewarigo and Ohio rivers to Ohio, where he settled in Darby Plaines, and afterward in Amity, Madison county, in 1842, where he continued in a fairly lucrative practice, until the time of his death, Aug. 2, 1851. His death was tragic, having been accidentally (as is supposed) thrown from his sulky at night on returning from a professional visit. He made no open profession of religion; was a Democrat in politics; was of social disposition, and had the esteem and respect of the community where he lived. His surviving partner died April 13, 1896, aged ninety-four years. He d. Aug. 2, 1851. Res. Gorham, N. Y., and West Canaan, O.

2804-11. i. ARCHELAUS G., b. Nov. 15, 1829; m. Harriet W. Weatherby.
2804-12. ii. ORESTES G., b. Jan. 19, 1832; m. Josephine Dille Latham.
2804-13. iii. JAMES W., b. May 20, 1837; m. Mary Reynolds.

1425. HON. ORRIN FIELD (Elisha, Elisha, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Ruth (Kirkham), b. in Cornwall, Vt., June 12, 1792; d. March 16, 1882. He was one of the leading men in town, holding various town offices. He was also a military man, rising to the rank of major, when he resigned. He held the office of justice of the peace for forty-six years, and in 1880 was still in commission. He was a member of the Congregational church, in Cornwall, over fifty years; said he had trodden some crooked paths, that were he to live his life over again he would try to straighten. He represented the town of Cornwall in the legislature in the years 1856-57. He was in the battle of Plattsburg, N. Y., Sept. 11, 1814, starting from Cornwall upon an hour's notice. Many of the men were without money for expenses; he fortunately had about $25, which he shared with his associates. He received a pension, and said the back pay and what he had received amounted to about what he spent with compound interest, and it was very acceptable in his old age. But three of the company were living and in receipt of pensions in 1880. He attended the Centennial celebration of the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1877, where his grandfather and father participated. He m. March 22, 1815, Maria, dau. of John and Olive (Caswell) Alvord, of Cornwall, b. May 17, 1797; d. March 13, 1826; m., 2d, Aug. 16, 1826, Hannah, dau. of Deacon Calvin and Euseba (Harwood) Drury, of Pittsford, Vt., b. May 21, 1795; d. May 4, 1836; m., 3d, Oct. 20, 1836, Mrs. Almira (Scott) Searl, dau. of Deacon Philips and Lois (Clark) Scott, of Bridport, Vt., b. Dec. 15, 1810; d. April 4, 1843; m., 4th, Dec. 5, 1844, Rhoda, dau. of Abel and Rhoda (Ormsbee) Weeks, widow of Solomon Weeks, of Cornwall, b. in Pawlet, Vt., July 11, 1798; d. May 31, 1884, s. p. The obituary notice was as follows: "Another of the aged and esteemed citizens of Cornwall passed from this to another world, on March 16th: Major Orrin Field, born June 12, 1792; and it seems but fitting that when one who has reached such advanced age, and who has ever taken so much

interest in the affairs of the town in which he lived lies down to his eternal rest, a word should be spoken in his memory. In the death of Major Field his family has lost a loving husband and an affectionate father, the church another of its aged members, and the community a good neighbor and a faithful citizen. Always quiet and unobtrusive in his manner, a man of gentleness and of few words, still he was one whose influence for good was widely felt, because of his good judgment. He has ever felt a deep interest in the good of his town, and has often in the course of his long life been called to fill offices of trust by his fellow citizens. He has held the office of justice of the peace for forty-eight years, which office he held at the time of his death. It is seldom one sees a person so old as he was whose mental faculties retain so much of their youthful vigor as did his. His memory extended over a period of about eighty-seven years. He was remarkable for the cheerfulness of his disposition. Almost to the day of his death he was hardly willing to admit that he was growing old, or at least he would say that he did not feel much older than he did fifty years ago. He took much pleasure in looking up facts of former days, and for the past few years he has been engaged in studying up the genealogy of the Field family. Had he lived till next June, he intended to have his children all come home to celebrate with him his ninetieth birthday. Major Field was one of those who in the early days went to the call of his country to her defense. He was present at the battle of Plattsburg, and as health permitted he was wont to go on the morning of Decoration Day, and decorate the graves of the Revolutionary soldiers and those of 1812. He represented his town in the legislature in 1856-57. For years he has made it a practice to keep and publish a list of the deaths in town each year. Much more might be added about his long and useful life if time and space permitted. After a life of usefulness 'he came to his grave in full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in his season.' "

"Of no distemper, of no blast he died,
But fell like autumn fruit that mellowed long,
E'en wondered at, because he dropped no sooner,
Fate seemed to wind him up for four score years,
Yet freshly ran he on ten winters more,
Till like a clock worn out with beating time,
The wheels of weary life at last stood still."

2805. i. JULIANA, b. Jan. 18, 1816; m. May 11, 1841, Col. John J. Herndon, of Laurenburg, N. C. They are both deceased. He was a farmer and dentist; was m. in Rutherfordton, N. C., and was b. March 1, 1818, in Virginia; d. Laurenburg, N. C., April 5, 1881. She d. Aug. 12, 1891. Ch.: 1. Benjamin Orin Herndon, b. May 28, 1842; m. June 25, 1865, Elizabeth Adams. He d. Feb. 21, 1890. Ch.: (a) Lorena, d. Sept. 29, 1887. (b) William Thomas. (c) Sarah Elizabeth. (d) Annie Cicely. (e) Mary Julina. (f) Carrie. 2. Mary Maria Neal Herndon, b. Jan. 14, 1844; m. Feb. 23, 1871, Benjamin Franklin McGregor. Ch.: (a) John Arthur, b. Feb. 14, 1872; m. Dec. 24, 1896. Ch.: (i) George Franklin. (b) Bertie Frank Herndon, b. Jan. 14, 1884. 3. John Joseph Herndon, b. Cornwall, Vt.; was a farmer, dentist and author, and never married. Res. Conclane, N. C.

2806 ii. EVALINA PERMELIA, b. Feb. 24, 1818; m. July 24, 1839, Abijah Abbott, of Cornwall. He was b. Sept. 23, 1811, in Cornwall, Vt.; d. Madison, Wis., March 23, 1886. She d. Jan. 28, 1886. Ch.: 1. Helen M., b. Aug. 12, 1840; d. unm. June 21, 1891. 2. Martha E., b. Aug. 22, 1842; d. unm. Sept. 9, 1886. 3.

Harriet, J., b. 1846; d. unm. 1855. 4. Charles Field, b. Aug. 16, 1858; m. Sept. 28, 1880, E. Estelle Force, b. April 21, 1859. He is a marble and granite dealer. Res. Madison, Wis. Ch.: (a) George O. Abbott, b. Nov. 12, 1882; d. Nov. 24, 1890. (b) Ellis P. Abbott, b. March 3, 1886. Res. Madison, Wis. (c) Eveline P. Abbott, b. Jan. 5, 1888.

2807. iii. BENJAMIN S., b. Jan. 17, 1820; m. Emily Ellsworth and Harriet H. Rowe.

2808. iv. CAROLINE, b. Sept. 3, 1822; m. Sept. 8, 1841, William H. Lane, of Burlington, Vt. They are both deceased. Ch.: 1. Estelle, b.——; m. Theodore F. Edgar. Res. Hotel Bartol, Huntington Av., Boston, Mass. 2. William H., married twice; resides in Burlington, Vt.

2809. v. GEORGE DRURY, b. June 9, 1827; d. Dec. 19, 1839.

2810. vi. ORRIN ALVORD, b. Jan. 19, 1831; d. Aug. 26, 1833.

2811. vii. HANNAH MARIA, b. Jan. 12, 1833; m. Sept. 11, 1855, Joseph H. Burbank, of North Brookfield, Mass. Joseph Hearly was the son of Benjamin Burbank, of Tyngsboro, Mass; was b. Sept. 24, 1827. Res. North Brookfield. Ch.: 1. Frank Orrin, b. Galesburg, Ill., Nov. 29, 1859; d. North Brookfield, April 9, 1881. "She has exerted herself to keep up with the family and their doings. She is a fine, intelligent, grammatical conversationalist; acquired knowledge and language so easily through her eyes and ears that it rendered her impatient of accurate plodding study, which reveals itself in her case, as in others, behind the pen. Indeed, I do not know whether or not she had the best advantages educationally considered, but I am sure no one would think otherwise to hear her in conversation. She is one of the best of women, whole-souled, vivacious, animated, practical, intelligently acquisitive and appreciative, with finest colloquial powers, but unfortunately she is growing feeble with age, and has entirely too much upon her in boarders, housekeeping, an invalid husband, who has had a stroke of paralysis, and has suffered also with softening of the brain, to give very much attention to writing. She has had a hard lot in this life, which would have crushed others of less fortitude and force of character. Indeed, I believe from what I have seen and known of the Field family, that its members are possessed of an immense indominative will-power and unswerving firmness, which largely sustains, supports and comforts under the severe pressure of labor, trials, reverses and afflictions."

2812. viii. ORRIN ALVORD, b. Aug. 22, 1834; m. Lenora Abigail Bingham.

2813. ix. HARRIET ALMIRA, b. Dec. 15, 1842; m. June 1, 1862, Benjamin F. Van Vliet, of Weybridge, Vt. Ch.: 1. Benson Field, b. ——. Res. 125 Bank St., Burlington, Vt.

1426. LUMAN FIELD (Elisha, Elisha, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Cornwall, Vt., March 28, 1794. He removed, in 1834, to Galesburg, Ill., where he d. Sept. 30, 1846. He m. Dec. 3, 1816, Abigail, dau. of Aaron and Sylvia (Brigham) Delong, of Cornwall, Vt., b. April 28, 1799; d. April 19, 1862.

2814. i. LUCINDA M., b. June 16, 1819; m. Aug. 3, 1837, William Heath,

of Wataga, Ill. Res. Galesburg, Ill. She d. July 11, 1899. "In the death of Mrs. Lucinda Field Heath, Knox county loses another old settler and a great host of relatives and dear friends lose a loving companion. Her demise occurred at eight o'clock this morning at the home of her son, William, 1228 East Main street. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the house. The remains will be interred in Hope cemetery beside those of the husband and children. Old age was the cause of the death of Mrs. Field, as the past few years had been for her remarkably healthy ones. Mrs. Heath was born June 16, 1819, at Cornwall, Addison county, Vt. In 1836 she removed with her parents to Knoxville. There on Aug. 3, 1837, she was united in marriage to William M. Heath, of that village. The marriage is remarkable in the fact that it was the first marriage ceremony performed in Knoxville. She and her husband moved at once upon a farm near Center Point. There she lived for twenty-eight years, when they moved to Wataga. Seven years ago she came to Galesburg with her son and has made her home here ever since. The husband died March 31, 1882. Eight children were born to the couple and only two of them, James, of Chicago, and William, of Galesburg, are living. Two of the children died in infancy, Sidney F., died at Shenandoah, Iowa, twenty years ago, and Mrs. Mary Armstrong died at Center Point in 1874. Another son, Morgan L., who was a soldier in the war for the Union, died at Springfield, Ill., from wounds received. One brother remains of the family, James D. Field, of Topeka, Kan., and the late Loyal C. Field was at one time mayor of Galesburg. A sister, Mrs. Fred Sisson, died in Peoria some years ago. Mrs. Heath was of distinguished lineage. She was a granddaughter of Elisha Field, Jr., and the great granddaughter of Elisha Field, Sr. Jeremiah Bingham and Elias De Long were also relatives of the family. All of these men fought through the war of the Revolution, and were in the army commanded by George Washington. By reason of her family connections she became a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the Chicago Chapter and was admitted to membership Oct. 7, 1897. Her membership in this patriotic society was the source of very great pleasure to Mrs. Heath and she was very proud of her ancestry. The deceased was a member of the Congregational church at Wataga for many years. She was always prominent in the work of the church and as a neighbor was interested in the welfare of those about her. During her last sickness Mrs. Heath was surrounded by the immediate members of the family, and she was given every possible attention. With her was Mrs. Harvey Millen, of Galva, a professional nurse and an old friend of the family. Mrs. Heath had a very wide circle of friends. Her long and continuous residence in Knox county brought her within that circle which numbered its parts by the hundred. She was an original member of the Old Settlers society of the county, and was always interested in its reunions and attended them. Up to the time of her death her mind was particularly active and as she was a great lover of

story telling never failed to interest an audience with tales of the early days in this country."—Galesburg Newspaper.

2815. ii. JANE LORINDA, b. March 14, 1822; m. October, 1840, James Barry, of Galesburg, Ill.; d. May 22, 1854.

2816. iii. LOYAL C., b. Feb. 29, 1824; m. Clara A. Davidson.

2817. iv. SYLVIA MARIA, b. Sept. 15, 1826; m. Oct. 9, 1849, George I. Bergen. She d. Nov. 15, 1867. He was b. in Clary's Grove, Dec. 31, 1827, and d. in Galesburg, Feb. 28, 1870. Ch.: 1. Loyal Harry Bergen (named changed to Harry Bergen Wheelock), b. July 12, 1861; m. Monroe, Mich., June 15, 1886, Irene Frances Grosvenor, b. Nov. 10, 1861. He is an architect. Res. 1040 Hinman Av., Evanston. Chicago office, 228 La Salle St. Ch.: (a) Harry Bergen Wheelock, b. Aug. 14, 1888; d. Aug. 21, 1888. (b) Sara Grosvenor Wheelock, b. July 24, 1890. (c) Elliot Winthrop Wheelock, b. June 17, 1896; d. March 8, 1897. (d) Bergen Field Wheelock, b. March 14, 1894. 2. Mary Lincoln Bergen, b. May 13, 1859; m. Jan. 25, 1881, Prof. C. C. K. Scoville. Res. Seneca, Kans. He was b. Sept. 14, 1852; is an instructor in music. Ch.: (a) Ella Josephine, b. Nov. 7, 1881. (b) France Kennedy, b. Dec. 12, 1883. 3. Fred Grant Bergen, b. June 13, 1865; m. Aug. 5, 1889, May Mathews, b. Oct. 26, 1867. He is cashier of the Citizen's State bank. Res. Seneca, Kans. Ch.: (a) Fredecia Grace, b. June 23, 1890. 4. Frank Delong, b. March 13, 1856; d. Oct. 18, 1856. 5. George A., b. Nov. 4, 1852; d. Aug. 22, 1854.

2818. v. MARY ANN, b. Oct. 22, 1829; m. June 20, 1849, Frederick Plummer Sissons, of Peoria, Ill., b. Lebanon, Conn., May 14, 1824; d. Dallas, Texas, Feb. 13, 1895. She d. May 9, 1884. Ch.: 1. William Justin, b. Nov. 5, 1854. Res. 517 E. Twelfth St., Indianapolis, Ind. He m. Jan. 12, 1887, Mary Fennemon. Ch.: (a) Frederick Plumer Sisson, b. June 20, 1888. (b) Ella Sisson, b. Aug. 22, 1890. 2. Mary Field, b. April 28, 1859; m. April 8, 1891, Frank Trumbull. Res. 1439 Franklin St., Denver, Col. 3. Sarah, b. Dec. 15, 1850; m. in Galesburg, Ill., Oct. 21, 1869, John M. Wendelken. He was b. Oct. 31, 1842. Is general southern manager for the Emerson Manufacturing company, of Rockford, Ill., makers of agricultural implements. They reside at 251 Cadiz St., Dallas, Texas. Ch.: i. Florence Sisson Wendelken, b. Feb. 12, 1873; d. Aug. 13, 1873. ii. Frederick Sisson Wendelken, b. June 19, 1874, 251 Cadiz St., Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Wendelken is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, a Colonial Dame of Massachusetts and Texas, and a member of the New York Mayflower Society; eighth in descent from Gov. William Bradford.

2819. vi. JAMES DELONG, b. July 3, 1833; m. Roxy B. Judson.

2820. vii. SARAH SELINA, b. March 11, 1844; m. 1862, Ralph Fitch, of San Francisco, Cal.

1429. NORMAN FIELD (Elisha, Elisha, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Ruth (Kirkham), b. in Cornwall, Sept. 22, 1802. He was a farmer. He removed, in 1849, to Galesburg, Ill, and to Bangor, Wis., where he resided until he moved to Burns, Wis., where he d.

March 24, 1886. He m. Jan. 28, 1834, Happalonia, dau. of Abraham and Lydia (Stone) Chatterton, of Whiting, Vt., b. 1807; d. Coin, Iowa, Oct. 7, 1892.

2821. i. RUTH ANN, b. May 9, 1835; m. June 1, 1857, Charles W. Fletcher, of Bangor, Wis.

2822. ii. LYDIA, b. Dec. 29, 1837; m. Justin Cisson, of Yreka, Cal. Res. Cisson, Cal.

2823. iii. FRANCIS PARKER, b. Nov. 12, 1839.

2824. iv. STUKELY STONE, b. Feb. 27, 1845; m. Nellie Butler.

2825. v. CHARLES CARROLL, b. Jan. 1, 1847; m. Adelia A. Marshall.

2826. vi. AMY, b. March 2, 1849; m. Edward Caldwell, of College Springs, Iowa. Res. Coin, Iowa.

1430. ELISHA CARR FIELD (Elisha, Elisha, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Ruth (Kirkham), b. in Cornwall, Vt., April 5, 1813. He moved to Galesburg, Ill., where he now resides. He m. May 6, 1849, Lovina, dau. of John D. Bartlette, of Knoxville, Ill., b. in Vermont, April 12, 1815.

2827. i. FRANCIS HIRAM, b. Aug. 31, 1850; d. Feb. 16, 1851.

2828. ii. CLARA KIRKHAM, b. Sept. 3, 1853; m. Feb. 24, 1874, William Payne, of New Boston, Ill.; d. May 2, 1880.

2829. iii. GEORGE HENRY, b. Nov. 25, 1861; d. May 8, 1880.

1437. THEODORE FIELD (Elijah, Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tryphena (Cooley), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Sept. 22, 1788. He settled in Hawley, Mass., where he d. April 6, 1865. A farmer. He m. Jan. 22, 1814, Deborah, dau. of Isaac and Deborah Tobey, of Hawley, b. New Salem, April 11, 1787; d. July 2, 1854. Theodore was a farmer, and resided in Hawley from the age of six years till his death, April 16, 1865. Although a man of irasible temper he was very religious. His belief in the letter of the law was so great that he would never consent to having any picture or photograph made of himself, believing that it would break the commandment, "Thou shalt not make to thyself any graven image or any likeness," etc. He raised a large family of children, who were noted for their piety and intellect.

2830. i. THOMAS CARTER, b. Aug. 7, 1814; m. Content Sanderson.

2831. ii. THEODORE TOBEY, b. Dec. 9, 1816; m. Mary A. Crittenden.

2832. iii. DEBORAH, b. Sept. 9, 1818; m. Oct. 1, 1845, Freeman Williams, of Ashfield, now of Bernardston. He was b. Ashfield, Mass., Nov. 4, 1812; d. June 29, 1887; a farmer. Ch.: 1. Harris Williams, b. Sept. 11, 1846; m. March 27, 1873, Eva J. Newton. Still living at Bernardston, Mass., p. o., Athol. Ch.: (a) Annie May, b. Jan. 22, 1874; m. Jan. 17, 1894, W. J. Bolton, M. D. Res. Athol, Mass. (b) Robert Newton, b. July 29, 1877; d. July 24, 1887. 2. Rufus Phillips; res. 86 Washington Av., North Cambridge, Mass. He was b. Jan. 3, 1851; m. in Boston, June 25, 1894, Lillian Walker, b. Aug. 6, 1854, s. p. Rufus Phillips Williams, teacher, scientist, author, b. Ashfield, Mass., Jan. 3, 1851, son of Freeman and Deborah (Field) Williams; moved to Bernardston, Mass., when nine years old, and worked on the farm, going to school at odd times. Taught his first country school in 1870, Clarksburg, Mass. Believing that teaching was his forte he prepared for college at Power's Institute, Bernardston, and entered Dartmouth College in 1872, graduating in 1876. Took postgraduate course at Harvard College in 1878-79, gaining the

degree of A. M. Has been principal of schools in Lincoln, Preston, North Adams and Lynn, Mass., and Davenport, Iowa. He accepted a position in 1883 in the English High School, Boston, Mass., where since 1885 he has been at the head of the chemical department in this, one of the largest and best schools in the country. He is author of "Chemical Science," "Laboratory Manual," "Chemical Experiments," "Elements of Chemistry," etc. A total of twenty-eight editions of his books—nearly 200,000 volumes—were issued in America and England from 1888 to 1899. Mr. Williams has been a member and prominent officer in many scientific and educational organizations. 3. Mary Ann Williams, b. Dec. 20, 1855; d. April 23, 1894. 4. Robert Freeman Williams, b. Jan. 3, 1858; d. Aug. 1, 1869.

2833. iv. SAMUEL TOBY, b. April 20, 1820; m. Sarah Howe Lamson and Mrs. Susan E. (Smith) Loomis.

2834. v. CAROLINE, b. Oct. 31, 1822; m. Rufus Phillips; m., 2d, Joshua Williams, of Ashfield; d.s. p.

2835. vi. ROSAMOND, b. Oct. 31, 1822; m. Henry Weller. She d. August, 1867.

2836. vii. ELIJAH, b. Oct. 21, 1824; m. Martha W. Mantor.

2837. viii. EDMUND LONGLEY, b. July 27, 1831; m. Harriet W. Griswold.

1439. REV. PINDAR FIELD (Elijah, Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elijah and Tryphena (Cooley), b. in Sunderland, Mass., May 1, 1794. He m. Ciffonette Le-Grass Wilton; m., 2d, Mary Sewall, of Maine. No issue. Pindar Field was born in Sunderland, Mass. He prepared for college with William Ferry, of Ashfield, and Rev. Moses Hallock, of Plainfield, in his native state; entered Williams College in 1818, and continued a member of it three years. In September, 1821, when Amherst College was opened, he removed his relation to this institution, and with a classmate and one other individual, formed the first Senior class. It fell to his lot that year to be the first president of the Athenian Society, and to organize the "Theological Society," afterward called the "Society of Inquiry." Mr. Field was also the founder and first superintendent of the first Sabbath school in Amherst. After graduation he was a member of Andover Theological Seminary a year and a half, when he was solicited to teach and preach among the Penobscot Indians in Maine. After laboring in this way for some months, he was licensed at Bangor in December, 1824, and continued still longer to preach in the new settlements along the Penobscot river. In July, 1826, he was ordained as an evangelist in Madison, N. Y.; in 1828 assisted in organizing a Congregational church in Hamilton in the same state, and continued in the ministry there four years. His first permanent settlement was at Oriskany Falls, N. Y., where he was installed pastor of the Congregational church, Dec. 31, 1834. In this relation he continued about twelve years. After its close he was for several years stated pastor of a number of churches in that part of the state, and in almost all of them was largely instrumental in promoting revivals of religion. During several of the last years of his life he was too feeble and infirm to have charge of a church. Mr. Field's Christian character was above the ordinary type. No one acquainted with him ever questioned his sincerity or the purity of his motives. In his missionary and pastoral labors, he was most earnest to win his hearers to Christ. His humility, his simplicity, his love for his fellow-men, and his devotion to Christ, were all so apparent in his preaching and his intercourse with others, that his efforts were almost everywhere blessed with great success. He

died at Hamilton, N. Y., Nov. 24, 1873. He was three times married. His third wife, Mrs. Mary M. (Cony) Field, survives him.

1441. EUGENE FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Rev. Joseph and Sabra (Emerson), b. in Charlemont, Mass., May 7, 1800, where he resided on the old homestead of his father; d. June 18, 1881; m. May 20, 1824, Abigail, dau. of Solomon and Huldah (Holloway) Hawks, of Shelburne, Mass., b. Feb. 12, 1798; d. Jan. 28, 1893.

Abigail S., of Charlemont, 1891; insane; Helen E. Boltwood, of Evanston, Ill., guardian, March 3, 1891, daughter and only child of Abigail, who is aged and infirm.—Franklin County Probate.

2838. i. CHARLES EDWARD, b. Aug. 18, 1825; m. Caroline D. Smith.

2839. ii. HELEN AMELIA, b. May 2, 1828; d. Sept. 9, 1829.

2840. iii. HELEN EUGENIA, b. June 6, 1830; m. July 31, 1855, Henry L. Boltwood, of Amherst, Mass. He was b. Amherst, Mass., Jan. 17, 1831; was a teacher. Res. 1218 Benson Av., Evanston, Ill. Ch.: 1. Charles Edward Boltwood, b. April 25, 1856; d. Dec. 23, 1884.

2841. iv. THEODORE LYMAN, b. Aug. 8, 1832; d. April 7, 1833.

2842. v. EDWIN AUGUSTINE, b. Aug. 24, 1837; m. Mary Phillips.

1442. DOCTOR JOSEPH EMERSON FIELD (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Rev. Joseph and Sabra (Emerson), b. in Charlemont, Mass., Nov. 12, 1802. A physician. He went to Texas and was a surgeon in the Mexican and Texan war, and escaped being assassinated by the Mexicans and returned north. He was employed at the south by the government during the war of the Rebellion, and since the war resided in Mississippi and Florida. He m. Julia Jones, of Troy, N. Y. No issue.

1450. HON. ZEBINA FIELD (Paris, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Paris and Cynthia (Lee), b. in Leverett, Mass., June 22, 1797. Resided in Benson, Vt., but returned to Leverett. He was for twenty-one years a justice of the peace and a member of the State Senate two years. He d. Oct. 14, 1879. He m. Nov. 19, 1821, Sophronia, dau. of Dr. Abram and Martha (Field) Ball, of Amherst, b. Aug. 8, 1804; d. Jan. 28, 1899. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2843. i. MARTHA, b. March 29, 1823; d. July 5, 1859.

2844. ii. DAN, b. April 19, 1827; unm. Res. Leverett. Is a farmer and surveyor.

2845. iii. ASA LEE, b. Sept. 15, 1828; d. Dec. 1, 1846.

1452. SIMON COOLEY FIELD (Paris, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 7, 1799. He settled, in 1825, in Newport, N. H.; removed to Lowell, Mass., and d. there Nov. 22, 1877. He m. May 7, 1828, Martha Washington, dau. of Paul and Polly (Hunt) Keith, of Newport, b. July 24, 1805; d. Dec. 2, 1882. Res. Lowell, Mass.

2846. i. ABBIE REED, b. Nov. 7, 1829; m. July 19, 1849, Philip S. Mizaner. Res. 274 Salem St., Malden, Mass. He was b. Dec. 28, 1820; is a pattern maker, s. p.

2847. ii. MARION GAGE, b. Jan. 5, 1832; m. May 1, 1855, Daniel Sherwood, of Meredith Village, N. H. Res. 79 Vernon St., Lowell, Mass. He was b. England Feb. 12, 1831; d. Lowell, Mass., May 24, 1887. Inventor of and manufacturer of white lustral wire ware. Ch.: 1. Frank Jewett Sherwood, b. March 7, 1856; m.

Feb. 23, 1888, Annie F. Carey, b. March 9, 1866, Lowell, Mass. Ch.: Carey Sherwood, b. Aug. 11, 1890.

2848. iii. RHODA ANN, b. Dec. 18, 1833; m. Jan. 23, 1868, Dr. John T. Smith, of Lowell, Mass. Res. 503 Sixth Av., West, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He was b. May 3, 1835. J. T. Smith was b. in Indiana, May 3, 1835; moved to Iowa in 1853; worked on a farm until he was twenty-one; then went to school; studied medicine; entered the service in 1861 as surgeon; served until 1865, since which time has been engaged in fruit and stock raising. For the last five years has not been engaged in active business. Ch.: 1. Ralph Field Smith, b. Aug. 18, 1871; m. 1893. Address, 503 Sixth Av., west, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

2849. iv. SOPHIA CHILDS, b. Jan. 24, 1836; m. Feb. 16, 1871, David Sanford Lyon. Res. 79 Bartlett, St., Lowell, Mass. He was b. Manchester, Me., May 20, 1822; d. July 22, 1878; was a farmer, s. p.

2850. v. LUCY WARD, b. April 6, 1838; m. Aug. 7, 1867, William P. Farrington, 556 Westford St., of Lowell, Mass. He was b. May 3, 1830. Is retired. Ch.: 1. Milo Sherwood Farrington, b. Nov. 2, 1869; d. Oct. 31, 1879.

2851. vi. MARTHA LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 16, 1841; m. Dec. 31, 1864, Charles P. Lord, of Lowell, Mass. She d. s. p., Oct. 4, 1883.

2852. vii. MARY ELVIRA, b. April 2, 1844; d. June 14, 1844.

1453. CAPTAIN ASA LEE FIELD (Paris, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Leverett, Mass., Aug. 17, 1800. He was a captain of militia for several years, a leading man in town, holding various town offices. A thorough business man and a successful farmer. He d. there Aug. 3, 1885. He m. June 12, 1834, Mary Ward, dau. of Silas and Elizabeth (Woodbury) Field, of Leverett, b. Nov. 30, 1807; d. Feb. 25, 1883. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2853. i. GEORGE, b. March 29, 1835; m. Laura A. Bass.

2854. ii. SILAS, b. April 1, 1837; d. s. p. July 3, 1898.

2855. iii. EDWARD, b. Jan. 25, 1839; m. Lucy A. Ashley.

2856. iv. MARY E., b. Sept. 26, 1841; d. unm. Nov. 10, 1877.

1457. CEPHAS FIELD (Paris, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Paris and Cynthia (Lee), b. in Leverett, Mass., July 3, 1814, where he d. Dec. 19 1880. He m. Oct. 2, 1844, Editha, dau. of Abram and Martha (Field) Ball, of Amherst, b. March 12, 1815; d. March 19, 1875. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2857. i. HOYT LEE, b. Oct. 12, 1845; d. Feb. 3, 1870.

2858. ii. EDITHA SOPHRONIA, b. Aug. 12, 1848.

2859. iii. LUCY REBECCA, b. Sept. 20, 1850; m. —— Fowler. Res. Agawam.

2860. iv. NELLIE HARVILLA, b. March 12, 1856.

1461. HON. HARRISON OTIS FIELD (Silas, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Silas and Elizabeth (Woodbury), b. in Leverett, Mass., Jan. 20, 1810, where he resided a deacon in the Congregational church. He represented the town in the legislature in 1873. He d. Nov. 15, 1886. Was a farmer. He m. April 2, 1839, Eleanor, dau. of Josiah and Ruth (Hagar) Pomeroy, of Leverett, b. in Hinsdale, N. H., May 1, 1816; d. July 7, 1895.

Harrison O., Leverett, 1886; widow, Eleanor; daughters, Sarah P., E. Maria,

of Leverett, and Mrs. Tyler T. Clark, of Hawley; Stillman K. Field, administrator, Dec. 7, 1886.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2861. i. SARAH POMEROY, b. March 1, 1842; m. Nov. 24, 1887, Charles Henry Field, b. Benson, Vt., Jan. 20, 1827; d. March 3, 1899. He first married Nancy Sophia Hobert, by whom he had William H. Field, Worcester, Mass.; Charles Mattoon Field, Uxbridge, Mass; Mrs. Lewella (Field) Angevine, West Willington, Conn. Mrs. Sarah Pomeroy (Field) Field, resides, s. p., Leverett, Mass.

2862. ii. ELEANOR MARIA, b. June 26, 1845; unm. Res. Leverett.

2863. iii. HENRY HARRISON, b. July 14, 1849; d. Oct. 4, 1850.

2864. iv. EMILY EASTMAN, b. April 7, 1852; m. Nov. 6, 1879, Tyler T. Clark, of Hawley. Two children.

1465. HON. ALDEN COOLEY FIELD (Elisha, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Persis (Hubbard), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Aug. 8, 1807. He settled, in 1835, in Leverett, where he d. Aug. 16, 1885. A manufacturer of woolen goods. He was a member of the legislature in 1850 and 1858. He had been a justice of the peace since 1845, and trial justice from 1862 to 1872. Had been selectman and assessor several years. He m. May 6, 1836, Lucena, dau. of Asa and Clarissa (Eastman) Adams, of Shutsburg, Mass., b. 1816; d. May 13, 1837; m., 2d, Nov. 28, 1839, Caroline, dau. of Paris and Cynthia (Lee) Field, of Leverett, b. Feb. 2, 1812.

Alden C., of Leverett, will 1885; widow, Caroline; children, Ralph A. and Carrie M. Field, both of Leverett.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2865. i. RALPH ADAMS, b. March 7, 1837; m. Mary Hobart.

2866. ii. LUCENA SOPHIA, b. Jan. 15, 1841; d. Sept. 13, 1855.

2867. iii. CAROLINE MATILDA, b. July 12, 1843; unm. Res. East Leverett, Mass. For twenty-eight years she was a teacher, is now a merchant.

1466. ELIJAH STRATTON FIELD (Elisha, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Persis (Hubbard), b. in Sunderland, Mass., July 2, 1809. He settled, in 1834, in Moravia, Cayuga county, N. Y. In 1857 he was appointed a keeper in the State Prison, at Auburn, and removed there. In 1863 he was appointed by the sheriff jailor of Cayuga county. As he was about closing the prison on the evening of March 14, he was struck with an iron bar by a prisoner named Albert E. Perry, and fell senseless. Perry rushed out into the kitchen, broke out a window, and escaped. Mr. Field lingered until three o'clock Tuesday morning, March 18, 1873, when he expired. The authorities were notified by another prisoner. Perry was afterward recaptured, and sentenced for life at hard labor in the State Prison. He m. Oct. 9, 1835, Mary W., dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Nettleton) Wright, of Deerfield, Mass., b. Feb. 3, 1813. She res. with her son, Henry P., in Louisville, Ky. Res. Auburn, N. Y.

2868. i. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 28, 1836; m. 1854, Edward D. Parker, of Auburn, N. Y.; d. Dec. 27, 1864.

2869. ii. LUCRETIA MARIA, b. Sept. 14, 1837.

2870. iii. HENRY PHILLIPS, b. Oct. 27, 1839; m. Mary Alexander.

2871. iv. MARTHA AMANDA, b. Nov. 15, 1841.

1469. JONATHAN SPENCER FIELD (Elisha, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Persis (Hubbard), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Jan 3, 1816. He settled in Deerfield; in 1872 removed

to Montague, Mass., where he resided. He m. Dec. 30, 1846, Sarah, dau of Benjamin and Sarah (Jenkins) Cobb, of Deerfield, b. March 15, 1818; d. Feb. 24, 1879. He was a farmer. Res. Montague, Mass.

2872. i. EMMA ELIZA, b. Nov. 11, 1848; m. Nov. 11, 1867, James B. Marsh, of Montague. He was b. March 8, 1844. Is a dry-goods merchant, s. p.

2873. ii. ALICE COBB, b. Aug. 2, 1850; m. Feb. 10, 1875, Charles D. Everett, of South Deerfield. He was b. Nov. 11, 1849;; d. April 9, 1897. Res. Montague, Mass. Ch.: 1. Sarah Elsie Everett, b. July 16, 1877. 2. Mabel Christine Everett, b. July 1, 1882. 3. Marguerite Field Everett, b. Sept. 21, 1892.

2874. iii. ETTA LEE, b. Aug. 4, 1859; m. Nov. 11, 18—, James B. Marsh, of Montague.

2875. iv. LUCIUS SPENCER, b. Aug. 22, 1861; m. Nellie J. Raymond.

1473. ELISHA HUBBARD FIELD (Elisha, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Elisha and Persis (Hubbard), b. in Deerfield, Mass., April 11, 1827. He settled, in 1854, in Worcester, Mass.; in 1856 removed to Galesburg, Ill., where he d. Nov. 25, 1860. He m. April 20, 1854, Nancy, dau. of Aretas and Nancy (Sanderson) Scott, of Whately, Mass., b. Sept. 25, 1834. She m., 2d, Horatio Rockwood, of Greenfield, Mass. Res. Galesburg, Ill.

2876. i. CATHERINE M., b. Feb. 17, 1855; m. Dec. 2, 1873, Dr. Franklin Dewey Beals, of Greenfield, Mass. He was b. Jan. 16, 1851; d. March 9, 1897. Ch.: 1. Elisha Rockwood, b. Nov. 5, 1875. Res. 10 Union St., Greenfield, Mass.

1475. DEACON HORACE WILEY FIELD (Walter, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Walter and Elizabeth (Wiley), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Jan. 10, 1814. He removed to Leverett, where he resided, a deacon in the Congregational church, and farmer; d. Nov. 10, 1888. He m. Dec. 31, 1839, Elizabeth Miranda, dau. of Justin and Abigail (Taylor) Hillman, of Conway, Mass., b. Conway, July 4, 1848; d. Hatfield, June 23, 1880. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2877. i. EDWIN WILEY, b. Jan. 29, 1841; m. Sarah Hall.

2878. ii. HENRY HILLMAN, b. Oct. 8, 1843; m. Marietta Wade.

1476. DEACON ABNER FIELD (Walter, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., Dec. 27, 1816. He removed to Leverett, where he resided, a deacon in the Congregational church, and a farmer. He m. Oct. 10, 1841, Wealthy J., dau. of John and Susan (Taylor) Putney, of Goshen, Mass., b. Dec. 10, 1821; d. Sept. 19, 1882. He d. Feb. 13, 1893. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2879. i. MARIA ELIZABETH, b. July 19, 1844; m. May 19, 1869, William H. Ashley, of Leverett. He was b. Feb. 16, 1844. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Walter F., b. May 18, 1871. 2. Rose A., b. Feb. 19, 1877; m. Sept. 6, 1895, William Briggs. 3. Harry W., b. March 19, 1879. 4. Charles L., b. Jan. 15, 1882. 5. Susie L., b. Sept. 6, 1886. Postoffice address of all, Leverett, Mass.

2880. ii. HORACE WILEY, b. Jan. 24, 1846; m. Susan Hubbard.

2881. iii. CHARLES TAYLOR, b. Aug. 15, 1847. He enlisted May 29, 1864, in Company L, Second regiment Massachusetts Volunteer Cavalry. He was taken sick with the measles at Vienna, Va., June

4, 1864, and sent to the United States Hospital, at Tenallytown, Md. After he recovered he assisted in taking care of the wounded. He returned to his regiment in the winter of 1864-65, and went up the valley of Virginia through Leesburg. He was badly wounded in the foot at the battle of Five Forks, April 1, 1865; while assisting Lieut. S. F. Tucker, who was severely wounded, from the field, while under a heavy fire from the enemy. He was honorably discharged from Stanton Hospital, Washington, D. C., for disability, June 16, 1865.

2882. iv. SUSAN ELECTA, b. July 5, 1849; m. March 1, 1892, Moses Field. Res. Leverett, Mass.

1478. FRANKLIN FIELD (Walter, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., March 21, 1820. He removed, in 1866, to Montague, Mass., where he resided. Was a farmer. He d. May 23, 1898. He m. Nov. 24, 1845, Alma, dau. of Aretas and Nancy (Sanderson) Scott, of Whately, b. Nov. 30, 1822; d. May 7, 1892.

Alma S., Montague, Nov. 6, 1896; d. May 7, 1892; husband, Franklin Field; children, Minnie S. Crafts and Nancy S. Field, of Montague, daughters; Frank A. and Fred E. Field, of Montague, sons.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Montague, Mass.

2883. i. MINERVA SCOTT, b. June 25, 1847; m. Nov. 28, 1868, Irving B. Crafts, of Whately. Res. Montague, Mass. She was b. Oct. 11, 1844; d. Sept. 30, 1890. No children living.

2884. ii. FRANKLIN A., b. Jan. 20, 1851; m. Ruth W. Fuller.

2885. iii. NANCY SCOTT, b. June 11, 1859; unm. Res. Montague, Mass.

2886. iv. FREDERICK E., b. Nov. 7, 1861; m. Rose M. Small.

1479. JOHN WILEY FIELD (Walter, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Sunderland, Mass., April 5, 1822. He removed to Hatfield, Mass., where he resided until he moved to North Amherst. He m. Nov. 5, 1848, Julia Maria, dau. of Horace and Clarissa (Perry) Warren, of Williamsburg, Mass., b. April 29, 1823; d. June 18, 1889. He d. Nov. 11, 1897. Res. Hatfield and North Amherst, Mass.

2887. i. FANNY ELIZABETH, b. April 17, 1851; d. January, 1853.

2888. ii. WILLIAM E., b. Jan. 20, 1853; d. Aug. 5, 1873.

2889. iii. GERTRUDE E., b. May 8, 1855; m. May 4, 1878, Monroe P. Marsh. Res. North Amherst, Mass. He is a farmer; was b. Feb. 17, 1849. Ch.: 1. Mary Warren Marsh, b. April 11, 1881. 2. Charles Monroe, b. Dec. 22, 1885; d. Nov. 15, 1898.

2890. iv. WALTER P., b. Jan. 12, 1859; unm.

2891. v. JOHN CLIFFORD, b. Nov. 2, 1861; m. March 12, 1886, Alice G. Plumb. Res. Northampton.

1481. WILLIAM WALTER FIELD (Walter, Jonathan, Joseph, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William) b. in, Sunderland, Mass., Aug. 17, 1826. He settled in Whately, where he now, 1880 resides. Their silver wedding was celebrated, where about one hundred relatives and friends attended, and an address was given by James M. Crafts, Esq., the genealogist of Whately. He m. Dec. 25, 1853, Sarah, dau. of Rufus and Lucy (Morton) Sanderson, and wid. of Silas B. Frary, of Whately, b. Sept. 2, 1826. Res. Whately and Conway, Mass.

2892. i. GEORGE DWIGHT, b. Sept. 16, 1855; m. Anna C. Hein and Ida R. Ott.

2893. ii. IDA CLARA, b. Jan. 28, 1857; m. Sept. 11, 1876, Charles Edwin Bardwell, of Whately. He was b. July 9, 1854. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Fred Walter, b. Jan. 15, 1880.

1483. HON. CHARLES KELLOGG FIELD (Martin, Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Newfane, Vt., April 24, 1803; m. July 29, 1828, Julia Anne Kellogg, of Cooperstown, N. Y., dau. of Silas, b. Oct. 6, 1809; d. April 9, 1886.

The Vermont Phœnix, of Brattleboro, Vt., has this obituary: The well-known form of Charles K. Field has passed from among us forever. For many months his friends have been admonished by his faltering steps that the end was near, and his own remarks have indicated that he was fully conscious of the fact; but when it was reported that he was hopelessly ill, a feeling of sorrow settled over this community which was greatly deepened by the intelligence of his death. Mere casual acquaintances were often repelled by his somewhat rough exterior and blunt remarks, but those who knew him intimately and looked through the surface into his heart, esteemed and loved him. He came of a distinguished family, his lineage being traceable to John Field, the astronomer, who was born in London about 1520, and who died at Ardsley, England, about 1587. His grandson, Zechariah Field, came to Massachusetts and settled in Dorchester about 1630, but a few years later moved to Hartford, Conn., and died in Hatfield, Mass., in 1666. From him the line is easily traced to Martin Field, the father of the subject of this sketch, who was born in Leverett, Mass., Feb. 12, 1773, graduated at Williams College in 1798, studied law with his uncle, Lucius Hubbard, at Chester, Vt., and settled at Newfane at the opening of this century. He was a man of rare natural ability, of varied and extensive acquirements, and for thirty years was eminent in his profession and one of the leading men of the state. His wife was sister of the late Hon. Daniel Kellogg, of this town. Their younger son, Roswell M. Field, was one of the most brilliant and able men Vermont ever produced. He removed to St. Louis in 1839, and soon became the compeer of the most eminent lawyers of the West. For many years before his decease, in 1869, he was called the Nestor of the Missouri bar. Charles K. Field, the oldest son, was born in Newfane, April 24, 1803, fitted for college at Amherst, Mass., entered Middlebury College at the age of fifteen and graduated in 1822. After studying law three years in the office of his father, he was admitted to the bar of this county and commenced the practice of his profession in Newfane; in 1828 he removed to Wilmington, where he resided for ten years, representing that town in the legislature in 1835-36-37-38; he was a delegate from that town in the State Constitutional Convention in 1836. In 1838 he returned to Newfane, where he resided until 1861, representing that town in the legislature in 1853-54-55-60, and also representing it in the Constitutional Convention in 1843-50-57.

In 1861 he moved to this town, where he has since resided. He was elected a member of the Council of Censors in 1869, and chosen president thereof at its first session, and in 1870 represented Brattleboro in the Constitutional Convention. Thus it will be seen that he had large experience in legislative bodies, where he always exerted great influence and did much toward shaping the legislation of the state. Mr. Field inherited many of his father's characteristics, especially his sarcasm, humor and faculty for relating stories, of which he possessed an inexhaustible store. He was a great reader, and the best ancient and modern authors were as familiar to him as were his village neighbors. His memory was wonderful; he remembered all of value that he ever read or heard, and had it at instant command; this, with his quick perception, originality, powers of description, wit and humor, made him a most entertaining man in conversation, a brilliant public speaker and a formidable

adversary in forensic debate. His judgment of men was unerring; a distinguished jurist of this state once said of him that it made little difference what men said to him, he seemed to look right into their minds and read their real thoughts. He was a skillful lawyer, few men wielding a keener rapier than he, and he apparently possessed every requisite of a most effective jury advocate; but though he always commanded a large practice, he mainly left the trial of jury cases to others, regarding that as an uncertain and unsatisfactory field of enterprise. He was widely known throughout this state, and highly regarded for his brilliant abilities. He possessed a kind, sympathetic heart, retained the strongest attachment for his friends, and was an honest man. He was the last of that generation of men composed of the Bradleys, the Kelloggs, the Shafters and the Fields, who for more than half a century gave eminence to the bar of Wildham county, and whose names will always shine in the galaxy of Vermont's distinguished men. Mr. Field was married in 1828 to Julia A. Kellogg, of Cooperstown, N. Y., who survives him; he leaves three children, Mrs. E. P. Jewett and Henry K. Field, of Montpelier and Mrs. H. C. Willard of this town.

He d. Sept. 18, 1880. Res. Brattleboro, Vt.

2894. i. JULIA KELLOGG, b. Oct. 14, 1829; m. Jan. 15, 1861, Elisha Payne Jewett, of Monpelier. He was b. Lebanon, N. H., 1801; d. Montpelier, Vt., Aug. 19, 1894. Was a banker. She d. Dec. 30, 1890. Ch.: 1. Ruth Payne, b. Oct. 11, 1865; m. Sept. 2, 1885, Prof. John W. Burgess. Res. 323 West 57th St., New York, N. Y. He is professor of law in Columbia University. Was b. Aug. 26, 1844. Ch. (a) Elisha Payne Jewett Burgess. He (Prof. Burgess) was b. in Conersville, Tenn.; attended Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn.; was graduated at Amherst College, 1867 (Ph.D., LL. D.); was admitted to the bar at Springfield, Mass., in 1869; was professor of English literature and political economy at Knox College, 1869-71; studied history, public law and political science at Göttingen, Leipzig and Berlin 1871-73; became professor of history and political science Amherst, 1873-76, and since 1876 professor of political science and constitutional law and dean of the faculty of political science at Columbia. He has published the following: Political Science and Comparative Constitutional Law; The Middle Period; and many essays on historical, political and legal subjects, in the Political Science Quarterly and other magazines.

2895. ii. MARTIN, b. April 24, 1831; d. Sept. 3, 1861.

2896. iii. ESTHER SOPHIA, b. Jan. 5, 1834; d. April 17, 1837.

2897. iv. MARY HUBBARD, b. Aug. 5, 1839; m. June 1, 1868, Henry C. Willard, of Brattleboro. Res. Greenfield. He was b. March 22, 1836, in Greenfield, Mass. Is a druggist. Ch.: 1. David Willard, b. March 2, 1871, at Brattleboro. Present address, University Settlement, 184 Eldridge St., New York City.

2898. v. HENRY K., b. June 8, 1848; m. Kate L. Daniels.

1485. HON. ROSWELL MARTIN FIELD (Martin, Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Newfane, Vt., Feb. 22, 1807; m. St. Louis, Mo., May 30, 1848, Frances Maria Reed, of St. Louis, Mo., b. Newfane, Vt., June 2, 1806; d. Nov. 18, 1856, dau. of Merrill and Sally (Townsley).

Roswell Martin Field, son of Gen. Field, was b. in Newfane, Vt.; d. at St. Louis, Mo., aged 62 years. He fitted for college with Rev. Luke Whitcomb, of

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HON. CHARLES KELLOGG FIELD.

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Townshend, Vt., and entered Middlebury College in the autumn of 1818, at eleven years of age. Graduating in 1822, he studied law with Hon. Daniel Kellogg, of Rockingham, Vt., and was admitted to practice in September, 1825, at eighteen years of age. He practised law in Windham county from 1825 to 1839, when he removed to St. Louis, where he remained until his death. He represented the town of Newfane in the General Assembly of the State during the years 1835 and 1836. He was elected state's attorney for Windham county in 1832, 1833, 1834 and 1835. While a member of the Legislature in 1835, he wrote an able report in favor of abrogating the rule of the common law excluding atheists from giving testimony in courts of justice. The proposition failed of adoption, but in 1851 it was renewed by Hon. Loyal C. Kellogg, of Benson, then a member of the House of Representatives, and passed into a law. Since that period "no person is deemed incompetent as a witness in any court matter or proceeding on account of his opinions on matters of religious belief." The special pleas which he drew and filed in the libel suit of Torrey vs. Field, reported in the tenth volume of Vermont Reports, were declared by Judge Story to be masterpieces of special pleading. These contributions, with the exception of a multitude of briefs in cases reported in the Vermont and Missouri reports, are all the memorials of his learning that are left. He was a finished scholar, and read Greek, Latin, French, German and Spanish, besides having an extensive acquaintance with English literature and general science. He could speak with great fluency, not only French, but German. He was frequently employed in suits by reason of his great familiarity with foreign languages, for the mere purpose of correcting any errors of interpreters in their translations of the testimony of foreigners who could not speak English, and whose evidence was necessarily communicated to a court and jury by an interpreter. It was as a lawyer that he won his greatest distinction. When he went to St. Louis in 1839, he had to contend with such men as Benton, Gamble and Bates. To none of these was he second in legal attainment, sound judgment and keen foresight. As an advocate he was eloquent, and as a lawyer, learned. His attainments were of that solid character that they served him upon every professional emergency. His first distinction at the bar was obtained in cases involving the intricate old Spanish claims, which he mastered at an early day. His opinions always had great weight in the superior courts of the State, and at the time of his decease he was esteemed as the ablest lawyer at the Missouri bar. By the junior members of the profession he was regarded as an oracle, and freely gave advice to all young lawyers who sought his counsel. He cheerfully and readily aided young men of talent and worth whom he found struggling for success and position against poverty and adversity. He gained a national reputation in the famous Dred Scott case, which he started and carried on until the appeal was entered in the United States Supreme Court, when he turned it over to Montgomery Blair, then residing at Washington. In the dark days of the Rebellion, during the years 1861 and 1862, when the friends of the Union in St. Louis and Missouri felt that they were in imminent danger of being driven from their homes and their estates confiscated by rebels and traitors, General Lyon, General Blair and R. M. Field were among the calm, loyal and patriotic men who influenced public action and saved the city and State. In his social relations he was a genial and entertaining companion, unsurpassed in conversational powers, delighting in witty and sarcastic observations and epigrammatic sentences.

He was elegant in his manners, and bland and refined in his deportment. He was a skilful musician, and passionately fond of children, and it was his wont in early life to gather them in groups about him and beguile them by the hour with the music of the flute or violin. He was confiding and generous to a fault, but for a few years before his decease he became

reserved and distrustful, had but few intimate associates, and mingled but little in general society, for his confidence had been violated, his generosity abused, and his charities wasted. He was utterly devoid of all ambition for power and place, and he uniformly declined all offers of advancement to the highest judicial honors of the State. Judge Hamilton, of the Circuit Court of St. Louis, in his address to the bar, suggests of him that "he was always under the controlling influence of principle, faithful towards his clients, honorable and upright with his professional brethren, and in all his relations, social, political and professional, frank and sincere to a fault. His heart was warm with the sweetest charities of humanity, and his friendships were as enduring as life itself." His proficiency in other walks of learning than the law would have rendered him remarkable if he had been unacquainted with jurisprudence. It was the accuracy, no less than the extent of his knowledge, which distinguished him above those around him. He seemed to have mastered the principles, the foundation of every subject with which he claimed any familiarity, and it was part of his nature to claim nothing to which his title was not perfect. He never used words without appropriate ideas annexed to them. Nothing of the kind of knowledge which remembers the rule, but leaves forgotten or never knew the reason of the rule. His scholarship was critical and exact.

He made the perusal of the Greek and Latin classics his most delightful pastime. In fact, he resorted to this and scientific research, particularly in the department of pure mathematics, for his chief mental recreation. It is greatly to be regretted that he neglected to combine, with his cessations from professional labor, some employment which would have revived and strengthened his physical frame. He was averse to active exercise, and for some years before his death he lived a life of studious seclusion which would have been philosophical had he not violated, in the little care he took of his health, one of the most important lessons which philosophy teaches. At a comparatively early age he died of physical exhaustion, a deterioration of the bodily organs, and an incapacity on their part to discharge the vital functions, a wearing out of the machine before the end of the term for which its duration was designed. The defects of his character were due to a complete absence of the incentive to exertion which rivalry causes. It is obvious to all who read this slight censure, how unassailable is the man of whom it can be said that his principal defects arise from a want of one of the weaknesses of humanity. He was eminently qualified to serve as well as to adorn society, and in all likelihood he would have found in a greater variety of occupation some relief from the monotonous strain under which his energies prematurely gave way. He possessed in full measure the capacity for rendering this service, but unfortunately he shrank from offering himself for its performance. It is not a paradox to say that if he had been more covetous of gain and of fame, more susceptible to the spur of emulation, and less firmly persuaded of the things ordinarily proposed as the reward of ambition, his life would have been happier and more useful to mankind. If he had possessed more ambition, his reputation would have been national, and he would have ranked among the most distinguished lawyers of the country. At a session of the Supreme Court of the State of Missouri, soon after the decease of Mr. Field, Samuel Knox, Esq., a member of the bar, suggested to the court that it had lost an able and faithful counselor and its highest ornament in the death of Mr. Field. He was so modest in all his greatness, said Mr. Knox, as never to excite envy, so varied in his gifts, so extended his attainments, so wide his range of thought, that no person in his society could experience anything but pleasure, in his conversation anything but profit and delight. Uniting great industry and acquirements with the most brilliant wit and genius, well and accurately informed on all subjects, both in science and the arts, endowed with a memory that retained whatever it received,

with quick and clear perceptions, the choicest, most felicitous and forcible language in which to clothe his thoughts, no one could doubt his meaning or withhold the tribute of wonder at his power. His statements were always terse and clear, his arguments cogent and logical, his conclusions difficult to evade. In a long and eventful professional life, no charge of duplicity or unfairness, no cunning trick, no suspicion of dishonor ever tarnished his fair fame, or raised the slightest doubt of the highest professional honor and personal integrity. One thus distinguished is no ordinary loss—a loss to the court, to the profession, to the community in which he lived. Mr. Knox then offered the report of a committee, appointed by the St. Louis bar, at a meeting called to pay a tribute of respect to the memory of Mr. Field, and moved that the report be entered upon the records of the court, "an enduring memorial of the love and regard of the members of the St. Louis bar for their departed brother." Judge Wagner, in behalf of the court, responded as follows:

"The members of this court have heard with the deepest regret of the death of R. M. Field, and the warm and deserved tribute which has just been paid to his memory receives an assenting response from the hearts of all those who knew him. On the decease of our lamented friend and brother, the bar of Missouri has lost one of its brightest ornaments. To a naturally keen, vigorous and analytical mind, he added a thorough mastery of legal principles combined with high scholarly attainments. Perhaps no man at the bar of this State ever brought to the consideration of any question a greater amount of exact legal learning or clothed it with a more impressive and attractive logic. When he gave the great energies and powers of his mind to a cause, he exhausted all the learning to be had on the subject. He studied law as a science and delighted to examine its harmonious structure and explore its philosophic principles. So deeply was he imbued with its true spirit, and so great was his reverence for its excellence, that he maintained them with the most jealous regard and would sooner have failed in success than have won a cause by trenching upon a sound legal rule. He made no parade of learning, and in his social intercourse he had a childlike simplicity. With his professional brethren he was full of courtesy and kindness, and his whole conduct was marked by entire integrity and perfect truth. He adorned every circle in which he moved, and so beautiful was his life in all its relations that he won and enjoyed the esteem and regard of all who knew him. It is fit and proper that the death of such a man should be marked by all the honors which we can pay to his memory. It is just that we should pay this last tribute as an evidence of our appreciation of his great abilities and exalted virtues. It is therefore ordered that the report of the proceedings of the bar, which have been presented, be entered of record on the minutes of this court, and out of respect for his memory it will be further ordered that this court do now adjourn."

He d. July 12, 1869. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

2899. i. THEODORE FRENCH, b. 1849; d. in infancy.
2900. ii. EUGENE, b. Sept. 2, 1850; m. Julia S. Comstock.
2901. iii. ROSWELL MARTIN, b. Sept. 1, 1851; m. Henrietta Dexter.
2902. iv. BRADLEY, b. 1852; d. in infancy.
2903. v. CHARLES KELLOGG, b. 1854; d. young.
2904. vi. FRANCES VICTORIA, b. 1856; d. Jan. 18, 1857.

1487. CUTLER FIELD[1] (Spencer, Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Spencer and Hannah (Cutler), b. in Richfield, N. Y., July 4, 1809. He studied law in the office of Hon. Joshua Spencer, of Utica, N. Y. He settled in Cooperstown, Otsego county, N. Y.; from there he

removed to the city of New York, where he d. July 13, 1858. He m., April 13, 1834, Maria E. Davenport, b. 1815; d. April 12, 1837; m., 2d, April 12, 1845, Mary W., dau. of William A. and Abby Ann (Strong) Cook, b. April 15, 1823; she m., 2d, Jerome A. Clark, of Batavia, N. Y.; d. May 10, 1869; no issue.

1488. SETH FIELD (Spencer, Seth, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Spencer and Hannah (Cutler), b. in Richfield, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1812. He settled in Cooperstown, N. Y., where he resided. He was elected, in 1852, sheriff of Otsego county for three years, the constitutional limit until a space of three years had elapsed. He m. 1835, Lucy Ann Conant, b. Sept. 10, 1813. Res. Cooperstown, N. Y.

2905. i. MARY JANE, b. Dec. 27, 1842; d. May 8, 1843.

2906. ii. GEORGE SPENCER, b. Feb. 22, 1846.

1494. CALVIN FIELD (Luther, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Luther and Beulah (Broad), b. in Leverett, Mass., 1804, where he d. Sept. 20, 1846. He m. 1843, Tamar Aldrich, of Bernardston, Mass.

Calvin, of Leverett, Oct. 3, 1846, filed. Wife, Climena T. Speaks of child; name not given. Witnessed by Asa L. and Harrison O. Field.—Franklin County Probate.

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2707. i. FOWLER, b. Jan. 3, 1845; d. Aug. 29, 1846.

1499. STILLMAN FIELD (Erastus, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Erastus and Salome (Ashley), b. in Leverett, Mass., Dec. 28, 1802; d. May 22, 1878. A farmer. He m. Dec. 20, 1832, Arvilla, dau. of Lucius and Virtue (Ashley) Field, of Leverett, b. Nov. 5, 1807; d. June 17, 1883.

Arvilla Field, Leverett, 1883. No husband. Daughters, Cynthia B. Field, Ellen V. Wells. Son, H. Addison Field. All of Leverett. Two children of Lauretta Hayward, late of South Amherst.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2908. i. ELLEN VIRTUE, b. Jan. 12, 1835; m. Dec. 20, 1844, J. S. Wells, of Fairfield, Ohio.

2909. ii. LUCIUS, b. Oct. 17, 1837. He enlisted in Company —, Second Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers; was with his regiment in Louisiana; d. from disease contracted in the service after his return to Hatfield, Aug. 17, 1863.

2910. iii. CYNTHIA BARDWELL, b. Aug. 5, 1839. Cynthia B., of Leverett, July 1, 1897. Died May 28, 1897. Sister, Ellen V. Wells. Nephew, Canez S. Hayward. Cousins, Mary L. Morgan, Henrietta Field. To Miss Ida, daughter of Wm. and Elizabeth Field, $25.—Franklin County Probate.

2911. iv. LAURETTA ASHLEY, b. Oct. 18, 1841; m. Jan. 20, 1869, C. E. Hayward, of Amherst; d. May 27, 1876.

2912. v. HENRY COLEMAN, b. June 16, 1843; d. May 3, 1844.

2813. vi. HENRY ADDISON, b. Feb. 3, 1845. Henry Addison, Leverett, Oct. 4, 1892. Died Jan. 8, 1892. Next of kin, sister Cynthia B. Field, of Leverett; Mrs. Ellen V. Wells, of Springfield. Brother-in-law, Chas. E. Hayward, and nephew, S. Carey Hayward, both of South Amherst.—Franklin County Probate.

1500. ERASTUS SALISBURY FIELD (Erastus, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Erastus and Salome (Ashley), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 19, 1805. He m. Dec. 29, 1831, Phœbe Gilman, of Springfield, Mass., dau. of David and Phœbe, b. Oct. 1, 1807; d. Aug. 14, 1859. He is an artist, and has made a specialty of portrait painting. The pictures of Caleb Hubbard and wife contained in the History of Sunderland are reproductions of his work. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2914. i. HENRIETTA, b. Nov. 6, 1832; res., unm., Monson.

1502. PHINEHAS FIELD (Erastus, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Erastus and Salome (Ashley), b. in Leverett, Mass., March 13, 1809. He removed in 1855 to North Hadley, Mass., where he d. Dec. 28, 1877 (State Records say Oct. 25). He m. Nov. 27, 1834, Thankful Matilda, dau. of Deacon Silas and Mary E. (Woodbury) Field, of Leverett, b. April 25, 1812. Hadley is one of the old mother towns of the Connecticut valley, and has a long and interesting history. A large mass of information concerning its settlement and its connection with the Indian war has been given. The settlement was commenced in 1659 by a company of persons residing in Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor, in Connecticut. The company held a meeting at the house of Nathaniel Ward, one of the company, in Hartford, on April 18, 1659, where fifty-nine and one set down as "not fully engaged" signed an agreement for their mutual regulation and government, pledging themselves to remove to the plantations "purchased of the Indians at Nolwotogg, on the east side of Connecticut, beside Northampton," as early as Sept. 29 of the following year; to pay their several proportions of the land purchased, as well as for the purchase of Hockanum, "which had been mortgaged by the Indians to Joseph Parsons of Northampton;" to raise all common charges by assessments upon the lands taken up by the company, and not to sell their land until they had lived in the town for three years, and, afterwards, to none but such as the town should approve. It was also agreed that those who went up within three weeks from that time should have their choice in lots, provided they took them together. On Nov. 22, 1659, a committee of seven, chosen for the purpose, made an assessment of 180 pounds to pay for land and the minister's maintenance. Res. Hadley, Mass.

2915. i. EDWARD, b. Nov. 11, 1835; d. Aug. 9, 1837.
2916. ii. HENRY, b. July 19, 1838; d. Oct. 1, 1838.
2917. iii. AUSTIN, b. Feb. 11, 1840; m. Orphelia M. Field.
2918. iv. CLARISSA, b. Sept. 19, 1843; d. Nov. 28, 1864.
2919. v. MATILDA, b. Nov. 5, 1845; d. Oct. 23, 1846.
2920. vi. ADIN WILMARTH, b. Dec. 13, 1853; m. Lucinda Pratt.

1506. HON. FREDERICK W. FIELD (Heman, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Leverett, Mass., Jan. 20, 1819; m. May 14, 1843, Caroline Adams, dau. of Ransom and Dolly (Keet), b. Oct. 20, 1819; d. March 3, 1860; m., 2d, Auburn, Mass., Nov. 20, 1861, Sarah M. Rice, b. Aug. 30, 1839, dau. of Compact and Prudence (Wood).

Frederick W. Field, b. at Leverett, Mass., son of Heman Field and Achsah Abbott; was m. at Leverett, Mass., to Caroline Adams, dau. of Capt. Ransom Adams, of Leverett; she d., and he m. Sarah M. Rice, at Auburn, Mass.; both are now living at Leverett. Occupation, farmer. Was a member of the General Court of Massachusetts, session of 1868, and has frequently held offices in the town of Leverett. Ch.: By his first wife—William Fred Field, Leverett, Mass.; and Heman H. Field, Chicago, Ill. By his second wife—Fannie M., wife of Brainard C.

Field, Worcester, Mass.; Lucia M. Field, Leverett, Mass.; Henry J. Field, Greenfield, Mass., and Judson L. Field, Chicago, Ill.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2921. i. WILLIAM FRED, b. April 11, 1855; unm.; res. Leverett.
2922. ii. HEMAN H., b. May 17, 1857; m. Mintie G. Stearns.
2923. iii. FANNIE J., b. May 3, 1864; m. July 25, 1883, Brainard C. Field; res. 202 Beacon street, Worcester, Mass.
2924. iv. LUCIA M., b. Jan. 26, 1869; unm.; res. Leverett.
2925. v. HENRY J., b. May 11, 1870; m. Myrtle Brown.
2926. vi. JUDSON L., b. Oct. 8, 1871; m. Elizabeth Peck Field.

1509. EDWIN G. FIELD (Heman, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Heman and Achsah (Abbott), b. in Leverett, Mass., March 24, 1823. He removed to Amherst, where he resided until he moved to Worcester. An insurance agent. He d. September, 1899. He m. Sept. 20, 1843, Nancy S., dau. of Salmon and Susan G. Clark, of Sunderland, Mass., b. Nov. 5, 1822; d. May 14, 1885. The Worcester Spy says: "As the result of heat prostration Friday, Edwin G. Field, one of the oldest insurance men in this city, died Tuesday morning at his home, 39 Richards street, aged 76 years. He was born in Leverett March 24, 1823. After an education in the public schools and academy near his native town, he went to Amherst, and in 1865 was installed in the insurance business in that town. In 1877 he came to this city and continued in business. For the past nine years he had an office in the Clark building. His wife died in 1885, and his only son, A. Carey Field, teacher in Worcester High School, died five years later. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Edward P. Ingraham." Res. Amherst and Worcester, Mass.

2927. i. AUSTIN CAREY, b. April 14, 1850; m. Mary Barnes.
2928. ii. EDWIN FAYETTE, b. Oct. 26, 1852; d. Aug. 12, 1874.
2929. iii. ROSA EVA, b. Aug. 25, 1858; m. June 23, 1884, Edward P. Ingraham; res. Worcester, Mass. He was son of Emery Dexter and Martha (Preston) Ingraham. Ch.: 1. Winnifred Rose, b. March 17, 1889.

1511. WILLIAM DWIGHT FIELD (William, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of William and Roxana M. (Kellogg), b. in Leverett, Mass., July 22, 1823. He settled in Ware, Mass. In 1852 removed to Washington, D. C.; in 1854 to Springfield, Mass.; in 1858 returned to Ware; in 1879 was in Albany, N. Y.; in 1882 in Hotel Warwick, Springfield. He d. Nov. 28, 1883, in West Springfield. He m. May 2, 1849, Carrie, dau. of Cyrus V. and Nancy (Richardson) French, of Barnard, Vt., b. Nov. 1, 1825. She res. 33 Alaska street, Roxbury, Mass. He was quite a popular hotel man, having been connected with the United States Hotel at Saratoga Springs, Willard's, Washington, and in New York; also twelve years at the Delevan, Albany, N. Y. Res. Springfield, Mass.

2930. i. EMMA MARIA, b. April 21, 1851; unm.; res. 22 Alaska street, Roxbury, Mass.
2931. ii. ANNA DWIGHT, b. Oct. 29, 1852; m. Oct. 8, 1874, Lewis H. Parkhurst, of Boston.
2932. iii. GEORGE PARKER, b. Aug. 20, 1854.
2933. iv. ABBA WILLARD, b. Dec. 12, 1859.

1512. CHARLES HENRY FIELD (William, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of William and Roxana M.

(Kellogg), b. in Benson, Vt., Jan. 20, 1827. Now resides in Leverett. He d. March 3, 1899. He m. May 2, 1848, Nancy Sophia, dau. of Richard and Sophia (Bartlett) Hobart, of Leverett, b. June 29, 1826; d. Oct. 9, 1882. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2934. i. WILLIAM EDGAR, b. Aug. 23, 1849; m. Eliza Cutler.

2935. ii. CHARLES MATTOON, b. Jan. 16, 1851; m. Isabella Lee Smith and Mattie L. Gedney.

2936. iii. IDA ELVIRA, b. March 2, 1853; d. Feb. 4, 1854.

2937. iv. LIZZIE LUELLA, b. Nov. 1, 1854.

1514. STILLMAN KELLOGG FIELD (William, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of William and Roxana W. (Kellogg), b. in Benson, Vt., Dec. 6, 1834. Now resides in Leverett. He m. Jan. 6, 1864, Mary Eliza, dau. of Dexter and Pamelia (Merchant) Moore, of Leverett, Mass., b. Feb. 12, 1838; no issue. He is a farmer. Res. Hillsboro, Mass.

1515. EDWARD PAYSON FIELD (William, William, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of William and Roxana M. (Kellogg), b. in Benson, Vt., July 9, 1837; res. in Leverett; was railroad station agent. He m. Jan. 17, 1866, Martha L., dau. of Seth and Lucy (Gilbert) Wood, of Leverett, b. Sept. 9, 1842. Is a merchant.

Res. 76 Green street, Fitchburg, Mass.

2938. i. RICHARD DWIGHT, b. March 28, 1875.

2939. ii. BERTHA MAY, b. Jan. 12, 1884.

1517. FRARY FIELD (Sylvanus, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Sylvanus and Cynthia (Field), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 28, 1810. He m. September, 1840, Julia A. Comins, of North Hadley, Mass.

Frary Field, of Leverett, died Dec. 20, 1884. Widow, Julia A. Sons, Brainard C. and Alfred T. Field; both of Leverett.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2940. i. ALFRED FRARY, b. June 16, 1843; m. Anna M. Gilbert and Katherine Jane Hendrick.

2941. ii. BRAINARD CORWIN, b. July 22, 1858; m. Fannie J. Field.

1518. DEXTER FIELD (Sylvanus, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Sylvanus and Cynthia (Field), b. in Leverett, Mass., Aug. 9, 1812. He removed in 1847 to Montague; in 1854 to Marlboro, N. H., where he d. Sept. 13, 1867 (town records). He m. March 8, 1837, Celinda, dau. of Deacon Andrew and —— (Spooner), of Oakham, Mass., b. Oct. 7, 1815; d. August, 1894. Was a farmer.

Dexter Field, b. in Leverett, Mass., Aug. 9, 1812, m. Celinda Spooner, of Oakham, Mass., about March, 1835; they lived on a farm in Leverett until the spring of 1847, where his three oldest children were born. He moved on to a farm in Montague, Mass., in the spring of 1847, living there until the spring of 1854, when he traded his farm for one in Marlboro, N. H. In Montague his two daughters were born. He lived in Marlboro until his death on Sept. 3, 1867. In the month of March, 1863, he buried the three youngest children within eight days, of diphtheria. He was of a very social disposition, and was well liked by his friends and neighbors, always willing to lend a helping hand to those in need. In religion he was a Unitarian, and used to sing in the church choir in Montague and Marlboro. He was buried in Marlboro, N. H.; was 55 years and 24 days old.

Res. Marlboro, N. H.

2942. i. CHARLES ALLEN, b. June 25, 1838. He moved to Montague

with his parents when about eight years old, and to Marlboro when about sixteen years. He worked on the farm, attending school in the winter. In the fall of 1861 he enlisted in Company F, Sixth New Hampshire Volunteers; went to New Berne and in the Roanoke expeditions, but was not in any battle, as he was not able to keep up with his regiment. In the spring of 1863 was discharged from the army, from the hospital at Newport, R. I.; was not able to do anything for several months, then only the lightest of work for several years. About 1874 or 1875 he bought a farm in the southwestern part of Jaffry in company with his brother Daniel A., and worked it together for three or four years, finally buying out Daniel and carrying it on alone for three or four years, Finding his health giving out, he was obliged to leave the farm, and worked by the day as he felt able, living with his mother most of the time, until her death in August, 1894. For about a year he lived in the house where his mother died, but failing so fast, he was obliged to go away with other friends, dying in Troy, N. H., about May 15, 1896, of consumption, in his fifty-eighth year. Was buried in Marlboro in the family lot.

2943. ii. DANIEL ADAMS, b. July 19, 1840; m. Mary E. Brown.
2944. iii. ARTHUR WELLS, b. Aug. 2, 1846; m. Sarah D. Stimson.
2945. iv. STELLA CELINDA, b. Aug. 31, 1849; d. March 17, 1863.
2946. v. FRANCIS DEXTER, b. Sept. 15, 1851; d. March 4, 1863.
2947. vi. EDWIN LEROY, b. Nov. 20, 1856; d. March 21, 1863.

1519. JOSEPH SAWYER FIELD (Sylvanus, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Sylvanus and Cynthia (Field), b. in Leverett, Mass., Aug. 19, 1822, where he resided; d. March 21, 1883. He m. March 5, 1845, Sarah B., dau. of Robert Lawton, of Leverett, b. Oct. 4, 1820.

Joseph Sawyer, Leverett, 1883. Widow, Sarah B. Sons, Albert and Herbert S. Daughter, Cynthia Field. All of Leverett. Charles Lawton assisted the sons in settlement of the estate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2948. i. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 11, 1847; d. Sept. 22, 1861.
2949. ii. ALBERT, b. Oct. 25, 1850; m. Mollie Beers; res. Leverett.
2950. iii. CYNTHIA, b. May 5, 1852; m. Sept. 8, 1885, Robert Lawton Peckham; res. Leverett.
2951. iv. FRANKLIN, b. July 6, 1859; d. Feb. 15, 1864.
2952. v. HERBERT S., b. July 6, 1859; m. Sunderland, Mass., May 30, 1883, Louise Field Whitaker, b. May 11, 1865. He is a farmer. Res. s. p., Leverett, Mass.

1522. HARRISON FIELD (Lucius, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Lucius and Virtue (Ashley), b. in Leverett, Mass., June 13, 1813; d. May 20, 1877. He m. Dec. 17, 1835, Persis Jerusha, dau. of Lewis and Elizabeth (Miles) Moore, of Leverett, b. Sept. 9, 1813; d. June 29, 1891.

Harrison, of Leverett. Widow, Persis J. Field. Only child, Bradford M. Field.

Persis J., Leverett, Feb. 2, 1892; died June 29, 1891; no husband. Only next of kin, a son; Bradford M. Field, administrator.—Franklin County Probate.

Res. Leverett, Mass.

2953. i. BRADFORD MOORE, b. March 30, 1838; m. Sarah E. Brown.

WILLIAM DWIGHT FIELD.

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JOSEPH G. FIELD.

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DR. GEORGE E. FULLER.

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Rev. Charles H. Field

Second Mass. Infantry

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PRINCESS BRANCACCIO.

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CAPT. PUTNAM FIELD

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Hay Field.

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1525. WILLIAM EATON FIELD (Levi, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Levi and Rachel (Kingsley), b. in Wilmington, Vt., Aug. 30, 1807. He learned the printer's trade in Brattleboro, Vt., and in 1830 removed to Boston, where he d. Jan. 15, 1876. He m. April 15, 1840, Sarah Rogers, dau. of Josiah and Frances (Fessenden) Nichols, of Phippsburg, Me., b. Feb. 8, 1816.

Petition for administration Feb. 7, 1876. Sarah Rogers Field, widow of deceased, appointed. Deceased husband, William E. Field, died Jan. 15, 1876. Children, Frances K. Bullard, wife of Gardner W. Bullard, daughter, Wm. N. Field, son. All of Boston.—Suffolk County Probate.

Res. Boston, Mass.

2954. i. FRANCES KINGSLEY, b. November, 1842; m. Gardner W. Bullard, of Boston, Mass.

2955. ii. WILLIAM NICHOLS, b. Aug. 29, 1850; m. Sarah B. Coudry.

1531. DEACON DE ESTANG SALISBURY FIELD (Alpheus, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Alpheus and Caroline (Adams), b. in Leverett, Mass., Aug. 24, 1813. A deacon. He was engaged several years in farming. He m. May 21, 1835, Editha Crocker, of Sunderland, Mass., b. April 18, 1817; d. Jan. 17, 1888. He now resides in Los Angeles, Cal., 645 Coronado street. Mr. Field was for many years a merchant in Amherst, Mass. Then for some years he was superintendent of the Working Woman's Home in New York city. He was for many years deacon of the Congregational church in Amherst. Retiring from business in 1876, he went to live in California with his son. While in New York city he was assistant superintendent of schools there. Res. New York, N. Y., and Los Angeles, Cal.

2955. i. SARAH EDITHA, b. Oct. 11, 1836; d. March 14, 1853.

2956. ii. CAROLINE FIDELIA, b. Oct. 7, 1838; m. June 21, 1877, Dr. George E. Fuller, of Monson, Mass. Dr. Fuller, of Monson, Mass., was born Dec. 25, 1838, at Wilbraham, Mass.; is the son of Jonathan Smith and Abiah (Hyde) Fuller; grandson of Ephraim Fuller, and is of the eighth generation from Edward, brother of Dr. Samuel Fuller, who came to this country in the Mayflower in 1620, and settled at Plymouth. After an elementary education in the public schools, he became a clerk in the drug store of Dr. Wm. Holbrook, at Palmer, Mass., 1854-56; was graduated from Williston Seminary, Easthampton, Mass., in 1859; matriculated at Amherst College, class of 1863, and received the degree of A.B. (extraordinary) from the same in 1893, his course having been interrupted by army service. He was hospital steward of the Twenty-seventh Massachusetts Volunteers, 1861-64, and as hospital steward of the United States army, was stationed at the Army Medical Museum, Washington, D. C., 1864-66; attended two courses of lectures at the University of Georgetown, Medical Department, and was graduated M.D., in 1865; also took a course of study at the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital in 1889. Dr. Fuller practised medicine in Brimfield, Mass., 1866-68, and has been located at Monson since the latter year. He is a member of Eastern Hampden Medical Association, president in 1880-94; of Hampden District Medical Society, president in 1894; of the Massachusetts Medical Society, councillor for several years; of the American Medical Association; Ameri-

can Academy of Medicine; of the New England Meteorological Society; president of Monson Free Library since 1877; a director in Monson National bank since 1891; examining surgeon for state aid, 1867-68; is past master in Day Spring Lodge, F. and A. M.; and surgeon of Marcus Keep Post, Grand Army of the Republic. Dr. Fuller is the author of papers on "Typhoid Fever," "Eclampsia," "Post Partum Hemorrhage," "Epilepsy," "Diphtheria," etc., read before the various medical societies.

Dr. Fuller m. 1865, Hattie S. Green, of Monson, who d. in 1876, leaving one child, Alice Green, b. 1866; m., 2d, Carolina F. Field; m., 3d, 1892, Asenath S. Green, of Wales, Mass. She d. s. p. Nov. 9, 1891.

2957. iii. EDWARD SALISBURY, b. Oct. 30, 1840; m. Sarah M. Hubbard.
2958. iv. MARY S., b. Sept. 3, 1844; d. Feb. 9, 1845.
2959. v. FRANCES FELICIA, b. Oct. 7, 1847; d. Sept. 27, 1850.

1533. REV. LEVI ALPHEUS FIELD (Alpheus, Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Alpheus and Caroline (Adams), b. in Leverett, Mass., Sept. 17, 1821; graduated at Amherst College in 1846; studied theology at Andover, Mass.; was ordained in 1849, and preached in Mitteneague and West Springfield, Mass., about two years and a half, when he was settled over the Union Congregational church in Marlboro, Mass., Aug. 31, 1853, where he d. October, 1859. He m. March 4, 1851, Nancy M. Holmes, of Monson, Mass.

2960. i. EMMA W., b. Oct. 20, 1857; m. Jan. 19, 1878, Harlan Page, of Monson, Mass.

1534. MOSES SPELLMAN FIELD (Jonathan, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Stanstead, Canada, June 9, 1811; m. Dec. 21, 1837, Margaret Innes Gibb, dau. of Rev. Joseph, late of Banff, Scotland, b. April 25, 1815; d. March 29, 1897. The residence of the family is near the old homestead in Stanstead. Mr. Field has studied and traveled a great deal of his life, but of late has lived at home. A farmer and mechanic. He was the inventor of the hand drag hay rake. He d. April 13, 1887. Res. Stanstead, Canada.

2961. i. JOSEPH GIBB, b. Oct. 20, 1838; unm.; is a farmer; res. Stanstead.
2962. ii. ALONZO, b. Sept. 18, 1840; d. San Francisco, Cal., April 1, 1879.
2963. iii. EDWARD S., b. Feb. 1, 1841; m. Phœbe A. Tichworth.
2964. iv. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 4, 1845; d. Sept. 16, 1874, Albert Clark, of Stanstead.
2965. v. HELEN MARGARET, b. May 5, 1847; unm.; res. Stanstead.
2966. vi. DAVID GIBB, b. Feb. 27, 1849; m. Ella Tilton.
2967. vii. MARY ANNA, b. Aug. 6, 1852; d. Jan. 24, 1885.

1542. OSMOND H. FIELD (Moses, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Leverett, Mass., May 10, 1830. In 1849 he engaged in the book peddling business, but not proving profitable, he abandoned it. In 1852 he started to look up a home, and after traveling 1,500 miles on horseback, he finally, in 1853, settled as a farmer in Kiantone, Chautauqua county, N. Y., where he now resides. He has taken an active part in all public affairs, church, school and agricultural societies, and is a man of considerable influence in all affairs. He m. Feb. 7, 1854, Lydia A., dau. of Imri and Mary (Hale) Perry, of Kiantone, b. in Dover, Vt., Jan. 9, 1830. Res. Kiantone, N. Y.

2968. i. CAROLINE MARIE, b. July 4, 1860; m. June 3, 1879, Richard

Howard, of Frewsburg, N. Y. Res. Jamestown, N. Y. She was b. July 16, 1855. Ch.: 1. Louis Field Howard, b. Aug. 11, 1880; postoffice address, Jamestown, N. Y. 2. Inez Lydia Howard, b. Jan. 29, 1882; postoffice address, Jamestown, N. Y. 3. Richard Harley Howard, b. Sept. 11, 1883; postoffice address, Jamestown, N. Y. 4. Ralph Montague Howard, b. Feb. 1, 1890; postoffice address, Jamestown, N. Y.

2969. ii. FREDERICK CLINTON, b. July 11, 1865; m. E. Blanche Garfield.

1544. MOSES FIELD (Moses, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses and Rhoda (Putnam), b. in Leverett, Mass., Nov. 12, 1833. He settled in 1855 in Michigan; in 1857 in the State of New York; in 1858 returned to Leverett, satisfied with his experience in the western country, and concluded Leverett was as good a place as could be found, where he resided. He d. Feb. 1, 1900. He m. Aug. 1, 1864, Ellen M., dau. of Charles D. and Eliza (Howard) Hobart, of Leverett, b. ——; d. March 27, 1874. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2970. i. CHARLES HOBART, b. 1865. Lieut. Charles H. Field was a native of Leverett, where his father, Moses Field, a well known farmer, still resides. He was thirty-three years old, and many years ago, after leaving home, was apprenticed to a farmer. He did not like the work on a farm, came to Greenfield and found employment in one of the shops. For the past ten years or even more he has been employed by Wells Brothers & Co., manufacturers of tools. He has been one of their skilled draftsmen and superintendent of the No. 2 factory. He made his home at the residence of Mrs. H. C. Denham. He was unmarried. He has been for several years a member of the Republican lodge of Masons, and at the time he left Greenfield he held the office of junior warden of the lodge, and was the captain-general of Connecticut Valley commandery. He was an ardent lover of the wheel, and was always relied upon to organize the bicycle riders for the parades. He was active in the fire department, and one of its officers. When L company was organized, Nov. 21, 1887, he enlisted and worked his way up from private to first lieutenant. He was an excellent soldier, and had hosts of friends and acquaintances. He was anxious to go to the front, and considered it a duty to serve his country. His mother died a number of years ago. He was unmarried. When Company L was organized Nov. 21, 1887, Charles H. Field enlisted in the ranks and worked his way up. He was elected second lieutenant April 17, 1891, and May 6, 1892, was elected first lieutenant. He has been a thorough, loyal soldier, working hard for the success of the company and regiment. When the call for volunteers came, Lieutenant Field was anxious to go. He said it was a pleasure to serve his country. He was somewhat afraid that he might not pass the physical examination of the United States officers, and rejoiced when he was accepted in the war with Spain. He was shot through the forehead at El Caney, near Santiago, July 1, 1898, dying almost instantly. His body was brought home in March, 1899, and after impressive funeral services in Greenfield,

taken to Leverett for burial. Lieutenant Field had resided in Greenfield sixteen years.—Greenfield paper.

2971. ii. MOSES EDWARD, b. October, 1870; d. May 21, 1881.

1546. CAPTAIN PUTNAM FIELD (Moses, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses and Rhoda C. (Putnam), b. in Leverett, Nov. 10, 1836. In 1854 he entered a printing office in Winsted, Conn., to learn the art and mysteries of the printer's trade, where he continued two years. He then spent a short time in Hartford, Conn.; from there he started on the usual round of young printers, and previous to 1860 had worked in the various cities and towns from Massachusetts to South Carolina. On the breaking out of the war of the rebellion in 1861, was working in Brooklyn, N. Y.

He enlisted April 17, 1861, as a private in Company I, Tenth Regiment, New York State Volunteers, or National Zouaves, and was appointed sergeant. In June, the regiment embarked by steamer for Fortress Monroe, Va. The regiment was in reserve at the battle of Big Bethel, Va., June 10, 1861. The regiment garrisoned Fortress Monroe until the spring of 1862. He was appointed orderly sergeant July 1, 1861. The regiment was engaged in the capture of Norfolk, Va., May 10, 1862, when it was ordered to join the army of the Potomac before Richmond, where it arrived soon after the battle of Fair Oaks, May 10, 1862, and joined Warren's Brigade, General Syke's division, Fifth Army Corps, in which he received his first baptism of fire at Gaines Mill, June 27, 1862, where he was slightly wounded. He was at Malvern Hill, but not actively engaged. The regiment then removed to Harrison's Landing, where it remained a few weeks. On July 8, 1862, he was commissioned second lieutenant of Company K. From Harrison's Landing they marched to Newport News, and took steamer to Acquia Creek, and marched from there to Falmouth and across the country to Manassas Junction, and participated in the second battle of Bull Run, Aug. 30, 1862, after which the regiment marched to the works about Washington, and soon started through Maryland without being in any conflict; arrived at Antietam, "where, owing to the extreme care our then commander had for his soldiers, we were allowed to be passive observers of the magnificent battle which was fought there by others, Sept. 16 and 17, 1862." Soon after the regiment was transferred to the Second Army Corps at Harper's Ferry, the third brigade, third division, which in November marched to Falmouth and participated in the battle of Fredericksburg, Dec. 13, 1862. On Feb. 8, 1863, he was promoted to first lieutenant. Nothing of any importance transpired until April, when the term of enlistment of the regiment having expired, it was ordered home. There being some men in the regiment who had enlisted after its organization, they were consolidated into four companies, and made a battalion under Maj. Geo. F. Hopper. April 23, 1863, Lieutenant Field was commissioned captain of Company C. The battalion was detailed as provost guard of the division (Captain Dewey, provost marshal) which participated in the battle of Chancellorsville, May 2 and 3, 1863. The regiment marched from Falmouth to Gettysburg, Pa., and was engaged in that battle July 2 and 3, 1863. From there back into Virginia as far as the Rapidan (during the march Captain Field was made provost marshal), where several skirmishes took place. Quite a battle was sprung on the division at Bristow Station, Oct. 14, 1863, on the march back to Bull Run; from there returned to the Rapidan and went on the Mine Run expedition across the river, starting on Thanksgiving day. The regiment returned across the Rapidan and went into winter quarters at Stevensburg, Va. From there Captain Field was ordered to New York on recruiting service, where he remained until August, when he rejoined his regiment before Petersburg, and was present during a flank movement to Deep Bottom; at the mine

explosion (at safe distance) and at the battle of Reams Station, Aug. 21, 1864. Soon after was taken sick and sent to the hospital at Annapolis, Md., and a few weeks after was sent to the Draft Rendezvous at Springfield, Ill., where he acted as provost marshal of the camp until he was ordered home for mustering out of service. He was honorably discharged at New York, July 19, 1865, after four years and three months continuous service. In the fall of 1865 he opened a printing office at No. 561 Broadway, New York, and the next year took as partner F. B. Fisher, and removed to No. 19 Chatham street, where he continued until the spring of 1872, when he sold out to his partner and removed to Greenfield, Mass., where in March, 1872, he opened a printing office, and in 1873 went into partnership with E. A. Hall, doing business under the firm of Field & Hall. They also dealt in stationery and printers' supplies.

He removed in 1887 to San Diego, Cal., where he now resides. He m. Nov. 16, 1869, Kate M., dau. of William and Mary (Whitney) Burt, of Scriba, Oswego county, N. Y., b. July 7, 1845; d. Oct. 14, 1876. She was a graduate of the high and training school of Oswego, N. Y., and was a teacher in the schools of the city of New York. M., 2d, July 1, 1880, Anna M., dau. of Henry and Susan M. (Field) McGaffey, of Stanstead, Providence of Quebec, Canada, b. Feb. 10, 1847.

Kate M., of Greenfield, Oct. 14, 1876, died. Only son, William P., minor, aged five years. Putnam Field, husband, appointed administrator.—Franklin County Probate.

2972. i. CHARLES CLIFTON, b. July 20, 1870; d. Aug. 3, 1870.

2973. ii. WILLIAM PUTNAM, b. Aug. 27, 1871; unm.; res. Brooklyn, N. Y. His parents lived in Jersey City, N. J., at the time, but soon removed to Greenfield, Mass. At the age of five his mother died, and he found his home for four year with relatives in North Hadley, Mass., and Scriba, N. Y. In 1880 he returned to Greenfield to live with his father and stepmother, and entered the public schools. In 1888 his parents removed to San Diego, Cal., and he returned to Scriba, N. Y., and entered the Oswego High School, where he graduated in 1889. In February of the coming year he went to California and took a position with the West Coast Match Co. The enterprise, however, was not a success, such that in the fall of that year he went to San Diego to become a salesman in the wholesale hardware house of Todd & Hawley. Here he remained for two years and a half, but in February, 1893, he resigned to take a similar position with Hawley Bros. Hardware Co., of San Francisco. In July, 1894, the spirit of change again came over him, and he left the United States to travel in Mexico, where he spent several months in quest of pleasure, profit and opportunity. After stopping some weeks in the city of Mexico, and visiting all of the other principal cities and places of interest, he passed through Vera Cruz and Yucatan to Cuba. Here he found an unsettled condition; the revolution which was to result in Cuban freedom was at hand and business was affected, so he soon took steamer and landed in New York the last of the year. Here he soon became identified with the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, holding positions of trust and responsibility, and is at the present time cashier. Early in 1889 Mr. Field was appointed to the West Point Military Academy by Congressman Nutting, of Oswego, and on June 14 he reported for examination, but did not succeed in entering, as

he was rejected by the surgeons on account of weight. While in California he served in the National Guard as a private and corporal in Company A, 9th Regiment of San Diego, and as an ordinary seaman in Company D, Naval Battalion of San Francisco. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war he, with others, was active in raising a provisional regiment, a tent being erected for the purpose in Union Square, New York city. Twenty-two hundred men were recruited, but the regiment was never mustered, as the National Guard filled the full quota of the State. Mr. Field then assisted in organizing the 109th Regiment of the National Guard of New York, and was assigned to the command of Company D, and commissioned a first lieutenant by Governor Black. The regiment was "mustered in" June 22, and the summer and fall were spent in preparing for active service, but the war was soon over, and after seven months of readiness, the regiment was "mustered out" Jan. 12, 1899, Lieutenant Field being rendered supernumerary.

2974. iii. KATE LOUISA, b. Oct. 17, 1873; d. July 25, 1874.
2975. iv. HERBERT DEXTER, b. Sept. 27, 1881; res. San Diego, Cal.

1549. HERBERT FITZHENRY FIELD (Moses, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses and Rhoda C. (Putnam), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 9, 1842. When a boy he entered a store in Amherst, Mass., to learn the mercantile business. In 1865 he removed to Kiantone, N. Y., where he engaged in farming until 1868, when he removed to Council Bluffs, Iowa, and engaged in mercantile business as hardware merchant. He m. Sept. 25, 1862, Jennie Isabella, dau. of Emerson and Barbara (Smith) Russell, of Amherst, Mass., b. Nov. 12, 1842. He d. April 3, 1894. Res. Council Bluffs, Iowa.

2976. i. ADELLA ELNORA, b. 1863; d. 1864.
2977. ii. ANNA, b. 1865; d. 1869.
2978. iii. HERBERT FITZHENRY, b. March 12, 1876.
2979. iv. EDITHA BELLE, b. Oct. 29, 1877.
2980. v. CLIFTON RUSSELL, b. Feb. 27, 1881.

1551. GEORGE EDWARD FIELD (Moses, Moses, Jonathan, Joseph, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Moses and Rhoda C. (Putnam), b. in Leverett, Mass., May 26, 1846, where he resided on the old homestead of Capt. Jonathan Field. He d. May 28, 1895. He m. June 8, 1870, Louisa, dau. of Elisha and Maria J. (Adams) Ingram, of Leverett, b. March 25, 1848; d. April 8, 1881.

George E., Leverett, May 28, 1895. Myra S., b. Dec. 8, 1877; minor and child of George E. Field, of Leverett, and Ella Louisa, his wife, now deceased. Austin Field, of Hadley, appointed guardian, May 22, 1895.—Franklin County Probate. Res. Leverett, Mass.

2981. i. AMANDA ELIZABETH, b. July 25, 1872.
2982. ii. GEORGE MARTIN, b. Oct. 13, 1873; d. June 15, 1874.
2983. iii. ELMIRA STEBBINS, b. Dec. 8, 1877.
2984. iv. GEORGIA LOUISA, b. March 1, 1880.

1560. JOHN FIELD (John, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., March 22, 1748; m. Oct. 28, 1770, Marcy Searle, dau. of Solomon, b. 1747; d. Sept. 28, 1813. His will was probated Dec. 15, 1811. His sons John and Simeon were executors.

Will of John Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 3. No. A4085. Will Book 10, page 661.—In the Name of God Amen, I John Field of Providence in the County of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Yeoman, being of a sound disposing Mind and Memory and knowing that "it is appointed unto all Men once to die" Do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. That is to say:

Firstly, I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Marcy Field all my Household Furniture and all Monies and Sureties for Money that shall belong to me at the time of my decease, either on Book, Account, Bond, or Note—Together with all the Residue of my Personal Estate after the payment of my just Debts and the Legacies and Bequests hereinafter mentioned—

Item. I Give and Devise unto my beloved Son Benjamin Field his heirs and assigns forever, the House wherein I now dwell and the Garden attached thereto and the Lot of Land on which said House is situated extending Southly as far as Potters Street and fronting on High Street—I also give to my said Son Benjamin his heirs and assigns forever the other Garden pertaining to said Dwelling House, together with all the Land owned by me lying between Elbow Street, John Field Street and High Street, and one half of the Barn standing on High Street and Elbow Street—

Item. I Give and Devise unto my beloved Son Simeon Field the Lots of Land called the Orchard lying between said John Field Street, the Gangway, the old House Lot and Chesnut Street, to be and remain unto him his heirs and assigns forever. In like manner I give unto my said Son Simeon the other half of the Barn aforementioned standing on High Street and Elbow Street.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my beloved Son John Field his heirs and assigns forever, the Land owned by me lying between Potters Street, High Street and Elbow Street.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my beloved Son Isaac Field his heirs and assigns forever the Lot of Land whereon his Dwelling House stands, together with the Lot adjoining bounded on Chesnut Street.

Item. The Tract of Land lying on the West side of the Street or Road leading to the Hospital, extending from said Road One hundred feet deep and Northerly from Capt. Isaac Manchester's Line, to the Line of the Road leading from Benjamin Harris', I give and Devise to my said Sons John, Samuel, Isaac and the heirs of my deceased Son Joseph Field, their heirs and assigns forever, to be possessed in equal Portions, as follows, to wit, First John to begin at the North Bound and take one quarter, next to him Samuel to take one quarter, next to him Isaac one quarter, and next to him the heirs of Joseph one quarter.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my Five beloved Daughters, Mary Field, Zerviah Field, Sarah Pirce the Wife of Oliver Pirce, Abigail Field and Hannah Field, their heirs and assigns forever the Lots of Land owned by me, lying on the East side of the Road or Street leading to the Hospital, and opposite to the Tract last before Devised (said Lots being Ninety-five feet deep from said Street) to be divided amongst my said five Daughters in manner following, to wit, Sarah to begin and take one Lot forty feet deep, situated in the Comon, opposite to the portion devised before to my said Son John; And my four remaining Daughters to take each an equal Division of the Remainder of said Lots, Point Street is to be taken equally out of the Lots adjoining it on each Side. I also give unto my said five Daughters their heirs and assigns forever, Share and Share alike, the House Lot and House thereon standing which I lately purchased of Eben Simmons.

Item. I Give and devise to my beloved Son William Field, his heirs and assigns

forever, One Lot of Land on the South side of South Street forty feet by ninety-five feet, joining the Lot herein before devised to my Daughter Sarah.

Item. I Give and Devise unto the rightful heirs of my deceased Son Joseph Field, their heirs and assigns forever, the Lot of Land opposite to the one last devised to my said Son William, being also forty feet by ninety five feet.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my said Son Samuel Field his heirs and assigns forever, Two lots of Land owned by me lying on the Pawtuxet Road, adjoining Capt. William Pabodie's Lot each of which Lots is forty feet in front and extend back ninety-five feet.

Item. One Acre of the Land lying on the Road leading to the Burying Ground, and adjoining the Land of Samuel Clark and my Brother Daniel Field (to run in Form with the Westerly Line of my said Brother Daniel) I give and devise in Manner following, to wit, To my said Son John Field one quarter of an Acre adjoining Samuel Clark's Land and extending in length with said Clarks Line; Then to my said Son Isaac one quarter of an Acre to be taken next to John's; Then to my said Son William one quarter of an Acre to be taken next to Isaac's; Then to the heirs of my deceased Son Joseph one quarter of an Acre to be taken next to William's, to be and remain unto them the said John, Isaac, William and the heirs of Joseph their heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I Give and Devise the Land owned by me lying on the Cranston Road, and bounded on the Cross Road leading to my Brother Daniel's line as follows, to wit, To my said Son John two Acres and an half, so taken as to make a Square; Then to my said Son Isaac two Acres and an half to be taken next to John: Then to my said son William two Acres and an half to be taken next to Isaac, to be and remain unto them the said John, Isaac and William their heirs and assigns forever. And my Will is that all the Lots herein devised which shall require it by reason of the Divisions which I have directed to be made be sufficiently Fenced before they are improved and that the same be done without any expense to my said Sons Simeon and Benjamin.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my said Son Samuel his heirs and assigns forever, the Land owned by me in Cranston adjoining the Land of Governor Fenner, Burgess and William Potter together with the Dwelling House thereon standing.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my said Sons Samuel, Simeon and Benjamin, their heirs and assigns forever all that Wood Lot belonging to me in Johnston together with the Meadow in Cranston adjoining Land of William Potter and Capt. William Field.

Item. I Give and Devise unto my said Sons Simeon Field and Benjamin Field, their heirs and assigns forever share and share alike all the Lands which I may be seized and possessed of at the time of my decease not herein before devised, they making up whatever deficiency there may be (if any) in my personal Estate towards the payment of all my just debts.

Item. I Give and Bequeath unto my said Sons Simeon and Benjamin, all my Stock, Farming Utensils, Tackling and Apparatus of every kind whatever, to be equally divided between them Share and Share alike.

Item. I Give and Bequeath unto my said Sons John, Simeon, Samuel, William, Isaac and Benjamin, all my wearing Apparel, to be divided equally between them Share and Share alike.

Lastly. I hereby Nominate, Constitute and appoint my said Sons John Field, and Simeon Field joint Executors of this my last Will and Testament; hereby revoking and annulling all former Wills by me made and establishing and confirming this and this only as and for my last Will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I the said John Field have hereunto set my Hand and

Seal the Ninth Day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eleven. John Field—[L. S.]

Signed Sealed published pronounced and declared by the said John Field, as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our Names as Witnesses.

The name of "Samuel in the 5th line 2d page and the same name in the eighth line of said page and in the 34th line of sd page wrote on an erasure and the word 'time' in the 3d page interlined before signing.

Samuel Thurber
Step. Hopkins
Nathan W. Jackson

Proved December 16, 1811.

He d. Dec. 11, 1811. Res. Providence, R. I.

2985. i. JOHN, b. Jan. 18, 1771; m. Amey Larkin.
2986. ii. SIMEON, b. 1772: m. Mary A. Warner.
2987. iii. WILLIAM, b. March 6, 1777; m. Betsey Larkin.
2988. iv. SAMUEL, b. ——; m. Nancy French.
2989. v. JOSEPH, b. Aug. 5, 1778; m. Susannah Larkin.
2990. vi. ISAAC, b. 1782; m. Sally Berry.
2991. vii. SOLOMON, b. ——; d. unm. In will of his father John no mention is made of a Solomon. Neither is he mentioned in Uncle Daniel will.
2992. viii. BENJAMIN, b. ——; m. Sabra Fiske.
2993. ix. LYDIA, b. ——; d. unm.
2994. x. MARY, b. ——; d. unm.
2995. xi. ZERVIAH, b. ——; m. Feb. 9, 1820, John Wallen. She d. in Providence. Ch.: 1. Julia, m. ——Eslick. 2. Adeline. 3. Polly.
2996. xii. SARAH, b. 1779; m. Nov. 9, 1809, Oliver Price. She d. 1830. Ch.: 1. William, m. Amanda Gorham; had William. 2. Allen B. 3. Rebecca, d. young. 4. Ebenezer.
2997. xiii. ABBY, b. 1780; m. Sept. 24, 1812, Philip Potter. She d. 1844. Ch.: 1. Abby, d. unm. 2. James, d. in infancy. 3. Frances A., m. W. B. Davenport. 4. James, d. unm., July 6, 1845. 5. Philip, d. young. 6. Thomas, unm. 7. Philipina, d. young.
Arnold V. S., 7, 429.
Rev. James Wilson records her name as Abigail W. Field.
2998. xiv. HANNAH, b. ——; m. Gerard Curtis. She d. s. p.

1561. LEMUEL FIELD (John, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Dec. 8, 1750; m. Nov. 14, 1779, Rachel Downing, dau. of William, of Newport, R. I., b. Feb. 1, 1762; d. Feb. 8, 1814. He d. March 22, 1833. Res. Providence, R. I.

2999. i. LEMUEL, b. ——; m. Mary Harding.
3000. ii. WILLIAM DOWNING, b. 1785; d. unm. Oct. 15, 1824.
3001. iii. THOMAS, b. November, 1787; d. Dec. 4, 1790.
3002. iv. DANIEL, b. 1789 (see Daniel following).
3003. v. NANCY, b. August, 1780; d. Oct. 26, 1781.
3004. vi. CATHERINE, b. 1772; m. Nov. 19, 1830, William James. She d. 1875. Res. Providence. Ch.: 1. Mary, m. J. P. Helmas; two ch., Ceete and Mary. 2. Samuel, m. Tabitha Rhodes; 3 ch.

3. Almira, d. 4. Andrew, J., b. 1817; d. unm. 5. O. H. Perry, m.; ch.; res. in the west.

1562. DANIEL FIELD (John, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., May 19, 1755; m. Zipporah Benjamin, dau. of Phinehas, of Canterbury, Conn., b. April 8, 1763; d. Dec. 5, 1840, s. p. Her will was probated Dec. 29, 1840. Daniel was executor. His will was probated Jan. 28, 1830. His son Daniel was executor. He had no children, but adopted Daniel, son of his brother Lemuel above, 3002.

B. 21, 411. From John Field (p. 37), June 27, 1786. Ship street.

Samuel (154)

To Ann Nichols Field.

To Catherine James, widow of William.

Will of Daniel Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 6. No. A5265. Will Book 13, page 487.—In the Name of God Amen. I Daniel Field of Providence in the County of Providence State of Rhode Island and Providence plantations Yeoman While in tolerable health, calling to mind that all men must die have thought fit and do make and ordain this my last will and testament to wit,

First. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Zipporah Field her heirs and assigns forever, the following property to wit

All the household furniture all Cash on hand my Cows and all the grain and provisions which may be on hand at the time of my decease,

Second. I give and bequeath to my said wife the rents profits and possession of my Mansion house and lot on chesnut Street with the Garden adjoining the same which is on the East side of the house and a priviledge in the wood house also the pew Number fifty-four on the broad Aisle of the Methodist Chappel for and during the term her Natural life.

Third. I give and bequeath to my said wife the profits and dividends that may arise from twenty Shares in the Roger Williams thirty Shares in the Exchange Bank Forty Shares in the Union Bank, and Seventy Shares in the Mechanics Bank for and during her natural life.

Fourth. I give and devise to my Nephew John Field one-half part of a lot of land on the Pawtuxet turn pike Road containing about one half of one acre being the Southwesterly part adjoining land of his Excelency James Fenner and the remaining half part of said lot I give and devise to Simeon Field and Benjamin Field my Nephews by them to be equally divided.

Fifth. I give and devise to my Nephew William Field all my right title interest and Claim in and to a certain lot of land with the dwelling house and all other improvements thereon Standing Situated on the Westerly side of Chesnut Street being the Mansion house of my Honored Father John Field deceased.

Sixth. I have divided a Certain tract of land which is Situated on the Northerly side of Friendship Street into ten house lots and have numbered them from one to ten commencing at a street leading to the burying Ground and proceeding on said Friendship Street Westerly the first or Number one I give and devise to my Nephew Isaac Field measuring forty feet on Friendship Street holding its course at right angles with said Friendship Street on the westerly line, bounded Northerly on land of William Field on which it measures about Twenty five feet to him the said Isaac his heirs and assigns forever. I give and devise to Bennet H. Wheeler lot Number two measuring forty feet on Friendship Street and holding its width to land of William Field, to him his heirs and assigns forever, I give to Samuel W. Wheeler Number three measuring forty feet on Friendship Street and holding its width to land of William Field to him his heirs and assigns forever, I give

to James Wheeler his heirs and assigns forever lot Number four forty feet on Friendship Street and ninety-five feet back at right angles, I give to Oliver W. Field his heirs and assigns lot Number five forty feet on Friendship Street and holding its width ninety-five feet back; I give to Joseph Harris Field lot Number Six forty feet on Friendship Street, and holding its width ninety-five feet back to him his heirs and assigns forever, I give to Green B. Field son of Joseph Field his heirs and assigns forever lot number Seven, measuring forty feet on Friendship Street, holding its width back ninety-five feet, I give and devise to John Field son of Joseph his heirs and assigns lot number Eight measuring forty feet on Friendship Street and holding its width back ninety-five feet, I give and devise to Albert Field grandson of my Brother Lemuel Field his heirs and assigns lot number nine measuring forty feet on Friendship Street, and holding its width back ninety five feet.

Seventh. I give to my Sister Lydia Bowler the sum of fiftv Dollars, I give to my Sister Abigail Proud the sum of fifty Dollars, I give to the Daughters ot my Brother John Field, to wit Sally Price, Polly Field Zerviah Wallen, Abigail Potter and Hannah Curtis one hundred Dollars each.

I give to the Daughters of my Brother Joseph Field, to wit, Susan Field, Genette Warring, Rebecca Peckham and Betsey Field one hundred Dollars each. I give to Ann Fry fifty Dollars, I give to Betsey Richmond wife of Galen Richmond one hundred Dollars, I give to Nancy Field wife or widow of Samuel Field one hundred Dollars, I give to Ann Nichols Field fifty Dollars, I give to Catherine James Widow of William James fifty Dollars, all the foregoing legacies to be paid to them by my executor hereinafter named within one year from my decease.

Eighth. I give and devise to the trustees of the Methodist Society in Providence pews number twenty one sixty-nine and Eighty-nine to be by them lett or sold as they may think best, and the rents or interest that may arise from them to be annually paid to the poor of the Methodist Church in said Town forever.

Ninth after all my just debts and all necessary expenses are paid together with the legacies aforesaid I give and devise all my Estate both real and personal of every kind and description to my Nephew Daniel Field Junr his heirs and assigns forever hereby intending to make him my Residuary Legatee, he having been brought up by me from a child enjoining upon him to maintain and Support his Father and my Brother Lemuel Field during his Natural Life.

Tenth I do hereby Constitute and appoint my said Nephew Daniel Field Junr, my sole Executor of this my last will and testament, hereby annulling and making void all other and former wills by me made and rattifying this and this only as my last will and testament given under my hand and Seal at Providence this twenty-seventh day of Febuary A D. Eighteen hundred and twenty-Eight.

Daniel Field. (L.S.)

The Foregoing Instrument was signed and Sealed in our presence and in the presence of each other and by Daniel Field declared to be his last will and testament on the 27th day of Febuary A D 1828

Stephen Branch
James Snow
Cyrus Barker

Proved January 25, 1830.

Will of Zipporah Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 5. No. A6088. Will Book 14, page 344.—Be it remembered that I, Zipporah Field, of Providence, in the County of Providence, and State of Rhode Island, widow of Daniel Field late of said Providence, deceased, being sane in mind, though weak and debilitated in body, in view

of approaching dissolution, do make this my Last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say:

First. My Will and pleasure is, that my Executor herein after named shall first pay all my just debts and funeral expenses, immediately after my decease.

Secondly. I give and bequeath to my nephew Daniel Field, son of Lemuel Field, my eight day clock, my great chair, the same that was formerly occupied by his hon'd uncle Daniel Field dec'd: Also my great bible, the Life of Christ, and Carter's Letters, to him, his heirs and assigns forever.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to James Snow, a note of hand which I now hold against my said nephew, Daniel Field, for three hundred and twenty-five dollars, or any other note that may be given in renewal of said note: Also, my sideboard, with the case and furniture belonging to the same: also, my largest looking glass, to him his heirs, and assigns forever.

Fourthly. I give and bequeath to my niece Cornelia Benjamin, my best bed, and the bed whereon I now sleep, together with the bedsteads, cords, bolsters, pillows, and all the bedclothing thereto belonging: Also, all my table linen and napkins; also, my firepiece, shovel and tongs, brass andirons, eight framed chairs, one rocking chair, my best mahogany stand, all my flower-pots, one pair Pembroke tables, my best carpet, all the crockery in the China Closet all my silver spoons, both large and small, and silver sugar tongs; also, all the Bank Stock that I may own at the time of my decease; to her, her heirs and assigns, forever.

Fifthly. I give and bequeath to my namesake Zipporah B. Field, my second sized looking glass, one three and a half feet cherry tree dining table, one mahogany stand, commonly kept in my lodging room, my second sized brass kettle; also, my warming piece, together with the likeness of the father of Our Country, George Washington: to her, her heirs and assigns, forever.

Sixthly. I give and bequeath to Betsey Field, wife of William Field, my large brass kettle; also, my satin mantle; to her, and her heirs and assigns, forever.

Seventhly. I give and bequeath to Anstis Horswell, my case of drawers, and the book-case belonging thereto: Also, should there be any property remaining after my Executor hereinafter named shall have paid my debts and funeral expenses as aforesaid, then I give and bequeath to said Anstis Horswell, thirty dollars, in addition to the bequest before made to her; the same to be paid to her by my said Executor as soon as may be after my decease, to her her heirs and assigns, forever.

Eighthly. I give and bequeath to Harris Field, son of Joseph Field, dec'd, my best desk, to him, his heirs and assigns, forever.

Ninthly. I give and bequeath all the residue and remainder of my household furniture, not before enumerated and given away, to Mary Cory, wife of Caleb Cory, Sarah Mumford, wife of James Mumford, and Abby Parker, daughter of Bartrum Parker, in equal proportions, share and share alike, to them, their heirs and assigns, forever.

Tenthly. I give and bequeath all my provisions, groceries, vegetables of every kind, also all my fuel that may remain on hand, after my decease, to the Methodist Church to which I belong, in trust to be distributed by them to my most needy sisters belonging to said Church, after my decease, in such way and manner as they may think best and most proper.

Eleventhly. I give, devise and bequeath unto said James Snow and Cornelia Benjamin, all the residue and remainder of my Estate and estates, whether real or personal, to them, their heirs and assigns forever, in equal proportions.

Lastly. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my said nephew, Daniel Field my sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament; hereby revoking and

annulling all other and former Wills by me made, and establishing and confirming this, and this only, as my Last Will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof, I do hereunto set my hand and seal, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the Year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two. Zipporah Field (L. S.)

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced, and declared by the said Zipporah Field, as and for her Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at the same time, at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other, hereunto set our names as witnesses to the same.

Hiram Barker,
Joseph W. Davis,
Robert Knight.

Proved December 29, 1840.

He d. Jan. 4, 1830. Res. Providence, R. I.

3005. i. DANIEL, b. in 1789 (adopted from his brother Lemuel); m. Lucy P. Brown.

1563. JOSEPH FIELD (John, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., June, 1763; m. Dec. 1, 1785, Prudence Carpenter, dau. of Oliver, d. Aug. 25, 1807; m., 2d, Oct. 16, 1808, Mrs. Eliza (Usher) Burrows; m., 3d, Oct. 7, 1819, Phebe Waller. His estate was administered upon July 17, 1826, by his widow, Phebe. He d. in 1826. Res. Providence, R. I.

3006. i. J. WARREN, b. ——; m. Sally Taber.
3007. ii. HARRIS, b. ——; d. unm.
3008. iii. SUSAN, b. ——; d. unm. Oct. 4, 1843.
3009. iv. JEANETTE, b. ——; m. Hamilton A. Warren. Ch.: 1. Joseph. 2. Caroline. 3. Sarah.
3011. v. REBECCA W., b. ——; m. Sept. 18, 1821, Isaac Peckham. Ch.: 1. John. 2. Anne. 3. Eliza.
3011. vi. ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Hamilton A. Warren; s. p.
3012. vii. GREEN BURROWS, b. March 2, 1812; m. Mary Thompson.
3013. viii. JOHN W., b. ——; m. Pattie W. ——.
3013½. ix. JAMES OLNEY, b. ——; d. Sept. 20, 1797.

Prov. Vital Statistics. Oliver W. Field, eldest son of Joseph Field, born about 1789; married March 31, 1825, Sarah H. Tabor. Children, Isabel, Louise.

1567. JAMES FIELD (James, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I.; m. Oct. 28, 1773 Rebecca Waterman. Res. Providence, R. I.

3014. i. LYDIA, b. 1775; d. unm. Jan. 25, 1866.

Will of Lydia Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 9. No. A9071. Will Book 21, page 288.—I Lydia Field of the City and County of Providence and State of Rhode Island, being of lawful age and of Sane mind, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the following manner.

First. I order my Executor hereinafter named to pay from the avails of my personal effects if Sufficient and if not, from the Sale of my Real Estate, all my Just debts and funeral charges.

Second. I give and devise to Rebecca W. Taber wife of Oliver E. Taber, all my Real Estates with the privileges and appurtenances thereof, Situated on Claverick Street in Said City of Providence to her, her heirs and assigns forever.

Third. I give and bequeath to Marian A. Taber Daughter of Oliver E. Taber the balance of my Personal Estate wherever and in whatsoever form the Same may be found, to her her heirs and assigns forever.

Fourth. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Oliver E. Taber of Said Providence, my Sole Executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking and annulling all other and former wills by me made, and establishing and confirming this, and this only, as my last Will and testament.

In testimony whereof I do hereunto Set my hand and Seal this twenty-Sixth day of September in the year of our Lord, Eighteen hundred fifty-one. Lydia Field (L. S.)

Signed, Sealed, published pronounced and declared by the Said Lydia Field as, and for her last will and testament in presence of us, who at the Same time at her request in her presence and in presence of each other hereunto Set our names as witnesses to the Same.

Enos Tucker
Thomas Lincoln
Esek Aldrich

Proved May 1, 1866.

3015. ii. SALLY, b. 1780; m. Nathaniel James. Res. Providence, R. I. Ch.: 1. Rebecca W., m. Oliver E. Taber. Ch.: (a) Marian A. 2. Lydia, m. —— Randall. 3. Anstiss, unm. 4. Waterman. 5. Martha.

3016. iii. ANSTISS, b. ——; d. unm.

1568. WILLIAM FIELD (James, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., in 1752; m. Nov. 5, 1775, Freelove Sprague. She d. in 1826. Her will was probated Feb. 27, 1826, and Thomas Seekel was executor.

Will of Freelove Field. Probate Docket, Vol. 4. No. A4964. Will Book 13, page 335.—In the Name of God Amen I Freelove Field of Providence in the County of Providence and State of Rhode Island Widow being of lawful age and of sound mind memory and understanding but considering the uncertainty of human life do make this my last Will and Testament in manner following to wit,

First. I give and devise to my Son William Field 2nd, my two Daughters, namely Mary Tripp and Freelove Seekell, and my Grand Daughter Almiry Seekell, all my Real Estate, to them their heirs and assigns, forever, to be equally divided between them.

Secondly. I give and bequeath to my Grand Children, namely, Amey Lawson, John Remington, Mary Remington and Sally Hammond, one hundred Dollars equally between them, to be paid by my Executor hereafter named, within one year after my decease.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my two Daughters, namely, Mary Tripp and Freelove Seekel all the residue and remainder of my personal estate after paying my just Debts and Funeral Charges, equally between them.

Lastly. I hereby nominate and appoint my Son in law Thomas Seekell sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament; hereby revoking all other and former Wills by me made, and establishing and confirming this and this only as my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof, I do hereunto set my hand and seal the Nineteenth day of December in Year of our Lord, Eighteenth and twenty five.

Freelove Field (L. S.).

Signed, Sealed, pronounced and declared by the said Freelove Field as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at the same time at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other hereunto set our names as Witnesses to the same.

George T. Snow,
Pardon Mason,
Caleb Williams.

Proved February 27, 1826.

He d. in 1816. Res. Providence, R. I.

3017. i. NATHANIEL, b. ——; probably d. young.

3018. ii. STERLING, b. before 1787; d. before 1808.

Cranston, 8, 22. 1808, Jan. 28. Phebe Field, James Field, William Field, Rufus Dunham, and Mary Dunham, all of Providence, to Sterling Field, of Providence, land in Cranston which was conveyed by Benjamin Dyer to Nathaniel Field, of Providence, deceased, and which we hold as tenants in common with Sterling Field and Freelove Field as heirs of said Nathaniel, deceased.

3019. iii. FREELOVE, b. ——; m. July 29, 1819, Thomas Seekill.

3020. iv. WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Oct. 11, 1818, Lydia Warner, s. p.

3021. v. MARY A., b. ——; m. July 5, 1801, Rufus Dunham, m., 2nd, —— Tripp.

3021½. vi. PHEBE, b. ——; m. Peleg Remington. Res. Cranston, R. I.

Cranston, 3, 321. June 14, 1806. Town officials report that Phebe Field, daughter of William Field, of Providence, and late wife of Peleg Remington, and her two children, Mary and Sarah Remington, are living in Cranston.

1569. GEORGE FIELD (James, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., in 1757; m. Nov. 5, 1792, Sarah Potter, b. in 1773; d. in 1827. He d. in 1806. Res. Providence, R. I.

3022. i. MARY, b. in 1795; m. George Updike. She d. in 1878; m., 2d, —— Tillinghast. Ch.: 1. Anna F., m. Asa Freeman. Ch.: (a) Anna. 2. William. 3. John. 4. Mary.

3023. ii. SARAH, b. in 1793; m. July 24, 1814, Jacob French, of Seekonk, R. I., and, 2d, George French. She d. in 1875.

3024. iii. NANCY, b. 1799; d. unm. March 28, 1881.

1573. BENJAMIN FIELD (James, John, John, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., in 1777; m. Oct. 5, 1797, Sally Williams, dau. of Nathan, b. in 1766; d. April 18, 1864. He d. May 14, 1841. Res. Nantucket, Mass.

3025. i. EPHRAIM, d. young.

3026. ii. EDWARD, d. young.

3027. iii. EDWARD, b. Aug. 25, 1800; m. Eliza M. Jepson and Abby P. Herman.

3028. iv. BENJAMIN, d. young.

3029. v. SARAH ANN, b. 1806; m. John Hill; d. Sept. 3, 1847.

3030. vi. MEHETABLE, b. April 4, 1809; m. Joshua Smith.

3031. vii. BENJAMIN, m. Charlotte Coffin.

3032. viii. ABBY, b. March 10, 1813; d. 1843; m. Elisha Chace. Ch.: 1. Gardiner L. Chace.

3033. ix. CALEB, b. June 9, 1815; d. Aug. 19, 1849; m. Elizabeth Gardiner, b. 1808; d. May 31, 1878, in Providence.

3034. x. ELIZA, b. Aug. 23, 1820; d. unm. July 22, 1863.

1581. HON. JOSEPH FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., March 29, 1787; m. May 23, 1808, Lydia Glover, b. Dec. 17, 1790; d. May 23, 1865.

Among the men who were the builders and founders of Rochester, N. Y., none did more for its material prosperity and moral advancement than the late Hon. Joseph Field. He was a native of Taunton, Mass., where he was born March 29, 1787. When quite young he removed to Dorchester, Mass., where he remained several years. In 1808 he married Lydia Glover, of that place. On his arriving at his majority he removed to Walpole, N. H., and shortly after, the spirit of adventure and desire for a better opportunity for the exercise of his business talents led him to make an extended journey through the western country and the south, going as far as St. Louis and New Orleans, much of the journey being made on horseback. It was after a careful survey of the large territory between these points that Mr. Field became convinced that western New York promised the most rapid growth and quickest returns of any section of the country. The village of Rochester, on account of its magnificent water power, rich contiguous territory and the enterprise of its citizens, led him to choose it for his home, settling there in 1827. He engaged in the commission business with Derrick Sibley, and carried on this and the milling business for many years. He later became interested in the building of railroads. He built the old Tonawanda railroad from Batavia to Buffalo, and was at one time president of the Buffalo and Rochester railroad, now a part of the New York Central system. He presided over the initial meeting of the promoters of the Lake Shore railroad, and the success of this road was largely due to his early efforts; at the time of his decease he was one of the largest stockholders. Mr. Field was for many years a director of the New York Central railroad, and was also largely interested in Rochester enterprises, being for many years a director and president of the city bank, and one of the organizers of the Rochester Gas Light Company.

Although not seeking official life, Mr. Field represented the third ward in the Common Council, and was elected mayor of Rochester in 1848. He so administered the affairs of the municipality as to win the hearty approval of all citizens, irrespective of party. Mrs. Field died at her home in Rochester, but a few years prior to his decease, which occurred Jan. 27, 1879. Numerous descendants reside in New York and other Eastern cities; Mrs. Alfred Ely, his daughter, is the only descendant residing in Rochester. Mr. Field was a consistent member of St. Luke's Episcopal church, and for years one of its vestry. He was a man of the strictest probity, and of deep religious convictions; a dispenser of substantial but unostentatious charity, and imbued with a stern sense of honor; certain is it that his life left an influence and mark in the community where he resided which time will not efface.

He d. Jan. 27, 1879. Res. Rochester, N. Y.

3035. i. ELIZA ANNE, b. in 1811; m. in Rochester, N. Y., Rev. William Staunton, of Rochester. The Rev. Wm. Staunton, D.D., was born in the city of Chester, England, on April 29. 1803. He came to this country when a boy, and settled in Pittsburgh, Pa. In the year 1827 he became a resident of Rochester, N. Y. Here he entered the ministry in 1833. He had parishes in Palmyra,

HON. JOSEPH FIELD.

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HON. ALFRED ELY.

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N. Y.; Roxbury, Mass.; Morristown, N. J.; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ridgefield, Conn., and Potsdam, N. Y. In 1859 he removed to New York city, and for thirty years was engaged in literary work. He was the author of several theological and musical works, the most important of which was an Ecclesiastical Dictionary. He was a very accomplished musician, and wrote, as associate editor, nearly all of the musical articles in the first edition of Johnson's Encyclopedia. He died Sept. 29, 1889, in the eighty-seventh year of his age. He had seven children four of whom grew to maturity. She d. April 30, 1884, aged 72. Ch.: 1. John Armitage, b. July 28, 1838; res. Syracuse, N. Y. Graduated Bachelor of Arts at Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y., 1858; took his Master's degree at the same college in 1861; graduated at the General Theological Seminary, New York, in 1861; ordained deacon the same year, and priest in 1862; married in 1862 Florence Isabel Capen, of New York city, b. March 1, 1844; d. Feb. 9, 1891; was for fourteen months curate in St. Peter's church, New York. His subsequent charges were: Christ church, Adrian, Mich.; St. Stephen's church, Olean, N. Y.; Grace church, Watertown, N. Y.; St. James' church, Skaneateles, N. Y.; Trinity church, Syracuse, N. Y.; Emmanuel church, Wakefield, Mass., and All Saints' church, Syracuse, N. Y., of which he is now (1899) rector. Ch.: (a) John Armitage, b. in Adrian, Mich., April 14, 1864; m. 1892,; res. Springfield, Mass. (b) Florence Isabel, b. in Watertown, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1879; res. Syracuse, N. Y. (c) Henry Capen, b. in Skaneateles, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1877; res. New York city. 2. Mary Frances Staunton; m. Thomas B. Peck; res. 111 East 34th street, New York city. 3. William Field, b. Palmyra, N. Y., March 12, 1833; m. Nov. 20, 1855, Mary S. De Wolf Gray, b. Sept. 4, 1828. He d. at Yonkers, N. Y., Jan. 29, 1885. She res. Hartford, Conn., 645 Farmington avenue. Ch.: (a) Mary S., b. Dec. 6, 1858; m. April 22, 1889, Joel E. Hall, d. Brighton, England, July 9, 1891; m., 2d, John Garrett; res. Hartford, Conn., 645 Farmington avenue. Ch.: i. Mary Gray Garrett, b. July 20, 1895. ii. John Dugold, b. Dec. 10, 1898. (b) Wm. Field, Jr., b. Dec. 23, 1860; m. at Tombstone, Arizona, Mary F. Neal; res. Congress, Arizona. (c) Gray Staunton, b. July 6, 1865; m. Dec. 27, 1887, Jessie Belle McCulloch; res. Hartford, Conn. 4. Eliza Ann, b. 1832; m. William W. Greene, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. She d. Nov. 29, 1864. Ch.: (a) Elizabeth, b. ——; res. New York City, address, care W. S. White, Bank for Savings.

3036. ii. EMELINE, b. March 10, 1815; m. June 11, 1838, Charles Cobb, b. Athens, Vt., Feb. 28, 1815; d. Sept. 16, 1877. She d. Nov. 25, 1875; res. Rochester, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Sarah Lydia, Cobb, b.——; m. Henry C. Squier, Dec. 12, 1864; d. Dec. 9, 1865. 2. Josephine Cobb, d. April, 1845. 3. Emeline Field, b. March 27, 1839; m. Dec. 30, 1878, Dr. William Peterson, b. Oct. 17, 1831; d. Feb. 19, 1898; she res. 27 West 86th street, New York city. Ch.: (a) Florence Cobb Peterson. (b) Alice Peterson. (c) Mary Peterson.

3037. iii. CAROLINE LYDIA, b. Drewsville, N. H.; m. May 31, 1842,

Hon. Alfred Ely, b. Feb. 15, 1815; d. May 15, 1892, in Rochester, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Joseph Field, b. March 5, 1843; d. about 1872. 2. Charles Alfred, b. Nov. 6, 1845; d. in infancy. 3. Caroline Lydia, b. Sept. 7, 1847; d. ——. 4. Elizabeth, b. July 6, 1850; d. June, 1889. No living descendants of these children.

Alfred Ely was born in Lyme, Conn., Feb. 15, 1815. He completed his education at Bacon Academy, New London county, in that State, where he had for a classmate the late Chief Justice Morrison R. White, of the United States Supreme Bench. In 1836 Mr. Ely removed to Rochester and began his legal studies in the office of Smith & Rochester, one of the most eminent law firms in the State. As a student Mr. Ely was patient and persevering and mastered the principles of his profession with great care. In 1841 he was admitted to the bar, and in a comparatively short time built up a large practice. As attorney of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad and of the Buffalo and Rochester railroad companies, he was very successful. He was also attorney for many extensive firms doing business in the metropolis. He excelled in a high degree as an office lawyer, showing great familiarity with the rules of practice; was studious and accurate in the mastery of a case, and as a pleader was one of the most skilful. In 1858 Mr. Ely represented his district in the Thirty-sixth Congress, and enjoyed the honor of having his political career indorsed by a re-election in the famous campaign of 1860. Mr. Ely's service to his country during the Rebellion, in respect to the raising of troops, added to which was his deep interest in the Northern soldiers and the success of the Union cause, cannot be too highly appreciated. At the first battle of Bull Run he was present in person to aid in the Union cause, and was taken prisoner, and for nearly six months was subjected to severe cruelty in Libby prison. While there he was indefatigable in his efforts to alleviate the sufferings of his fellow prisoners. Subsequently he rendered valuable service to the Union cause in the publication of his well known book, "Journal of Alfred Ely, a Prisoner of War in Richmond." This work, pleasing in style and intensely interesting, had a large circulation and served in a great measure to mitigate the harshness with which prisoners of war had previously been treated. In 1862 Mr. Ely resumed the practice of his profession in Rochester, and continued it until a few weeks prior to his decease. Mr. Ely's home on Plymouth avenue was one of the most attractive in the city, and here his widow, Mrs. Ely, continues to reside. His library was one of the most extensive and valuable in western New York, while his taste in literature was one of the most cultivated. As a public speaker Mr. Ely was forcible and fluent, and as a writer he was able and graceful. His friends were numberless, and his charities and good deeds many and far-reaching, while as a husband and parent he possessed the rarest virtues. Mr. Ely died May 18, 1892, and his remains were laid at rest a few days later in the beautiful Ely mausoleum at Mt. Hope.

3038. iv. ALMIRA, b. April 17, 1822; m. in Rochester, N. Y., Lewis Philip Beers. Ch.: 1. Joseph Field, b. ——; m. ——. Ch.:

(a) Andrew Field. (b) Josephine; res. 103 West Eighty-fifth street, New York, N. Y. 2. Francis Henry, b. Sept. 2, 1848; m. Dec. 25, 1874, Harriet Elizabeth Freeman, b. Dec. 25, 1855. Ch.: (a) Wm. Henry, b. Feb. 8, 1876. (b) Almira Field, b. Aug. 1, 1878. (c) Francis Field, b. July 21, 1884. He is a mining promoter. Res. 3238 Best street, Highland Station, Denver, Col. 3. Lewis Vileroy, b. ——; m. s. p.; res. Denver, Col.

1582. BRADFORD FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Feb. 22, 1789; m. Sally Wetherell; d. 1808; m., 2d, Mary Phillips. He was a farmer and resided on the old place. Res. Taunton, Mass., and Marlboro, N. H.

3039. i. BRADFORD, b. ——; m. Ellenor Fisher.

3040. ii. GEORGE, b. ——.

1583. LEONARD FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Aug. 12, 1790; m. there Lydia Eddy, dau. of Asahel and Lydia, b. Nov. 1, 1792; d. May 18, 1882. He was superintendent of a manufactory of cotton goods. He d. Feb. 24, 1861. Res. Taunton, Mass.

3041. i. HARRISON, b. Sept. 29, 1816; d. Taunton, Aug. 29, 1861.

1585. GILBERT FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., June 26, 1793; m. Mary Willerton, of Boston. He was a printer and associate publisher of the Boston Palladium.

Petition for administration Feb. 13, 1837, by Mary Field, widow, of Boston; deceased husband, Gilbert Field, a printer in Boston, who died July 13, 1837.—Boston Probate Records.

He d. July 13, 1837. Res. Boston, Mass.

1586. ABNER FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Feb. 13, 1795; m. Rebecca Delano, of Duxbury; d. Dec. 17, 1877. He d. Oct. 5 or Sept. 28, 1851. Res. Taunton, Mass.

1587. BARNUM FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., June 11, 1796; m. Frances E. Field, dau. of Richard M. Field, of Providence, R. I., who d. August, 1881. After leaving the printing business, in Boston, he fitted for college in Bristol Academy, and was graduated at Brown University, in the class of 1821. He was for a time associate editor of the Boston Palladium, and in 1824-28 edited and published the Independent Inquirer, of Providence, R. I. Retiring from journalism, he was for many years a prominent public school teacher in Boston.

While in Boston he made himself famous as a teacher, serving in the public schools there for forty years. When Horace Mann advocated milder discipline for the scholars, Mr. Field, as the oldest member, in time of service, in his profession in the city, successfully led the opposition to the proposed reform in a series of pamphlets, known as "The Common School Controversy."

Frances E. Field, of Boston; a widow; Richard M. Field, minor, above fourteen years old, absent on seas; Adeline E. Field, minor, under fourteen. Both children of late Barnum Field.—Suffolk, Mass., Probate.

Barnum Field: Frances Field, of Boston, petitions to be appointed administratrix of estate of Barnum, her late husband; a teacher. Left two minor children, but no mention of their names in this paper.—Suffolk, Mass., Probate.

Frances E. Field, widow of Barnum Field, appointed guardian of minor children of above (Richard M. Field, Adeline E. Field), May 19, 1851.—Suffolk County Probate.

He d. May 7, 1851. Res. Boston, Mass.

3043. i. RICHARD MONTGOMERY, b. ——, s. p. Manager of the Boston Museum.

3043. ii. FRANCES ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. C. L. Riddle. Res. Roxbury, Mass.

3043⅓. iii. TWO CHILDREN; d. in infancy.

3043½. iv. BARNUM W.; d. ——.

3043¾. v. ADELINE ELIZABETH; d. ——.

1588. ZEBULON FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. in Taunton, Mass., 1760; m. Olive White.

Field, Zebulon, Dighton. Private, Capt. Jacob Fuller's company, Col. John Jacob's regiment; enlisted July 7, 1778; service, 5 months, 26 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment to expire Jan. 1, 1779.

Field, Zebulon, Taunton. Drummer, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's company, Col. Ebenezer Francis's regiment; pay abstract for mileage, etc., to camp and home; credited with two days' allowance; company drafted from Taunton, Raynham, Easton, Dartmouth, Freetown, Berkley and Dighton; warrant for pay allowed in council Nov. 29, 1776. Also Capt. Elisha Barney's (10th) company, Col. George Williams' (3d Bristol county) regiment; service, 25 days; company marched to Warren, via Rehoboth, on the alarm at Rhode Island of Dec. 8, 1776. Also Capt. Jonathan Shaw's company, Col. George Williams' regiment; service, 1 month, 1 day; company marched from Raynham, Taunton and Easton, in September, 1777, on a secret expedition. Also drummer, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's company, Col. John Hatheway's regiment; service, 20 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777. Also private, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's company, from Taunton, Whitney's regiment; service, 1 month, 23 days; company marched from Taunton to Providence, R. I.; roll made up for wages and travel, agreeable to resolve of April, 1777, and sworn to at Taunton, Sept. 23, 1777. Also private, Capt. Ebenezer Dean's company, Col. Thomas Carpenter's regiment; service, 1 month, 4 days; company marched from Taunton, via Rehoboth and Bristol, to Providence, R. I., and thence home. Roll dated Nov. 5, 1777.

Field, Zebulon, 3d. List of men mustered for six months' service at Rhode Island, by James Leonard, muster-master for Bristol county, dated July 7, 1778; Col. George Williams' regiment.

Field, Zebulon. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's company, Col. Abiel Mitchel's regiment, commanded by Lieut.-Col. James Williams, Brigadier-General Godfrey's (Bristol county) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

Field, Zebulon. Private, Captain Pelatiah Eddy's company, Col. Abiel Mitchel's regiment, commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brigadier-General Godfrey's (Bristol county) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780. (This name appears twice on roll.)—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Taunton, Mass.

1589. ABIZER FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass.; m. ——.

Field, Abiezer, Taunton. Private, Capt. Ichabod Leonard's company, Col.

John Hathaway's regiment; serivce, 20 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., in April, 1777, by order of Brigadier-General Godfrey.

Field, Abiezer, Taunton. Private, Capt. Joshua Wilbore's company, Col. Josiah Whitney's regiment; service, 1 month, 23 days; company marched from Taunton to Providence, R. I. Roll made up for wages and travel, agreeable to resolve of April, 1777, and sworn to at Taunton, Sept. 23, 1777.

Field, Abiezer. Private, Capt. Pelatiah Eddy's company, Col. Abiel Mitchel's regiment, commanded by Lieut. Col. James Williams, Brigadier-General Godfrey's (Bristol county) brigade; service, 8 days; company marched from Taunton to Tiverton, R. I., on the alarm of Aug. 1, 1780.

Fields, Abiezer, Taunton. Private, Capt. Jacob Kaskins' company, Col. John Jacobs's regiment; enlisted June 1, 1778; service, 11 days; company detached to guard the shore at Freetown for ten days by order of Brig. Gen. George Godfrey.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Taunton and Norton, Mass.

3044. i. ABIZER, b. 1784; m. Hannah Wilbur.

3044½. ii. DENNIS, b. ——.

1590. DARIUS FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass.; m. Rachel ——, b. Norton.

Field, Darius. Private, Capt. Rufus Barney's company, Colonel Carpenter's regiment; service, 4 days, on an alarm at Rhode Island; company detached to march to Tiverton, R. I., for 6 days; roll dated July 28, 1780. Also Capt. John Shaw's company, Col. Abiel Mitchel's regiment; service, 4 days; company marched to Rhode Island, March 6, 1781, by order of his Excellency John Hancock, on a forty days' expedition.—Massachusetts State Revolutionary Records.

Res. Taunton, Mass.

3044¼. i. BARNEY, b. 1793; d. Jan. 12, 1871.

3044½. ii. LUCY, b. May 2, 1799; d. March 24, 1869; unm.

3044¾. iii. ADA, b. Jan. 11, 1790; d. May 1, 1874; unm.

1591. DAVID FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Aug. 30, 1774; m. Celia Lincoln, b. Jan. 9, 1775; d. May 3, 1859, dau. of David and Jemima (Dean). He was a farmer. He d. Sept. 25, 1863. Res. Norton, Mass.

3045. i. CELIA, b. Nov. 1, 1801; m. Aug. 16, 1829, Newman Wetherell.

3046. ii. DENCY, b. March 25, 1804.

3047. iii. DAVID, b. April 2, 1808; m. Nancy A. Williams.

3048. iv. RATHBURN, b. June 3, 1814; m. Matilda W. Leonard.

1592. JONATHAN FIELD (Zebulon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., in 1781; m. Nov. 21, 1805, Hannah Wilbur, dau. of Simeon and Betsey (White), of Raynham, b. 1784; d. Oct. 23, 1845. Was a farmer. He d. in Raynham, April 27, 1847. Res. Taunton, Mass.

3048¼. i. JONATHAN, b. March 2, 1807; d. Jan. 16, 1833.

3048⅓. ii. DANIEL M., b. Oct. 19, 1809; m. ——; d. Oct. 9, 1848; sailor.

3048½. iii. LYSANDER W., b. in 1813; m. Charlotte ——, b. 1816; d. Dec. 2, 1846. She d. Raynham, Jan. 18, 1855.

3048¾. iv. HANNAH C., b. ——.

3048⅞. v. GEORGE W., b. ——.

1594. WILLIAMS FIELD (Richard, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Mansfield, Mass.; m. June 23, 1795, Margaret Clapp, dau. of David and Hannah (King), of Norton. Res. Mansfield, Mass.

1594⅛. NATHANIEL FIELD (Nathaniel, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Aug. 18, 1774; m. Sarah Leonard, dau. of William and Hannah (Thayer). Was a farmer. He d. July 1, 1860. Res. Taunton, Mass.

3048-2. i. SETH W., b. ——.
3048-3. ii. WILLIAM L., b. ——.
3048-4. iii. GEORGE, b. ——.
3048-5. iv. SALLY, b. ——.
3048-6. v. ORILLA, b. ——.
3048-7. vi. LUCINDA, b. ——.
3048-8. vii. PERHAPS OTHERS.

1594¼. BETHUEL FIELD (Nathaniel, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., March 12, 1778; m. Sally Lincoln, dau. of David and Jemima (Dean). Res. Norton, Mass., and Chesterfield, N. H.

3048-9. i. BETHUEL, b. Feb. 18, 1801.
3048-10. ii. SALLY, b. Sept. 6, 1802; d. unm., May 16, 1837.
3048-11. iii. PARDON, b. Sept. 16, 1804.
3048-12. iv. LYDIA, b. Oct. 18, 1806.
3048-13. v. NATHANIEL, b. Dec. 17, 1808; killed by a horse in 1813.
3048-14. vi. JESSE, b. Nov. 3, 1811.
3048-15. vii. HICKS, b. April 13, 1813.
3048-16. viii. MEREDA, b. June 4, 1816.
3048-17. ix. POLLY, b. Sept. 27, 1818.
3048-18. x. FANNY M., b. July 14, 1821.
3048-19. xi. NATHANIEL, b. Jan. 4, 1827.

1594½. ARTEMAS FIELD (Nathaniel, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Taunton, Mass., Dec. 6, 1783; m. Lucinda Leonard, dau. of William and Hannah (Thayer). Res. Taunton, Mass.

3048-20. i. ARTEMAS, b. Nov. 27, 1807; m. d. Oct. 15, 1890. Res. Taunton.
3048-21. ii. BRADDOCK, b. Dec. 6, 1809.
3048-22. iii. EMORY, b. ——; d. aged twelve years.
3048-23. iv. HANNAH, b. ——; d. aged two years.
3048-24. v. SARAH, b. 1817.
3048-25. vi. HIRAM, b. 1819.
3048-26. vii. FLORA, b. 1822; d. in 1839.
3048-27. viii. JOHN, b. Jan. 12, 1824.

1600. EBENEZER FIELD (John, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Attleboro, Mass., July 3, 1769; m. Miriam ——. Res. Attleboro, Mass.

3048-28. i. ALMIRA, b. 1797; d. Oct. 25, 1823.

1601. JOSEPH FIELD (John, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Attleboro, Mass., Sept. 28, 1772; m. Feb. 7, 1799, Chloe Hatch, b. in 1761; d. Sept. 22, 1833. He d. Oct. 3, 1853. Res. Attleboro, Mass.

3049. i. JOSIAH, b. Aug. 11, 1799.
3050. ii. JOSEPH, b. in 18—.
3051. iii. CHLOE, b. in 1809; d. Feb. 24, 1837.

1604. JUDE FIELD (Jude, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Norton, Mass., Sept. 21, 1805; m. July 3, 1826, Miria Parsells, b. Jan. 18, 1810; d. Nov. 5, 1846; m., 2d, March 9, 1847, Nancy Ann Guerineau, b. Jan. 10, 1813; d. March 21, 1855. Was a nail manufacturer. He d. March 12, 1856. Res. New York, N. Y.

3052. i. MARIA LOUISA, b. Feb. 22, 1828; d. March 13, 1832.
3053. ii. SARAH ANN, b. May 26, 1830; d. July 22, 1830.
3054. iii. MARIA LOUSIA, b. Feb. 1, 1833; m. ——, Mrs. T. O. Decker 82 Clark Av., Ocean Grove, N. J.
3055. iv. DELIA ANN, b. Sept. 19, 1835; d. Aug. 18, 1836.
3056. v. HARVEY BROWN, b. June 25, 1837; d. April 18, 1838.
3057. vi. ALBERT FIELD, b. June 4, 1840; m. Maria L. Combes.
3058. vii. DELIA ANN, b. March 6, 1844; m. Sept. 23, 1867, Mrs. C. W. Combes, 2005 Washington Av., New York City.
3059. viii. JUDE WESLEY, b. Nov. 15, 1848. Res. Philadelphia.
3060. ix. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. March 27, 1853.
3061. x. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. March 27, 1853; d. July 16, 1853.

1608. BENJAMIN F. FIELD (Jude, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Nov. 6, 1808, in Norton, Mass.; m. Aug. 27, 1812, Eveline B. Bradford, b. Plymouth, dau. of Bartlett and Eliza Bradford; d. Plymouth, Aug. 24, 1855. Was a tailor.

1438. Eveline B. Field, of Plymouth, Mass.; insane person; her son-in-law, James M. Atwood, appointed guardian June 9, 1884. Eveline was the wife of Benjamin F. Field, and the mother of Bartlett B. Field and Helen M. Atwood, wife of said James.

2814. Eveline B. Field, of Plymouth, Mass., died Aug. 24, 1885. Heirs mentioned: Helen M. Atwood, wife of James M. and Bartlett B. Field. James M. Atwood administrator. (There is no administration on estate of her husband, Benjamin F. Field, but he died some time between the date of the appointment of her guardian and the date of the wife's death.)—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Jan. 2, 1887. Res. Plymouth, Mass.

3061¼. i. HELEN M., b. ——; m. James M. Atwood.
3061½. ii. BARTLETT B., b. ——. Res. Plymouth, Mass.

1612. PATTEN FIELD (Solomon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Norton, Mass., Aug. 20, 1798; m. Louisa ——. Was a carpenter. He d. in Salem, Mass., Feb. 16, 1865. Res. Norton, Mass.

3062. i. WILLIAM PATTEN, b. March 27, 1829.
3063. ii. MARIAH LOUISA, b. Feb. 3, 1831.

1617. OLIVER LAMB FIELD (Solomon, Zebulon, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Newton, Mass., Sept. 12, 1811; m. —— ——. She d. in Colebrook, N. H.; m., 2d, Sarah E. ——.

Will of Oliver L. Field, of Fitchburg, wife Sarah E., second wife; first one buried in Colebrook, N H., where he requests to be buried, 1879. Son, Washington P. Field; daughter, Agnes Fletcher.—Worcester County Probate.

He d. Oct. 14, 1878. Res. Fitchburg, Mass.

3063¼. i. WASHINGTON P., b. ——.
3063½. ii. AGNES, b. ——; m. —— Fletcher.

1629. OZIAS FIELD (William, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Nov. 17, 1798; m. Charlotte Elizabeth, dau. of Moses Whiting. Res. Roxbury. He was a dry-goods merchant, Roxbury Mass. His will was proved Feb. 10, 1866.

3064. i. WILLIAM OZIAS, b. March 10, 1838.
3065. ii. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 6, 1840; m. Sept. 12, 1860, Nehemiah P. Clark, of St. Cloud, Minn.
3066. iii. FERDINAND CLARK, b. Nov. 28, 1842. Res. Dedham, Mass.

1630. JABEZ FIELD (William, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. North Bridgewater, Mass., June 13, 1800; m. Mary Alger, dau. of Joseph. She d. April, 1841. He was a carpenter.

7654. Jabez Field, of North Bridgewater, died Aug. 9, 1868; no will. The only heirs mentioned, William Field, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Edwin Field, of Newton, Mass., both sons of deceased. Edwin Field appointed administrator, Sept. 14, 1868.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Aug. 9, 1868. Res. Brockton, Mass.

3067. i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 29, 1824; m. Mary F. P. Whiting.
3068. ii. EDWIN, b. Feb. 17, 1829; m. Sarah M. Whiting.
3069 iii. MARY ANN, b. Dec. 22, 1826; d. Jan. 5, 1827.
3070. iv. MARY JANE, b. Sept. 23, 1832; d. June 24, 1854.
3071. v. RICHARD, b. Nov. 22, 1834.

1634. GALEN FIELD (Ephraim, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Dec. 29, 1788; m. Mary (Polly) Thayer, dau. of Asa, b. Aug. 31, 1795; d. Nov. 20, 1874. He settled in North Paris, on the farm since occupied by S. W. Dunham. He was one of the old-time schoolmasters in that town, having taught eighteen winters. He also held various town offices. He d. Oct. 30, 1864. Res. Paris, Me.

3072. i. JANE CHAPIN, b. April 8, 1820; m. Bradford Keen.
3073. ii. WILLIAM HARRISON, b. Feb. 20, 1822; m. Calista Andrews.
3074. iii. LAURA THAYER, b. Jan. 15, 1824; m. about 1845, George W. Young. Res. West Paris. He was son of Charles, b. Dec. 14, 1818, in Greenwood; settled in South Paris, Me., and removed to West Paris; was a blacksmith by trade, and served as drummer in the 23rd Maine regiment. Ch.: 1. Fannie A., b. Jan. 15, 1847; m. Charles M. Lane. Res. Gray, Me. 2. Georgie A., b. Nov. 6, 1848; m. Frank W. Barrett. 3. Laura Abby, b. July 27, 1852; m. William B. Pierce. Res. North Yarmouth, Me. 4. George Frederick, b. May 9, 1859; m. Jennie Piper. Res. Boston.
3075. iv. FRANKLIN NELSON, b. July 4, 1828; m. Sobrina Andrews.
3076. v. CHARLES WALDO, b. Sept. 24, 1831; m. Olive F. Keen.
3077. vi. HIRAM T., b. April 23, 1834; m. Matilda A. Ripley.
3078. vii. MARY T., b. June 21, 1840; m. C. W. Chase.

1635. ANSEL FIELD (Ephraim, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., 1790; m. there 1820, Orra Ripley; m., 2d, Dolly Moore, dau. of Elisha. She d. Feb. 8, 1878. He was a trader for many years at South Paris, and was postmaster there for some length of time. He d. Feb. 16, 1868. Res., s. p., Paris, Me.

1638. ZIBEON FIELD (Ephraim, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Dec. 17, 1795; m. April 27, 1818, Lydia Howe, b. April 28, 1798, dau. of Jacob; d. Nov. 9, 1847; m., 2d, Feb. 29, 1848, Mrs. Cyprian (Benson) Whitman, dau. of Seth; m., 3d, Mrs. Polly (Howe) Colburn.

Zibeon Field, son of Ephraim, was b. in Bridgewater, Mass., in 1798. Having accompanied his parents to the wilds of Maine when but a boy, he assisted in the pioneer labor of clearing and improving a homestead. He subsequently engaged in farming as a life occupation, and was one of the influential men of Chesterville, Me., where he served as selectman and in other offices of minor importance. He died in 1883, at the venerable age of eighty-four years. His wife, Lydia Howe

Field, a daughter of Jacob and Betsey (Foster) Howe, bore him seven sons and three daughters, of whom the following are now living: Ansel S., residing in California, having retired from active business; Belinda, of Farmington, Me., the widow of the late Cyrus W. Bailey; Mason G., an agriculturist, residing at Farmington, Me., and Zibeon C.

He d. Jan. 19, 1883. Res. Paris and Farmington, Me.

3079. i. ANSEL SMITH, b. April 13, 1819; m. Clarissa Butterfield.

3080. ii. ZIBEON CHAPMAN, b. Dec. 29, 1821; d. Oct. 4, 1823.

3081. iii. FRANCIS BLAKE, b. Dec. 16, 1823; m. Abby Bradbury.

3082. iv. BELINDA, b. Oct. 6, 1828; m. —— Hiscock, of Farmington.

3083. v. PERLEY PUTNAM, b. March 22, 1830; m. Charlotte P. Corbett, Lurency Stone and Mrs. Emma L. Fogg.

3084. vi. ZIBEON CHAPMAN, b. Dec. 25, 1831; m. Lydia A. Corbett.

3085. vii. MASON GREENWOOD, b. April 23, 1835; m. Helen Ripley.

3086. viii. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, b. May 23, 1837; m. Ethiel Welch. She d. s. p. Feb. 25, 1895, in West Newton, Mass.

3087. ix. DANA AUGUSTUS, b. Aug 9, 1839; m. Melissa A. Holbrook.

3088. x. LYDIA JANE, b. Oct. 3, 1841; m. Leonard Briggs. She d. Dec. 30, 1888.

3089. xi. LORETTA, b. Jan. 16, 1849; m. June 26, 1866, John G. Crawford. Res. North Paris, Me. He was b. Aug. 13, 1845. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Perley A. Crawford, b. Nov. 22, 1866; m. Sept. 25, 1888, North Paris, Me. 2. Wendell D. Crawford, b. June 13, 1868; d. Feb. 4, 1885. 3. Carroll W. Crawford, b. Aug. 12, 1870; d. July 2, 1879.

3090. xii. MIRANDA, b. Dec. 29, 1850; m. Sept. 18, 1887, Augustus Bruce. Res. 24 Chambers St., Boston, Mass., s. p. He is sexton of Park Street church, b. April 16, 1850.

3091. xiii. ISABELLA, b June 26, 1853; m. Sept. 16, 1877, Algernon Samson Andrews. Res. Paris, Me. He was b. February, 1857. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Minetta Bell Andrews, b. Jan. 24, 1879; d. March 29, 1894. 2. Angie Field Andrews, b. Dec. 16, 1880. 3. Frank Harris Andrews, b. June 17, 1882. 4. Albion West Andrews, b. April 13, 1885.

1639. ALVIN FIELD (Ephraim, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Paris, Me., Oct. 9, 1800; m. Auburn, in 1825, Olive Record, b. Dec. 25, 1805; d. Nov. 24, 1860. He was a farmer. He d. 1866. Res. Paris and Portland, Me.

3092. i. GALEN, b. Dec. 25, 1825; d. Jan. 12, 1851.

3093. ii. RUBY A., b. Sept. 28, 1827; d. 1852.

3094. iii. MARY E., b. Sept., 1830; m. —— Bradford. Res. E. Poland, Me.

3095. iv. DIANA AUGUSTA, b. ——; d. 1854.

3096. v. MARIA FRANCIS, b. June, 1834; m. William McKenzie. Res. 1168 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

3097. vi. GRANVILLE HARRISON, b. July 10, 1836; m. Sarah T. Sawyer.

3098. vii. OLIVE, b Oct. 27, 1838; d. 1898.

3099. viii. ALVIN, b. April 1, 1843; killed Aug. 9, 1862, at Cedar mountain in Civil war.

3100. ix. GEORGE HENRY, b. March 23, 1846; m. in Boston, March 20, 1867, Mayry J. Gray, b. Aug. 20, 1844. He is a salesman. Res. s. p. 28 Lynn St., Chelsea, Mass.

1641. ZOPHER FIELD (Daniel, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Jan. 14, 1789; m. there Feb. 6, 1811, Bernice Howard; d. Jan. 28, 1833.

7648. Jesse Perkins appointed to make sale of real estate of Daniel Field, Jr., and George Field, May 6, 1834. Daniel Field, Jr., and George Field were minors and sons of Zopher Field. Petition signed by friends of said minors, to-wit: Daniel Field, Zopher Field, Austin Howard, William Hall, Ezra Churchill, Lysander Howard. Account filed in this case Oct. 1, 1839, shows payment to said Daniel and George after they both arrived at the age of twenty-one years.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Sept. 6 1863. Res. Bridgewater, Mass.

3101. i. DANIEL, b. Feb. 21, 1814; m. Oct. 6, 1836, Jane Soule, of Dusbury. He d. Dec. 20, 1891.

3102. ii. GEORGE, b. May 20, 1818; d. May 9, 1896; unm.

3103. vi. LOUISA, b. Sept. 1, 1820; m. May 31, 1836, George Francis Matthews.

3104. iii. HANNAH, b. May 4, 1823; m. Cyrus Howard, Jr. She d. Nov. 6, 1844.

3105. iv. CHARLES COPELAND, b. March 18, 1826; m. Lucy Cobb Cross.

3106. v. WILLIAM LAWRENCE, b. Oct. 20, 1828; m. Mary Denison Holmes.

3107. vii. LOUISA, b. Feb. 8, 1816; d. May 6, 1819.

3108. viii. HARRIOT, b. March 26, 1812; m. Nov. 20, 1833, William G. Howard. She d. Aug. 22, 1845.

1642. WALDO FIELD (Daniel, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., March 8, 1791; m. there Dec. 4, 1816, Abigail Marshall, dau. of Hayward Marshall; m. there, 2d, March 29, 1820, Sally Perkins, dau. of Mark, b. May 8, 1795; d. Feb. 19, 1878.

7670. Waldo Field, of North Bridgewater, yeoman. Mark Perkins appointed administrator, March 7, 1826. His estate was insolvent. No will. No heirs mentioned. Allowance made to the widow, but her name not given.

7668. Sally Field, of Brockton, Mass. She died on the 19th of Feb., 1878, leaving two sons, Waldo Field, of Brockton, and Perez P. Field, of West Bridgewater. No will.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Jan. 29, 1826. Res. North Bridgewater, Mass.

3109. i. WALDO, b. Feb. 9, 1821; m. Ellen F. Hayden.

3110. ii. PEREZ PERKINS, b. April 5, 1823; m. Lovice M. White.

3111. iii. MARSHALL, b. April 3, 1818; d. unm. March 19, 1841.

7663. Marshall Field, of North Bridgewater. Waldo Field appointed administrator April 5, 1842. Sureties on bond, Perez Marshall and Sally Field. No will, and no heirs mentioned. Marshall died at sea on his return trip from Cuba.

1644. JOHN FIELD (Barzillia, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Bridgewater, Mass., Dec. 15, 1796; m. there October, 1817, Olive Thompson, dau. of James.

7658. John Field, of North Bridgewater, died Jan. 20, 1866. He left widow, Olive Field. Children, Franklin Field, Charles T. Field, Barzillia Field, Caroline Field and Olive Bumpus, wife of E. B. Bumpus, all of North Bridgewater. Also, John Field, of Freedom, Minn., Clarissa Allen, wife of William Allen, of California, Elizabeth Brett, wife of Frank Brett, of Randolph, Mass., and two grand children, John F. Field and Harriet Field, minors, of Raynham, Mass. John F. Field and

Harriet Field were children of his son, Eustace Field, deceased. In his will he mentions John F. Field and Charles Field, sons of his son, John Field, of Freedom, Minn. He also mentions Alice P. Field, wife of his son, Franklin Field.—Plymouth County Probate.

He d. Jan. 20, 1866. Res. North Bridgewater, Mass.

3112. i. FRANKLIN, b. April 7, 1822; m. Alice P. Simmons.

3113. ii. CHARLES THOMPSON, b. Oct. 1, 1836.

3114. iii. BARZILLIA, b. Feb. 17, 1842; m. Aug. 11, 1874, Lizzie P. Kimball.

3115. iv. CAROLINE, b. Aug. 27, 1839.

3116. v. OLIVE, b. June 16, 1820; m. Nov. 10, 1839, Elisha B. Bumpus, of North Bridgewater.

3117. vi. JOHN, b. March 19, 1834; m. Carrie Rosa Woodbury, of Rochester, Minn.

3118. vii. CLARISSA, b. Jan. 5, 1832; m. William W. Allen, of Mansfield. Res. California.

3119. viii. ELIZABETH, b. April 11, 1829; m. March 2, 1856, Frank Brett, of Randolph, Mass.

3120. ix. EUSTACE, b. May 17, 1824; m. Maria Snow.

3121. x. OWEN, b. July 24, 1826; m. Hannah P. Tobey.

1648. LUCIUS FIELD (Barzillia, Jabez, Richard, John, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. North Bridgewater, Mass., June 11, 1811; m. Mary B. Thomas. He was an employe of the Boston & Albany railroad. George Jennings was appointed administrator of his estate April 7, 1863. He d. March 22, 1863. Res. Needham, Mass.

3122. i. CAROLINE, b. March 12, 1856; d. June 11, 1863.

3123. ii. MARY, b. ——; unm. Res. Hotel Oxford, Boston. Is a public school teacher.

3124. iii. LUCIUS, b. ——. Res. Telluride, Col.

3124½. iv. ALICE, b. ——; m. John E. Dudley. Res. Berthoud, Col.

1649. CAPTAIN JOHN FIELD (John, John, Zachariah, Zachariah John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., Dec. 17, 1761; m. Nov. 3, 1785, Hannah Gladding, b. 1768. She m. Aug. 8, 1811, James Burr and d. in 1848. One child by Burr, viz., Edward; was lost at sea.

March 26, 1804, Hannah was appointed administratrix of her husband's estate. —Providence Probate.

B. 19, 555. Apprenticed to Ralph Merry, Feb. 19, 1783 and goes shares in Sloop Polly.

B. 9, 381. Probate records: Widow Hannah administratrix.

B. 9, 420. Inventory, March 26, 1804, £2,473, 4s. 1d.

B. 1, 279. Estate insolvent.

Feb. 19, 1783. This is to certify that I, the subscriber, give liberty to John Field, who is my apprentice, to go a cruise in the Sloop Polly, commanded by Alfred Arnold to continue six weeks, and I agree to allow the said John the one-half of all the prizes that shall be taken during the said cruise whether money or goods of what name or nature soever. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand the date above signed. Sgd. Ralph Merry.

Witness: Job Reed, Richard Hayes.

He d. February 1800. Res. Providence, R. I.

3125. i. JOHN ALBERT, b. Jan. 1, 1793; m. Deborah Ann Burr and Julia Ann Tayler.

3126. ii. SOPHIA FRANCES, b. ——; m. May 7, 1807, George Bolles. Ch.: 1. Mary, m. George Clarke. 2. Abby, m. Robert Knight. 3. Eliza, b. Dec. 23, 1796; m. William Dana. 4. Almira, m. Philip Fisk.

3127. iii. JULIA ANN, b. ——.

3128. iv. ALMIRA, b. ——; m. April 18, 1822, John Miller, his second wife. Ch.: 1. Martha. 2. John. 3. Albert. 4. Elizabeth.

1653. BENJAMIN FIELD (John, John, Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., about 1769; m. June 19, 1798, Sally Carter, of Newport. He was a sailor. His dau. m. a Shedd. Albert Manchester's wife is a descendant. He resided in Boston.

Arnold 10, 206. Benjamin Field, son of John, m. June 6, 1790, Amanda Femam. Res. Boston, Mass.

3128½. i. MARIA, b. ——; m. —— Shedd.

1655. JOSEPH FIELD (John, John, Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., 1773; m. Sept. 30, 1794, Lucy Potter. He changed his name to Joseph Fuller. He was adopted by Joseph Fuller, on condition of changing his name to Fuller. He was married as Joseph Fuller. The daughter married Aug. 22, 1816, Anthony B. Arnold. They had no children, but adopted a daughter, Sarah C. H., who was born in Boston, July 9, 1833. She married July 27, 1859, Edwin B. Day, of Providence. They have one child, Anthony B. Day. He d. Aug. 8, 1845. Res. Providence, R. I.

3129. i. ABBEY POTTER, b. ——; m. Aug. 22, 1816, Anthony B. Arnold. Sarah C. H. Day, adopted daughter of Anthony B. and Abby P. Arnold; b. in Boston, July 9, 1833; m. July 27, 1859, Edwin Brinard Day. Ch.: 1. Anthony B. Day, b. May 14, 1860.

1656. RICHARD MONTGOMERY FIELD (John, John, Zachariah, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., July 8, 1775; m. Feb. 14, 1799, Eliza Snow, dau. of John; m., 2d, Oct. 2, 1816, Caroline Snow, dau. of Benjamin, of Norwich, Conn., b. Sept. 24, 1793. His will was probated Jan. 2, 1844; d. May 4, 1871. His widow was executrix.

Will of Richard M. Field. Probate Docket, Vol. vi. No. A6275. Will Book 15, p. 98.—Be it known, That I, Richard M. Field, of Providence, County of Providence, State of Rhode Island, make and declare this my Last Will & Testament, in manner & form as follows.—

First. I give, devise & bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline S. Field, all my household furniture & my Pew No 84 in the Richmond Street Meeting House to her, her heirs, executors, administrators & assigns forever.

Secondly. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Caroline, during her natural life, or so long as she remain my widow, the use, rents, and profits of all the rest & residue of my Estate whether real or personal, & in case of her decease, so much thereof as may be necessary to defray her sickness and funeral expenses. After which my Will is, that sd Estate both real & personal be proportioned, share and share alike, to each of my surviving children, to them, their heirs & assigns forever.

And I hereby appoint my said wife Caroline S. Field Executrix of this my Last Will.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal, this fifteenth day of November, one thousand, eight hundred & forty three (1843).

Richard M Field. (L. S.)

He d. December, 1843. Res. Providence, R. I.

3130. i. FRANCES ELIZA, b. March 29, 1800; m. Barnum Field (see).
3131. ii. ADELINE JARVIS, b. Feb. 28, 1808; m. Oct. 31, 1833, Vincent Carr. Ch.: 1. Jane. 2. Marietta. 3. Emma. 4. William Henry.
3132. iii. ABBY CAREY, b. July 8, 1810; m. Dec. 24, 1829, John Edwin Brown. Ch.: 1. Mary Elizabeth. 2. Frank Vincent. 3. John Edwin. m., 2d, Samuel Edward Snow.
3133. iv. ELIZABETH SNOW, b. April 9, 1814; m. May 16, 1842, John E. Larned.
3134. v. CAROLINE SNOW, b. Aug. 4, 1817; m. Nov. 31, 1841, Asa C. Brownell.
3135. vi. RICHARD M., JR., b. Aug. 2, 1819; d. Aug. 22, 1849; m. Oct. 22, 1845, Aramintha Padelford, b. 1829; d. April 15, 1854.
3136. vii. SARAH ANN, b. April 25, 1821; d. April 30, 1821.
3137. viii. JONATHAN RUSSELL, b. June 19, 1822; m. Mary Burke; no children. He d. April 5, 1881.
3138. ix. MARIA LOUISA, b. July 20, 1824; d. unm. May 4, 1841.
3139. x. EDWARD HAMPTON, b. Oct. 26, 1826; d. April 12, 1854.
3140. xi. CHARLES T., b. Jan. 1, 1829; d. April 9, 1830.
3141. xii. AUGUSTUS HUNTINGTON, b. May 15, 1831; m. —— ——.
3142. xiii. JOHN ALLEN, b. Jan. 19, 1835; d. unm. Feb. 8, 1871.

1658. ISAAC FIELD (George, Isaac, Joseph, Zachariah, John, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., in 1795; m. Oct. 31, 1816, Sarah Ann Walcott.

Probate records. B. 1, p. 131. Isaac Field, a minor, son to wife of Mathewson Williams, said Isaac was son of George Field, and was under fourteen years of age Oct. 5, 1801. Mathewson Williams appointed guardian. John Greene, of Gloucester, objects. This Mathewson Williams was father of William G. Williams.

He d. April 19, 1855. Res. Providence, R. I.

3143. i. ANNA, b. in Providence; m. there, Andrew Ward. Ch.: 1. Clarence. 2. Isabel. 3. Alice. 4. One son.
3144. ii. MARY GREENE, b. in Providence; m. there, James M. Lawton, s. p. In New York, March 1, 1895, James M. Lawton died of pneumonia. He married for his first wife, Mary Greene, dau. of the late Isaac Field, of Providence.—Providence Journal, March 4, 1895.

1659. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I.; m. June 4, 1775, Hannah Moses, dau. of Samuel, of Gloucester. (Other records by her name were Irons and Janes.) Res. Cranston, R. I.

3145. i. THOMAS, b. about 1777; m. Annie Fanning.
3146. ii. SILAS, b. ——; m. Hannah Leavens. Went west.
3147. iii. SAMUEL, b. ——; d. unm.
3148. iv. BETSEY, b. ——; m. Josiah Colvin.
3149. v. WILLIAM, b. 1792; m. Betsey Angell.
3150. vi. WATERMAN, b. ——; m. Betsey Fenner.
3151. vii. DARIUS, b. 1779; m. Susan King.

1660. JOHN FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I., 1743; m. 1766, Elizabeth or Waite White. He d. 1828. Res. Cranston, R. I., and Tolland, Conn.

3152. i. PARDON, b. Sept. 27, 1767; m. Rachel Kent.
3153. ii. BARBARA, b. June 10, 1770.
3154. iii. ROXANNA, b. May 14, 1778.
3155. iv. JOHN, b. June 2, 1780; d. Nov. 24, 1828.
3156. v. JEREMIAH, b. Feb. 14, 1782.
3157. vi. ELIZABETH, b. March 19, 1784.

1662. STEPHEN FIELD (Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I., 1770; m. Parsia Capwell. He d. April, 1833. Res. Cranston, R. I.

3158. i. STEPHEN, b. ——; m. Martha Yaw and Henrietta ——.
3159. ii. GUILFORD, b. ——; m. Fanny Field.
3160. iii. SALLY, b. ——; m. Joseph Burton. Ch.: 1. John. 2. Charles. 3. Francis. 4. William.

1670. MAJOR ABNER FIELD (William, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Providence, R. I., July 5, 1754; m. Chloe Whipple; m., 2d, Feb. 22, 1779, Rebecca Payne, dau. of Capt. John, of Cranston. He was son of Capt. William Field, of Field's Point, Rhode Island. Abner was noted for his personal bravery. When he heard the news of the battle of Bunker Hill and the burning of Charlestown he instantly joined the volunteers, the Pawtuxet Rangers, at Cranston, or Long Neck, now called Pawtuxet Neck, under Lieut. Col. Oliver Arnold, second detachment. In July, 1778, he was on duty at Pawtuxet under Col. Benjamin Arnold. During the war he was taken prisoner and thrust into the notorious Jersey prison ship, where he soon became covered with vermin. It is said he held a commission in the army, and this is the tradition in the family.

Major Abner Field's estate was settled by Moses Warner, who was appointed administrator Dec. 26, 1792. He left three children, William, Robert W. and Stephen. Robert's guardian was named George Field; widow's name was Rebekah Payne. The Windsor County Gazeteer states that William died unmarried; Stephen married Mary Jordan; moved to Troy, Wis. Robert married Lydia Field, daughter of Pardon Field, and moved when an old man to Gerry, N. Y.—Windsor, Vt., Probate.

He d. Dec. 10, 1792. Res. Springfield and Chester, Vt.

3161. i. WILLIAM, b. in 1780; d. unm.
3162. ii. ROBERT WESCOTT, b. Feb. 28, 1781; m. Lydia Field.
3163. iii. STEPHEN, b. Jan. 10, 1791; m. Mary Jordan.
3163¼. iv. ABNER WHIPPLE, b. 1775; m. Betsey Tarbell.

1672. ENSIGN NEHEMIAH FIELD (William, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William) b. Providence, R. I., May 15, 1757; m. Aug. 27, 1781, Sarah Whitman, b. Sept. 25, 1761; d. July 21, 1831. Nehemiah Field was born at Field's Point, Providence, R. I., where his ancestors had lived for many years. He was the son of Capt. William Field, a prominent citizen there. When the news of the battle of Bunker Hill and the burning of Charlestown reached him, in company with his brother, Abner, he left the field, where he was at work, and enlisted in the Continental army. He was a very handsome man, being distinguished for his personal beauty. He served as ensign in Capt. Jeremiah Olney's Fourth company, in Col. David Hitchcock's regiment of the army of observation in 1775. He d. May 15, 1815. Res. North Adams, Mass.

3164. i. ARTHUR F., b. Dec. 18, 1782; m. Chloe ——.
3165. ii. AARON LELAND, b. Oct. 14, 1787; m. Anna Ostranda and Diana Mowry.

3166. iii. WILLIAM WHITMAN, b. ——; d. in infancy.
3167. iv. AMY WAIT, b. ——; d. in infancy.

1675. DAVID FIELD (William, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I., March 27, 1763; m. Mary Greene, dau. of Thomas, of Warwick, b. 1762; d. Dec. 8, 1854. He d. Nov. 17, 1821. Res. Providence, R. I.

3168. i. STEPHEN G., b. ——; m. Harriet Wallace.
3169. ii. THOMAS, b. ——; no children.
3170. iii. WAITE, b. ——; m. Samuel Gordon. She d. Plainfield, Conn., June 13, 1847. Ch.: 1. Mary. 2. Emily. 3. Eleanor. 4. David.
3171. iv. SARAH, b. 1796; m. June 22, 1818, Griffin Child, his second wife. He d. 1862. She d. 1855. Ch.: 1. William G., b. ——. 2. Anna M., b. ——.
3172. v. MARY, b. ——; m. Ch.: 1. Eliza, m. Feb. 27, 1843, Dennis Dawley.

1682. PARDON FIELD (James, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I., April 13, 1761; m. Elizabeth Williams; d. aged eighty-two. Pardon Field, was b. at Cranston, R. I., April 13, 1761, and was the son of James, who was the son of Jeremiah. Pardon Field came to Chester, Vt., between 1784 and 1788; m. Elizabeth Williams, who was a descendant of the fifth generation from Roger Williams. Their children were Hannah, who m. John Kibling; Lydia, m. Robert Field; James, Jeremiah, Abner, Joseph, Sarah, m. Stephen Austin; Welcome, Elizabeth and Pardon. He d. 1842. Res. Chester, Vt.

3173. i. HANNAH, b. June 5, 1782; m. John Kibling. Write Stillman Kibling, Ellisbury, N. Y.
3174. ii. LYDIA, b. May 16, 1784; m. Robert Field, son of Abner, of Chester, Vt. Ch.: 1. Abner. 2. Waite. 3. Hannah, m. Riley Putnum. 4. Alena. 5. Mary Ann, m. Charles Piper; no children. 6. Maria H. 7. Westcott R. 8. Lydia. 9. William H. 10. Alexander. For this family see elsewhere in this book.
3175. iii. JAMES, b. March 27, 1788; m. Mehetable Thurston.
3176. iv. JEREMIAH, b. May 8, 1790; m. Eliza Seamons.
3177. v. ABNER, b. Nov. 28, 1793; m. Louisa Griswold.
3178. vi. JOSEPH, b. Jan. 22, 1796; m. Abigail W. Thurston.
3179. vii. SARAH, b. March 27, 1798; m. Stephen Austin. Ch.: 1. Betsey, m. —— Foster; had son and daughter. 2. Stephen, m. Julia Fuller. 3. Hannah, m. Frank Fuller.
3180. viii. WELCOME, b. Oct. 14, 1802; m. Calista Earle.
3181. ix. ELIZABETH, b. March 10, 1807; d. Jan. 3, 1808.
3182. x. PARDON, b. April 10, 1805; m. Mary Hoar and Sarah Fish.

1684. CHARLES FIELD (James, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Chester, Vt., in 1769; m. there Jemimah Wilson, b. 1772; d. Aug. 20, 1837. Was a farmer. He d. Dec. 15, 1846. Res. Chester, Vt.

3183. i. FANNY ROGERS, b. Sept. 14, 1797; m. February, 1823, Warren Pease. He was b. Weston, Vt., in 1799; d. there in 1865. Was a cordwainer. She d. May 4, 1884, in Boston, Mass. Ch.: 1. Mary, b. June 14, 1825; m. July 24, 1851, in Boston, Samuel Sargent, b. July 27, 1818; d. Oct. 25, 1899, s. p. She resides 409 Walnut Av., Roxbury, Mass.

3184. ii. CHARLES, b. April 21, 1800; m. Mary Foster.
3185. iii. BETSEY, b. ——; m. Moses Hill; lives in Chester, Vt. She d. Buffalo, N. Y.
3186. iv. ELON, b. ——; m. Nancy Newton.
3187. v. ORRIN, b. ——; m. Mary Hoar.
3188. vi. REST, b. ——; m. Micah Cutler. She d. Boston, Mass.

1686. DANIEL FIELD (James, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I., Sept. 9, 1764; m. Sarah ——, b. Chester, Vt., Sept. 22, 1766. Res. Chester, Vt., and Rodman, N. Y.
3188⅛. i. HARRY, b. Dec. 8, 1792.
3188¼. ii. GEORGE, b. April 22, 1796.
3188⅓. iii. REUBEN, b. July 27, 1799.
3188½. iv. RUSSELL, b. May 26, 1801.
3188⅔. v. DANIEL, b. June 8, 1803.
3188¾. vi. JANE, b. April 9, 1805.
3189. vii. THOMAS, b. March 22, 1807; m. Eliza S. Hyde.
3189½. viii. LEONARD, b. Feb. 9, 1809; m. Margaret Gridley.
3189¾. ix. CATHARINE, b. Sept. 16, 1813.

1687. ELIJAH FIELD (James, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Cranston, R. I.; m. Mary ——. Res. Bristol, R. I.
3189⅞. i. WILLIAM G., b. ——; m. April 23, 1820, Eliza Bourne Norris, dau. of Capt John and Hannah.

1690. JAMES FIELD (James, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Chester, Vt.; m. —— Taylor. Res. Chester, Vt.
3190. i. MOSES. He was a clergyman.
3191. ii. SENECA. Lived in New Haven, Vt.
3192. iii. MARY.
3193 iv. JAMES; d. in 1876-77.

1695. WATERMAN FIELD (Thomas, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. South Scituate, R. I., Oct. 20, 1772; m. Dorcas Atwood, of Scituate, b. Dec. 10, 1775; d. Feb. 9, 1848. He d. New Berlin, Sept. 15, 1837. Res. Scituate, R. I., and New Berlin, N. Y.
3194. i. HENRY, b. Sept. 26, 1797; d. Nov. 4, 1826.
3195. ii. ARTHUR, b. June 30, 1799; d. July 14, 1824.
3196. iii. GARDINER, b. July 7, 1801; d. Jan. 1, 1836.
3197. iv. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 8, 1803; m. Clarissa Pike and Sarah Ann Bard.
3198. v. JOHN, b. March 19, 1806; m., and d. 1898.
3199. vi. WATERMAN, b. April 8, 1808; d. March 23, 1842.
3200. vii. ELLENOR, b. Oct. 6, 1810; d. May 18, 1833.
3201. viii. ABBY A., b. March 2, 1812; d. May 2, 1833.
3202. ix. LYDIA, b. April 1, 1816; d. ——.

1696. ISAAC FIELD (Thomas, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Scituate, R. I., December, 1774; m. Sally Fenner. He d. 1857. Res. South Scituate, R. I.
3203. i. SAMUEL.
3204. ii. LEONARD.
3205. iii. DAVID, b. June 13, 1809; m. Mercy Ramsdall and Mary Richmond.

3206. iv. SARAH.
3207. v. LYDIA, b. ——; m. Albert Phillips.

1697. PELEG FIELD (Thomas, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Scituate, R. I., Jan. 30, 1776; m. Jan. 24, 1799, Elizabeth Battey, dau. of Joshua, b. Nov. 20, 1780; d. Sept. 27, 1835, at New Berlin. He was b. in Scituate, R. I., where he was m. and soon removed to New Berlin, N. Y., where he began life in earnest, and soon took rank as one of the most prominent men in the early history of the place. He was identified with its industries, and was an important factor in the development of the infant settlement. He had ten children, three died in infancy and the others lived to occupy places of trust and influence. He d. Jan. 10, 1837. Res. New Berlin, N. Y.

3208. i. ABIGAIL, b. Jan. 9, 1802; m. July 21, 1820, Fabius M. Bradford. Fabius Maximus Bradford was a lineal descendant of Gov. William Bradford, of Plymouth colony, being in the sixth generation through the line of his eldest son by his second wife, Major William Bradford. She d. Dec. 10, 1826, and he m., 2d, Emma Fredenburgh. He d. Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1867. Ch.: 1. Mary Minerva, b. June 14, 1821; m. Sept. 18, 1842. Post office address, David N. Campbell, St. Johns, Mich. He was b. Jan. 22, 1819. Ch.: (a) Abbie Elizabeth Bradford, b. Sept. 1, 1843; m. Aug. 19, 1869, Sherman B. Daboll. Lives at St. Johns, Mich. (b) Annie Mary, b. Dec. 4, 1845; m. May 23, 1877, Warner Bunday. Lives at St. Johns. 2. (Second marriage) Sarah A., b. Feb. 17, 1837. 3. Caroline, b. Jan. 17, 1839. 4. Adelaide, b. March 29, 1845. 5. Clarence, d. young. Sarah A., m. Dec. 27, 1863, Joseph Outterson. Lives at Syracuse, N. Y. Caroline, m. in 1854, Benjamin F. Shetterly. She d. June 8, 1872. Her son George W. lives at ——. Adelaide, m. June 23, 1861, Mordicai Bevien, and has seven chilren, all born at Bradford, Stark county, Ill.

3209. ii. GEORGE, b. Oct. 18, 1803; m. Francis A. Brooks.

3210. iii. ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 1, 1805; m. Tracey S. Knapp. She d. Sept. 22, 1825. He was president of the First National Bank. Res. New Berlin, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Mary G., m. Lewis White. Res. Binghamton. 2. Reese.

3211. iv. ORRIN, b. April 28, 1808; m. Mary A. Atwood and Maria J. Whaley.

3212. v. HARRIET, b. Aug. 20, 1810; d. Dec. 9, 1819.

3213. vi. ARNOLD, b. March 25, 1815; m. Ellen D. Bennett.

3214. vii. HORACE, b. July 31, 1818. Capt. Horace Field was born in New Berlin, N. Y.; m. Mary H. Jaffrey, of Portsmouth, N. H., dau. of George. Horace B. Field was captain of Third artillery in the regular army, was educated at West Point. He was lost at sea, in the steamship San Francisco, Dec. 24, 1853. No children.

3215. viii. THOMAS H., b. ——.

3216. ix. HELEN S., b. Sept. 17, 1821; m. Aug. 17, 1848, Charles B. Williams; no children. She d. in New Berlin, N. Y., Sept. 26, 1893; was a member of the Episcopal church. He is now president of the First National Bank of New Berlin.

3217. x. MARION, b. April 4, 1825; d. May 4, 1826.

1698. THOMAS FIELD (Thomas, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Scituate, R. I., Dec. 6, 1778; m.

in Cooperstown, N. Y., Thankful Windsor, b. April 24, 1789; d. Nov. 28, 1856. He was a farmer. He d. in Pascoag, Burrillville, R. I., Dec. 6, 1858. Res. Scituate, R. I.

3218. i. JAMES WHIPPLE, b. March 22, 1814; m. —— —— and —— ——.

3219. ii. MARCY ANN, b. March 25, 1816; m. July 24, 1845, Frederick Vallette. She resides Glen Elder, Kans.

3220. iii. DELIA, b. March 8, 1818; m. April 12, 1838, George Harris. She d. s. p., Dayton, O., July 28, 1881.

3221. iv. ALDEN PIERCE, b. Feb. 17, 1824, m. Sarah E. Hopkins.

3222. v. JOHN ANGELL, b. Feb. 21, 1822; m. Florinda A. Hopkins.

3223. vi. ALICE WINDSOR, b. Jan. 21, 1820; m. John Phillips. She d. Delvan, Ill.

3224. vii. LAURA ELIZA, b. July 12, 1826; m. Rev. Alpha Morton. She d. April, 1895, Paxton, Mass.

3225. viii. ALMIRA SHELDON, b. June 30, 1829; unm. Res. Glen Elder, Kans.

1699. JEREMIAH FIELD (Thomas, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William William), b. Scituate, R. I., Oct. 27, 1780; m. there March 7, 1812, Florinda Manchester, b. Feb. 22, 1785; d. Jan. 5, 1870. He was a farmer. He d. Dec. 2, 1868. Res. Scituate, R. I.

3226. i. HENRY M., b. July 27, 1813; m. Elizabeth Hixon.

3227. ii. ALBERT G., b. Jan. 26, 1816; m. Ann Eliza Smith.

3228. iii. AUGUSTUS E., b. July 16, 1819; m. Barbara S. King.

3229. iv. JEREMIAH HERBERT, b. April 7, 1822; m. Malvina M. Knight.

1702. SALATHIEL FIELD (Daniel, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Smithfield, R. I., Oct. 4, 1778; m. Sept. 22, 1803, Sally Howe, b. Sept. 22, 1780; d. Jan. 29, 1808; m., 2d, Jan. 20, 1809, Lydia Bragg, b. June 1, 1793; d. May 27, 1828; m., 3d, Jan. 29, 1829, Susan Merritt, of Cohasset, Mass., b. Feb. 14, 1793; d. Dec. 24, 1862. Salathiel settled on the farm in the west part of the town of Springfield, now owned by his grandson, Arthur M. Field. He was a farmer and stone mason. He d. Dec. 12, 1865. Res. Springfield, Vt.

3230. i. LORENZO D., b. June 22, 1804; m. —— ——.

3231. ii. DANIEL, b. Oct. 13, 1805; m. Mary Fuller and Elizabeth N. Stebbins.

3232. iii. SARAH HOWE, b. May 2, 1810; m. Feb 28, 1843, Dr. Asa Leffingwell Spaulding. For full record of this family see the family of Dr. Simeon Field, of Enfield, Conn.

3233. iv. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. Nov. 18, 1812; m. Jane M. Dunlop.

3234. v. JOHN BRAGG, b. Feb. 22, 1815; n. f. k.

3235. vi. GEORGE OLCOTT, b. April 10, 1817. He went to California, and when the Civil war broke out enlisted in one of the regiments from that state. He was never heard of afterward, and was probably killed. Unmarried. He was at one time editor of the New Orleans Picayune.

3236. vii. LINCOLN MICHAEL, b. Sept. 15, 1819; m. Eliza P. Fairbank; m., 2d, Louisa M. Bowen. He d. in Lowell, Mass., February, 1882. Son John in Fitchburg, Mass.

3237. viii. ABIGAIL BROWN, b. Nov. 24, 1822; m. Aug. 30, 1841, John Simonds, b. 1812, Elizabethtown, Canada. He d. December, 1856;

was a merchant, and she m., 2d, April 24, 1862, Edward Hall, of Ellington, Conn., who d. Aug. 19, 1875. She resides Buffalo, N. Y., with married dau., 126 Ashland Av. Ch.: 1. Mary Ester Simonds, b. April 27, 1850; m. June 21, 1877, Edward C. Isaac; d. April 6, 1880. She d. April 6, 1884. Ch.: (a) Edward Otto Isaacs, name changed to Farnham, b. July 24, 1878. Res. 126 Ashland Av., Buffalo. 2. Orson Josiah, b. September, 1853; d. February, 1854. 3. Sarah M., b. Jan. 20, 1842; m. Nov. 20, 1872, Dr. Eli Warner, b. March 24, 1843; d. May 28, 1884. Res. Farmington Av., Hartford, Conn. Ch.: (a) Edward Hall, b. Oct. 21, 1873. (b) Mary Margaret, b. Aug. 11, 1875, both unm. 4. Grace Hall, b. May 17, 1866; m. Oct. 30, 1889, Charles E. Farnham, lawyer, Buffalo, N. Y. Present address, 186 Ashland Av., Buffalo, N. Y.

3238. ix. MARY JANE, b. May 27, 1828; m. June 9, 1850, Edward Meech. Res. Charlotte, Vt. He was b. June 20, 1818; d. Feb. 19, 1885. Was a farmer. Ch.: 1. Charles Edgar, b. March 18, 1852; m. April 25, 1895. 2. William Field, b. June 19, 1854; d. Dec. 12, 1874. 3. Mary Elizabeth, b. June 21, 1856. 4. Abbie Jennie, b. June 16, 1860; m. Oct. 13, 1880, William K. Sheldon; 18 Maple St., Adams, Mass. 5. Sarah Spaulding, b. July 10, 1862; m. Oct. 27, 1887, Charles A. Austin, 28 Reynolds Terrace, Orange, N. J.

3239. x. LYDIA ANN, b. May 27, 1828; m. June 10, 1852, in Enfield, Conn., Adolphus King, son of Col. Jabez King, of Enfield. She resides 20 Beach St., Hartford, Conn. He was b. April 22, 1813; d. Oct. 3, 1865; a manufacturer for southern trade. Ch.: 1. Lydia Elizabeth King, b. Sept. 27, 1853. 2. Edward Adolphus, b. Feb. 22, 1856; artist; m. June 26, 1883, Eleanor A. Newby, in New York. Office, 156 5th Ave., New York. 3. Franklin King, artist, b. May 8, 1860; m. Florence Maria Waring Parsons, of New York. Add. 150 Nassau St., New York. 4. Abbie Louise King, b. April 11, 1863; m. Redfield Howe Allen, of Hartford. Res. Buffalo.

3240. xi. ELIZABETH CHASE, b. Jan. 10, 1831; m. June 1, 1854, Foster H. Whitcomb. Res. Springfield, Mass.

3241. xii. HANNAH WHITMAN, b. Oct. 4, 1832; unm. Res. Chester Depot, Vt.

3242. xiii. SUSAN MERRIT, b. Sept. 17, 1834; m. June 15, 1856, Joseph A. Wilson. Res. Chester Depot, Vt.

3243. xiv. DAVID SALATHIEL, b. Feb. 1, 1837; m. Millie M. Shaw.

1705. ARTHUR FIELD (Daniel, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Springfield, Vt., Dec. 1, 1783; m. in Cavendish, December, 1813, Laura Rodgers, b. June 30, 1792; d. Sept. 15, 1778. He worked with his father at blacksmithing, and manufactured hoes and other farming tools in the shop by the brook, near the old Field place. His hoes had a great reputation, and no farm was thought to be well furnished with tools unless it had a "Field hoe." They were the best tools of the kind then made, and for quality of material, proper shape, and ease of working they have not been excelled since. In those days they sold for $1.50 each. Arthur Field was a man of ability, had a wonderful memory, and was well versed in the history of his town. He d. Oct. 5, 1870. Res. Springfield, Vt.

3244. i. ARABELLA S., b. Oct. 18, 1815; m. Feb. 19, 1835, William M. Messenger. He was a carpenter and built the house now owned (1895) by F. G. Ellison. He d. Sept. 2, 1849. Ch.: 1. Ambre, d. at age of twenty. 2. Abbie. Res. Dorchester, Mass. 3. Emma, m. George Demary. Res. Dorchester, Mass. 4. William C., member of Company A. Third regiment Vermont Volunteers; wounded in battle June 3, 1864; d. of wounds Juné 6, 1864. 5. Henry Arthur, d. April 23, 1893.

3245. ii. MARCIA, b. Nov. 4, 1817; unm. Res. Springfield Vt.

3246. iii. RICHARD, b. Jan. 18, 1821; m. Susan Kilbourn.

1714. DAVID SEYMOUR FIELD (Daniel, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Springfield, Vt., April 12, 1800; m. in Vermont, Oct. 27, 1829, Martha Wheeler, b. Aug. 26, 1810; d. June 10, 1889. He was a carpenter. He d. Nov. 3, 1872. Res. Wolcottville, Ind.

3247. i. HELEN M., b. Dec. 7, 1833; m. —— Miller. Res. Sturges, Mich.

3248. ii. MARGARET A., b. July 23, 1835.

3249. iii. LOUISA M., b. Aug. 19, 1837; m. —— Ottman. She d. Jan. 18, 1862.

3249½. iv. HENRY C., b. March 25, 1842. Res. Buffalo, Mich.

3250. v. DANIEL W., b. July 12, 1843.

1717. REUBEN FIELD (Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Pomfret, Conn., Nov. 22, 1772; m. there June 21, 1798, Alicey Brayton. He d. 1842. Res. Pomfret, Conn., and Troy, N. Y.

3251. i. LYDIA, b. Pomfret, Conn., March 20, 1799; m. in Lewisburg, Pa., in 1817, Randall Wilcox. He was b. in Lee, Mass., 1796; d. 1872. She d. in DePere, Wis., in 1878. Ch.: 1. Martha, m. April 29, 1853, Albert C. Robinson, b. Nov. 1, 1825; d. November, 1858; dau. Alberta, b. Feb. 10, 1854; m. May 4, 1875, Dorr Clark. Res. Green Bay, Wis. Ch.: (a) Grace Robinson Clark, b. Green Bay, June 4, 1876. Present address, Boston School of Art, Boston. (b) Florence Wilcox Clark, b. Sept. 14, 1879. Present address, Bryne Mawr College, Pennsylvania.

Randall Wilcox was b. in Lee, Mass., in 1797. In 1836 he came from that state to De Pere. On his arrival was chosen president of the DePere Hydraulic Co. He was made president of the DePere bank, into which he put his own capital, and by the failure of which he was a considerable loser. He died in DePere, in 1872. 2. Mary C., b. March 10, 1823; m. Sept. 25, 1842, John Wallace Arndt, b. Wilkesbarre, Pa., 1815; d. Jan. 12, 1897. She d. April 12, 1891. Res. Green Bay, Wis. Ch.: (a) Edward Wilcox Arndt, b. Feb. 8, 1845; d. June 9, 1869. (b) Eley Morgan, b. Nov. 27, 1846; m. Sept. 5, 1866, Charles A. Lawton, b. Dec. 16, 1844. He is a founder and machinist. Res. DePere, Wis. Ch.: i. Edward Wallace Lawton, b. Aug. 20, 1867. ii. Ellen Baird Lawton, b. April 9, 1869. (c) Emily Hayes Loy, b. March 27, 1848; m. Sept. 5, 1866. (d) Mary C. Shepard, b. Nov. 28, 1849; d. Oct. 7, 1874. (e) Lizzie Lee Arndt. (f) Alice Bowering, b. May 8, 1854; d. June 10, 1874. (g) Randall W. Arndt, b. March 9, 1857; d. Dec. 27, 1874. (h) Lydia Field Arndt. (i) Martha Ann Byers, b. May 29, 1859.

3252 ii. REUBEN, b. March 20, 1809; m. and d. Jan. 26, 1886.
3253. iii. ELCEY, b. ——.
3254. iv. ADELINE, b. ——.
3255 v. EMILY, b. ——; m. Tom Hayes, of Philadelphia. She d. s. p. before she had been married a year.

1720. JEREMIAH FIELD (Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Pomfret, Conn., March 21, 1783; m. Aug. 24, 1806, Hannah Angell, b. Scituate, R. I.; d. Aug. 11, 1829; m., 2d, Lucine Durfee, of Killingly, Conn. He d. Dec. 10, 1866. Res. Killingly, Conn.

3256. i. GEORGE LAFAYETTE, b. ——; m. and resides in Killingly.
3257. ii. BARNET AUGUSTUS, b. March 16, 1827; m. Julia Wilson.
3258. iii. HARRIET ANGELINE, lives at Dorchester, Mass.
3259 iv. HANNAH MARIAH, d. May 6, 1889.
3260. v. ASIA CAROLINE, d. Jan. 18, 1892.
3261. vi. ABBY PHIRRILLA, d. April 6, 1892.
3262. vii. JEREMIAH ANGELL, d. Oct. 4, 1843.
3263. viii. EMILY ANN, d. ——.
3264. ix. MARY CHARLOTTE, d. March 30, 1821.
3265. x. MARY LOUISE, d. Oct. 2, 1823.
3266. xi. FRANCES ELIZA, d. March 17, 1899.
3267. xii. LEAURA, d. ——.

1723. GOVERNOR WILLIAM FIELD (Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Pomfret, Conn., April 12, 1790; m. Stafford, Conn., Nov. 20, 1820, Martha Pinney, b. Nov. 7, 1790; d. Feb. 27, 1835; m., 2d, at Stafford, April 17, 1839, Juliette M. Johnson. Mr. Field once wrote that he was descended from William Field, who landed in Rhode Island about 1634. He died childless, but had made Thomas Field, his cousin or nephew, his heir. This Thomas Field was great grandfather of the subject of this sketch. Lydia Colwell, great granddaughter of Roger Williams, was mother of same subject.

In early life Mr. Field worked at forging machinery, and was a member of the firm of White, Rawson & Field. In the war of 1812 he served with a military company at New London. From 1812 to 1826 he kept store in Stafford street, and at Lafayette Furnace. In 1832 he visited Rockford, Ill., where he bought land and built a house, intending to take up his residence there, but decided to remain in Connecticut, and again engaged in manufacturing in Stafford. In 1846 he purchased of his brother, Barnet, their father's farm, in Pomfret, and lived there until 1865, when he returned to Stafford Springs. In 1831 and 1833 was State Senator; in 1836-37 was comptroller of public accounts. In —— (the writing is obscure) and 1850 was again State Senator. In 1855 was chosen Lieutenant Governor. In 1837 was bank commissioner. Was in religion a Universalist; in politics, a Democrat in early life, a Republican in later years.

He d. Sept. 20, 1878. Res. Stafford, Conn.

3268. i. WILLIAM, b. March 12, 1823; m. Martha Jordan.
3269. ii. MARTHA, b. Aug. 5, 1821; m. Oct. 24, 1849, Austin Ruggles. She d. in California, June 25, 1873.
3270. iii. GEORGE, b. Feb. 19, 1827; m. Cornelia B. Last.
3271. iv. GRACE, b. March 28, 1825; d. April 5, 1830.
3272. v. ANN, b. Nov. 25, 1829; d. unm. in California, April 25, 1861.

1725. WILLIAM FIELD (Charles, Thomas, William, Thomas, Thomas, William, John, Richard, William, William), b. Rhode Island; m. —— ——. Res. Hartwick, N. Y.

3273. i. ELISHA, b. 1799; m. Austis Lippitt.

1726. JOHN WILNER FIELD, B. A. (Joshua, John, John, Jeremiah, Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William). He was of Heaton, England, eldest son and heir, Lord of Heaton, Shipley, Barnaby-moor and Allerthorpe cum Waplington. Born Aug. 20, 1775; bap. at the church of the Holy Trinity in York; d. 1839. He m. Anne, eldest dau. of Robert Wharton Myddleton, Esq., of Grimble Park, in Cleveland county, York, at Easington, Sept. 3, 1812. She d. Feb. 11, 1815, and was buried at Crambe, near Melton, Yorkshire. His second wife was Isabella Helena, dau. of Captain Salter, R. N., whom he m. in 1839. His residences were at Heaton Hall and Helensby Lodge, York county, England. He was at one time an officer in the Royal Horse Guards Blue. He was a magistrate and Deputy-Lieutenant for the West Riding, of Yorkshire, succeeding his father in 1819.

The descendants of Joseph Field, lord of the manor of Heaton, bap. in 1601, became extinct in the male line, on the death of John Wilmer Field and his brother, Joshua, neither of whom had a son, and their large estates at Bradford and in other parts of Yorkshire, passed out of the family. There may be male descendants of this Joseph Field's uncles, Thomas, William, or George; but on this point the writer can give no information.

Res. Heaton Hall, Yorkshire, England.

3274. i. MARY, the elder, b. July 21, 1813; bap. at Bradford July 24, 1813, and christened Sept. 8, 1813. She m. April 14, 1836, Lord Oxmantown, afterwards Earl of Rosse. William, Lord Oxmantown, was b. June 17, 1800. He was Lord-Lieutenant in the Kings county and colonel of its militia.

3275. ii. DELIA, the younger dau., was b. Oct. 23, 1814; bap. at Witwell and christened at Bradford, July 24, 1815. She m. the Hon. Arthur Duncombe, son of the first Baron Feversham, and afterwards admiral and M. P. for East Riding of Yorkshire.

1728. LORD JOSHUA FIELD (Joshua, John, John, Jeremiah, Joseph, Edward, William, John, John, William), b. May 10, 1778; m. Aug. 17, 1801, Elizabeth Wainman, dau. of William, Esq., of Carrhead, in Craven. Joshua was of Westner House, in York county, and of Park Crescent, London; Lord of the Manor, of Berrythrope cum Kennythrope.

3276. i. ELIZABETH, the elder, b. July 13, 1802; bap. at Bradford Aug. 4, 1802; d. at Harrogate, July 11, 1822, and buried at Bradford.

3277. ii. MARY ANNE, the second dau., was b. Feb. 19, 1805; d. unm. in 1825.

1731. THOMAS S. FIELD (Thomas, Elnathan, Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Middletown, N. J., Aug. 1, 1810; m. there May 12, 1835, Martha Taylor, b. Feb. 25, 1814; d. March 20, 1895. He d. Feb. 13, 1891. Res. Middletown, N. J.

3278. i. ELINOR; d. in childhood.

3279. ii. THOMAS, unm.; d. Oct. 17, 1862.

3280. iii. JOSEPH T., b. Nov. 9, 1840; m. Isabella Wikoff.

3281. iv. HENRY, b. Aug. 2, 1844; m. Ada Brooks.

3282. v. SUSAN; b. ——; d. in childhood.

3283. vi. EDWIN, b. May 2, 1849; m. Alice M. Hance.

3284. vii. MARTHA, b. Aug. 3, 1856; m. Dr. John H. Van Marten; d. Dec. 3, 1894. Ch.: 1. Isabella, b. 1882. 2. Harry, b. 1885.

1732. JOSEPH FIELD (Thomas, Elnathan, Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Middletown, N. J., Sept. 26, 1792; m. Euretta Headin. He d. April 1, 1897, aged 104. Res. Middletown, N. J.

3285. i. REBECKAH, b. Feb. 20, 1868.

3286. ii. JOSEPH, b. Dec. 29, 1870; m. Nettie Frazer.

3287. iii. EURETTA, b. Feb. 1, 1872; m. Joseph Whiting. Ch.: 1. Ernest. 2. Dolores.

1738. ELNATHAN FIELD (Elnathan, Elnathan, Robert, Elnathan, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Middletown, N. J.; m. there, Rebeckah Field. Res. Middletown, N. J.

3288. i. ELNATHAN, b. Oct. 2, 1838; m. Annie Hendrickson.

3289. ii. MATILDA, b. ——; m. Joseph A. Hendrickson. Ch.: 1. Rebeckah. 2. Matilda.

1740. LIEUTENANT ROBERT FIELD (Robert, Robert, Robert, Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. White Hill, N. J., 1797; m. 1822, Charlotte Brooks, of Natchez, Miss., b. Oct. 13, 1806; d. May 31, 1881. The eldest son Robert was b. at White Hill, in 1797. When twelve years old, he, together with Robert Field Stockton, his cousin, and afterwards commodore in United States navy, ran away from home and shipped "before the mast" on board a man of war. When they were located by their friends, they were, by direct appeal to the President, sent to the naval school, then established at Washington, D. C. As midshipman and lieutenant, he served with credit to himself and to his flag. He was in the action between the Constitution and Guerrière as well as in others during the war of 1812, and the war with the Barbary States.

He resigned his commission in 1822, at the time of his marriage with Charlotte Brooks, daughter of a wealthy cotton planter of Natchez, Miss., and spent the remainder of his life on the Anchorage plantation, where he died Aug. 30, 1850, leaving two sons and three daughters.

He d. Aug. 30, 1850. Res. Anchorage Plantation, Natchez, Miss.

3290. i. ROBERT, b. Aug. 19, 1842; m. Belle Daniel.

3291. ii. CHARLOTTE BROOKS, b. Nov. 10, 1837; d. July 30, 1857.

3292. iii. WM. BROOKS, b. May 12, 1844; m. Medora Cotton.

3293. iv. MARY DUNBAR, b. May 2, 1849; m. in 1865, Wm. Crane; d. April 30, 1867, s. p., in Jackson, Miss.

3294. v. JULIA, b. ——; d. in infancy.

3295. vi. HANNAH BOUDINOT, b. ——; m. Chancellor McGill; res. Trenton, N. J.

3296. vii. ANNIS, b. Jan. 24, 1828; m. Nov. 6, 1845, Dr. P. M. Enders, of Baton Rouge, La. They had three sons and about six daughters and both are dead. Their eldest son, Dr. Robert M. Enders, lives at Little Rock, Ark.; address, 1701 Gaines street.

1741. HON. RICHARD STOCKTON FIELD (Robert, Robert, Robert, Benjamin, Robert, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. White Hill, Burlington county, N. J., Dec. 31, 1803; m. Salem, N. J., 1831, Mary Ritchie; d. 1852. He was a grandson of Richard Stockton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence; was graduated at Princeton in 1821; studied law in the office of his uncle, Richard Stockton, and was admitted to the bar in 1825. He was for several years a member of the New Jersey Legislature, and in 1838 was

appointed attorney-general of the State, which office he resigned in 1844. He was a prominent member of the convention that met in 1844 to adopt the present constitution of the State of New Jersey, and in 1851 was chosen to deliver the first annual address before an association composed of its survivors. From 1847 till 1855 he was professor in the New Jersey Law School. Ever taking a strong interest in educational matters, and especially in the common schools of the State, he was in the latter year made president of the board of trustees of the State Normal School, then just organized, and thenceforward until his death he wrote all its annual reports to the Legislature. In November, 1862, he was appointed to the United States Senate for the unexpired term of John R. Thompson, who died in office. While a member of that body he delivered an able argument on the discharge of State prisoners, in which he maintained that the right to suspend the writ of habeas corpus resided, not in Congress, but in the President. On Jan. 21, 1863, he was appointed, by President Lincoln, United States district judge for the district of New Jersey, which office he held until his death. In 1866 he was a delegate to the Philadelphia convention, and throughout his life he was an unflinching advocate of the Union cause. After his elevation to the bench, he lived in comparative seclusion in his luxurious home at Princeton. Judge Field was a man of varied and profound learning, gentle, courteous and dignified, and of a charitable disposition.

He was closely identified with his alma mater, which in return conferred upon him in 1859 the degree of LL.D. Judge Field at the time of his decease was president of the New Jersey Historical Society, and for many years a valuable contributor to its publications. "The Provincial Courts of New Jersey," etc., forming the third volume of the "Collections" (1849), is probably his most valuable contribution to historical research. Among his best known addresses, all of which have been printed, are those "On the Trial of the Rev. William Tenent for Perjury in 1742" (1851); "The Power of Habit" (1855); "The Constitution Not a Compact Between Sovereign States" (1861); "On the Life and Character of Chief Justice Hornblower" (1865); and "An Oration on the Life and Character of Abraham Lincoln" (1866).

He d. May 25, 1870. Res. Princeton, N. J.

3297. i. EDWARD, b. May, 1841; m. Minna Young.

3298. ii. ANNIS S., b. ——; m. Charles McMillan, res. Princeton.

3299. iii. DAUGHTER, b. ——; m. Frank S. Conover; res. Princeton.

1746. CALEB SHREVE FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Rising Sun Square, near Bordentown, Burlington county, N. J., Nov. 12, 1778; m. there Jan. 7, 1802, Catherine Thomas, of Springfield, N. J., b. April 25, 1781; d. July 16, 1816. He was interested in the iron works at White Hill, and was instrumental in having the steamboat Phœnix built there, about the year 1810. She was not a success, as she was not able to stem the tide. Dr. Brognard, a French gentleman who had a share in the enterprise, proposed cutting it in two and making wood boats out of her. She was sold to John Stevens, who took her to Hoboken, where a more powerful engine was put in her, and she was run for many years on the Delaware. He d. Nov. 12, 1846. Res. Bordentown, Burlington county, N. J.

3300. i. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 25, 1809; m. in 1836, Joseph J. Aaronson; she d. April 24, 1878. He was b. Sept. 21, 1805; d. April 8, 1877. Ch.: 1. John Henry Aaronson, b. Feb. 26, 1839; d. Philadelphia, Feb. 22, 1894. 2. Caleb Field Aaronson, b. Dec. 1, 1843; d. Trenton, N. J., Jan. 20, 1894. 3. Anna Mary Aaronson, b. Feb. 7, 1850; m. Geo. Henry Ivens, April 30, 1875; d. Dec. 3, 1897, at

her home in St. Paul, Minn. She left one child, b. March 18, 1878, at Philadelphia, named Edith V. Ivens; her present address is Horton Station, Kent county, Md. 4. Emma Louisa Aaronson, b. June 23, 1854; unm.; res. 2007 Norris street, Philadelphia, Pa.

3301. ii. MARY ANN, b. July 23, 1803; m. —— Pennock; she d. September, 1886.

3302. iii. ISAAC, b. Feb. 28, 1811; d Feb. 9, 1896; res. Bordentown..

3303. iv. SOLOMON, b. July 9, 1812; d. Jan. 1, 1886.

3304. v. CATHERINE, b. July 16, 1816; unm.; res. 1940 North Nineteenth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

3305. vi. TIMOTHY, b. Oct. 6, 1805; m. Juliet P. Davidson.

Mrs. Anna Hutchinson, Trenton, N. J., dau. of Timothy; Emma L. Aaronson, Bordentown, N. J., dau. of Abigail; Elizabeth Arned, Trenton, N. J., dau. of Isaac; Francis F. Clarkson, Philadelphia, Pa., son of Solomon.

1748. BENJAMIN FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Mansfield, Burlington county, N. J., in 1776; m. Nov. 15, 1801, Martha Tallman, d. in 1806; m., 2d, May 18, 1815, Ann Zelley, b. March 1, 1796, d. in 1869. He was a cabinetmaker. Fieldsboro is a small village situated on the bank of the Delaware river, one mile southwest of Bordentown, Burlington county, N. J. He d. 1848. Res. Fieldsboro, N. J.

3306. i. SARAH, b. ——; m. Ezra Biddle.

3307. ii. REBECCA, b. ——; m. Asa Rodgers.

3308. iii. MARGARET A. OLDEN, b. 1818; m. Thomas Atkinson; she d. ——; he emigrated to the west and was drowned. Descendants res. in St. Louis, Mo., and Salt Lake City.

3309. iv. ELEANOR W., b. 1820; m. John Single; res. Fieldsboro; she m., 2d, Wm. Atkinson, of Bordentown.

3310. v. JOSEPH COOK, b. in 1823; m. Sarah Armit; he d. s. p. in 1868.

3311. vi. ABIGAIL A., b. 1827; m. Geo. Steward. Ch.: 1. Henry. 2. Lydia Ann; m., 2d, Geo. W. Cross; res. Ellisdale, N. J. Ch.: 3. Miller H. 4. Anna F. 5. Cora.

3312. vii. WM. AMBROSE, b. Jan. 9, 1832; m. July 1, 1859, Perley E. Adams, b. Jan. 8, 1832; d. Aug. 11, 1891; m., 2d, Kate E. Leonard; res. s. p. 1457 Myrtle street, Oakland, Cal.

3313. viii. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. April 14, 1834; m. Hannah C. Stephens.

3314. ix. RACHEL J., b. May 20, 1838; m. in Bordentown, N. J., James Strode, b. May 18, 1832; res. 451 Penn avenue, Elmira, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Anna Mary Strode, b. Nov. 7, 1858; m. March 1, 1888. 2. William A. Strode, b. May 4, 1867; m. May 8, 1894. 3. G. Lewis Strode, b. June 4, 1872.

3315. x. MARTHA A., b. 1816; d. young.

1749. THOMAS FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bordentown, N. J.; m. Rebecca Woodward, dau. of George Woodward, of Rural Park. He was born in Bordentown, N. J., moved to Philadelphia, where for many years he was an India merchant. Res. Philadelphia, Pa.

3316. i. MARY (only child), b. ——; m. Thomas Wood. He was a coal merchant of Bristol, Pa., and later a farmer near Mansfield Square. He was a brother of George Wood, a celebrated lawyer

of New York, and the wife of Gen. Wm. H. Montgomery, United States Army. Thomas died in 1876, and was buried in Upper Springfield cemetery. He was a keen sportsman, genial, high-minded, honorable, and was one of nature's noblemen.

1751. ISAAC FIELD (Joseph, Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bordentown, N. J.; m. Martha Woodward, dau. of George and sister of Rebecca; m., 2d, Mrs. Mary (Biddle) Bates; m., 3d, Malinda P. ——. He was for many years a supercargo in the India trade, and afterwards entered into partnership with his brother Thomas in Philadelphia.

While a supercargo of the ship Washington, Captain Jefferson, on his return to this country from China, she was stranded in the shoal waters off the coast of Sumatra. While thus situated, she was attacked by the natives in a fleet of boats from shore. They successfully repelled them for several days, the boat was at last got off, and proceeded to port. Then the yellow fever broke out on board and the captain and many of the crew died, and she was abandoned as unseaworthy. American ships were scarce in those waters in those days, and knowing the heavy loss that would be incurred in disposing of so valuable a cargo in that port with no market, Mr. Field, after strenuous exertions and giving heavy bonds of release to the insurance companies and greedy officials, succeeded in regaining possession of the goods, and with a crew of the natives and Malays—all of whom were unaccustomed to such long trips, succeeded, however, in securing their services for the home trip. Mr. Field was obliged to enter into bonds with that government for the safe return of all the men. The boat finally reached Philadelphia, which port she never again left. This was in the year 1835, and the visit of the Malays, at that early period being quite a novelty, they attracted considerable attention. On the July 4, Mr. Field took them by steamboat to his old home at White Hill, N. J. They numbered thirty-one, including a cannibal. They enjoyed eating cherries very much, the cannibal swallowing the stones. Mr. Field on his next voyage returned them all to their homes, but the cannibal, for whom he was not under bonds and who wished to remain in this country, did not return. He married a colored woman, became a sincere Christian, and accumulated quite a little property selling pies and cakes around the streets of White Hill, Mr. Field's home. There Mr. Field always resided; he was well known in the community, for his genial and kind disposition and polished manners.—Bordentown, N. J., Register, Aug. 16, 1878.

Mr. Field's second wife was the daughter of Thomas and Charlotte Biddle, of Burlington county, N. J. Res. White Hill, N. J.

3317. i. MALCOM MACARTHUR, b. ——. Unfortunately for his son Malcom, the father in the Indies saved the life of a Spanish don, who out of gratitude claimed the privilege of educating the son. Malcom was reared in luxury and pride, amidst bull fighting and fandangoes. He would have made a splendid Spaniard, but at the age of seventeen he returned home and entered the family and store of a most estimable and strict Friend. The change was like the transplanting of hot-house plant on an iceberg. With too much life in him to settle down he became a bright man, but wandered away.

3318. ii. HENRY, b. ——. He resided on the old place at White Hill and on the breaking out of the Mexican war enlisted, and while serving in that country was killed.

3319. iii. ISAAC, b. ——. He was a soldier in the Union army, and d. in New Orleans, La.

1753½. AUSTIN FIELD (Austin, Benjamin, Ambrose, Robert, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Flushing, L. I., about 1774; m. there Mary Cornell; she d. there. He d. in 1836. Res. Flushing, L. I.

3319¼. i. THOMAS, b. ——; m. and had children, but address unknown.
3319⅓. ii. BENJAMIN PRINCE, b. March 27, 1800; m. Eliza Post.
3319½. iii. ANN.
3319¾. iv. MARGARET.
3319⅞. v. MARY.

1756. PETER FIELD (Peter, William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Salem, N. Y., Oct. 21, 1783; m. in Quaker Hill, N. Y., Dec. 9, 1806, Ann Akin, b. 1786; d. Oct. 1, 1866. After Peter Field, Sr., gave up the jewelry business in New York, his son Peter, Jr., followed the business extensively. His granddaughter has a silver teapot and set of silver spoons he gave her mother, and the spoons bear his stamp. He was robbed one Sunday during mid-day of $10,000 worth of goods. An acquaintance in a church, which was opposite his store, saw a man dressed as he dressed go three times to the door and try a key, and he wondered why Mr. Field went to his store on Sunday. The famous detectives, Hays brothers, were put on track, and arrested one of the richest men in New York, who lived in grand style and had apparatus for working and melting all metals. He kept his books, and in these books was registered the number of things he had stolen from Peter Field, Jr. He was sent to Auburn State Prison for ten years. Mr. Field had had bills printed and sent all over the country giving the facts of the robbery, little thinking the bold thieving was done by a neighbor. He d. Sept. 18, 1847. Res. New York City and Brutus, N. Y.

3320. i. HENRY AIKEN, b. Nov. 22, 1820; m. Julia M. Evertson.
3321. ii. JOHN A., b. ——.
3322. iii. MARGARET, b. ——.
3323. iv. AMANDA, b. ——.
3324. v. EDWARD, b. ——.
3325. vi. MARY, b. ——.
3326. vii. AUGUSTUS, b. ——. Augustus was an officer in the Civil war, and went to the West Indies many years ago and has not been heard from since he was in Libby Prison during the Civil war. He was incarcerated there for a year.

1757. AMBROSE SPENCER FIELD (Peter, William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Hudson, N. Y., July 9, 1785; m. in New York, Susanna Ryerson, b. July 11, 1803, d. July 5, 1884. He was a watchmaker. He d. April, 1837. Res. New York, N. Y.

3327. i. ELMA, b. Jan. 25, 1828; m. Aug. 27, 1844, Charles Ellis Folwell; res. 407 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. He was b. Nov 18, 1810; d. April 30, 1871; was in the insurance business. Ch.: 1. Ida May (Ballard), b. June 15, 1848; m. June 23, 1871 2. Charles Francis, b. Jan. 16, 1851; m. October, 1883. 3. Harry Dudley, b. Oct. 17, 1852; d. Aug. 25, 1865. 4. Arthur Thomas, b. Sept. 20, 1854; m. December, 1877. 5. Agnes Russell, b. Dec. 23, 1856; m. Dec. 23, 1875; d. Sept. 16, 1883.

1760. WALTER FIELD (Peter, William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Albany, N. Y., July 16, 1798; m. there Maria Simonton. He d. June 18, 1829. Res. Auburn, N. Y.

3328. i. CATHERINE M., b. ——; m. —— Wilson; res. 109 Baker avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

1767. OLIVER FIELD (William Van W., William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Nov. 13, 1808; m. Jan. 9, 1833, Lydia Crane, dau. of Thaddeus, of Somers, N. Y., b. Jan. 9, 1813; d. May 4, 1891. He d. in Blairsville, Pa., Sept. 28, 1840. Res. South East and Somers, N. Y.

3329. i. THADDEUS CRANE, b. Nov. 1, 1836; m. Julia Ingersoll.
3330. ii. ELBERT, b. Nov. 4, 1833; m. Lydia P. Howe.
3331. iii. SYBILLA, b. Dec. 17, 1838; d. Oct. 11, 1843.

1782. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS FIELD (Stephen, William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. South East, N. Y., May 2, 1819; m. Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 17, 1874, Frances Bussey, b. Nov 17, 1841.

Samuel Augustus Field, of Quaker parentage, b. May 2, 1819, in South East, Putnam county, N. Y. Here he passed his early boyhood, assisting his father in his extensive nursery during the summer and attending the village school in winter. Before attaining his majority he left home, and for some time was employed as a clerk in a store in North Salem, Westchester county, N. Y. Later he went to Ridgefield, Conn., to learn a trade, but his health being unequal to the close confinement necessary, he removed to Danbury, Conn., where he formed a partnership with Mr. Wm. Jackson, engaging in a large manufacturing business and conducting a general store, remaining there eleven years. Then deciding to go west and "grow up with the country," he migrated to Milwaukee, Wis.; locating there in 1850. He very soon embarked in the real estate business, in which he was very successful, and amassed a moderate fortune. In 1874 he married. Retiring from business at that time, he has traveled extensively both at home and abroad. He has lived several years in Europe, spending his winters usually in Florence and his summers in Germany and Switzerland. He is an old habitue of Carlsbad and other German spas. Has visited Sweden, Norway, Russia, etc. He has now a beautiful home on Juneau Place, Milwaukee, on the bluff overlooking Lake Michigan, one of the most delightful and picturesque spots in the Cream City. Here, surrounded by choice paintings, statuary, curios, souvenirs of his travels, he spends his days tranquilly, varied by occasional short trips across the Atlantic. For his years Mr. Field is a most remarkably well preserved man, and with his erect carriage, elastic step and flashing eyes, bids fair to make the century mark, as his hosts of friends predict.

Res., s. p., Milwaukee, Wis., 303 Martin street.

1783. WILLIAM PENN FIELD (Charles, William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Ulster county, N. Y., Sept. 29, 1804; m. in Newburgh, Nov. 22, 1832, Ann Eliza Cypher, b. July 15, 1806; d. Sept. 2, 1855. He was a merchant. He d. July 29, 1849. Res. New York, N. Y.

3332. i. MARTHA, b. March 6, 1835; m. Oct. 7, 1857, William P. Anthony, b. July 22, 1831. He is a farmer; res. Macedon, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Florence Louisa Gay, b. Sept. 18, 1858; m. March 21, 1882; address, Hillsdale, Mich. 2. George Leonard Anthony, b. March 19, 1860; d. April 16, 1877. 3. Anna Owens, b. Nov. 29, 1861; m. Dec. 1, 1886; address, Hillsdale, Mich. 4. Charles William Anthony, b. Jan. 22, 1864; m. May 10, 1891; address, Jonesville, Mich. 5. G. Benton Anthony, b. Jan. 18, 1866; m. Feb. 10, 1893; address, Macedon, Wayne county, N. Y. 6. Eugene Anthony, b. Dec. 25, 1867; address, Canton, St. Lawrence county, N. Y. 7. Ansel M. Anthony, b. Oct. 16, 1874; address, Macedon,

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Wayne county, N. Y. 8. Lena Anthony Webber, b. Oct. 18, 1870; m. Aug. 4, 1897; address, Rochester, Monroe county, N. Y. 9. Frank E. Anthony, b. Dec. 26, 1879; address, Macedon, Wayne county, N. Y.

3333. ii. CHARLES EDGAR, b. Dec. 12, 1839; m. and res. Moulton, Iowa.

3334. iii. GEORGE WILLIAM, b. June 8, 1842; m. Elizabeth M. Lloyd.

1788. JOHN COLES FIELD (Joseph C., William, Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Dutchess county, N. Y., Aug. 18, 1795; m. in Sullivan county, N. Y., Jan. 11, 1821, Lydia A. Ketchum, b. July 16, 1802; d. April 3, 1869. He d. Monticello, N. Y., March 18, 1876. Res. Monticello, N. Y.

3335. i. MARIE LOUISE, b. March 2, 1822; m. Sept. 27, 1842, Rufus Lombard Howard. He was b. Oct. 30, 1818; d. June 27, 1896; she res. 251 Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y. Ch.: 1. Gibson Field Howard, b. Aug. 22, 1844, Buffalo; d. April 12, 1875. 2. Maria Ophelia Howard, b. Jan. 3, 1847, Buffalo; d. April 22, 1849. 3. Herbert Soper Howard, b. April 16, 1851, Buffalo; d. Aug. 20, 1853. 4. Grace Howard, b. March 3, 1853, Buffalo; d. Aug. 15, 1853. 5. Harriette Cornelia Howard, b. June 22, 1854, Buffalo; d. May 13, 1874. 6. Rufus Hungerford Howard, b. May 6, 1863, Buffalo; d. Jan. 21, 1869.

3336. ii. LYDIA OPHELIA, b. July 4, 1824; m. June 5, 1844; she d. Oct. 24, 1891.

3337. iii. JOSEPH COLES, b. Jan. 19, 1827; m. Emilie C. Ely.

3338. iv. CORNELIA ANTOINETTE, b. Nov. 25, 1829; m. April 6, 1854, —— Shepard; res. 319 Sumner avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

3339. v. FREDERICK AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 13, 1837; d. June 17, 1867.

1789. PHILLIP SPENCER FIELD (Joseph C., John Van W., Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. New York, Dec. 12, 1797; m. Jan. 6, 1820, Sally Hoyt, b. Nov. 17, 1804; d. May 31, 1837. He was a lumberman. He d. Sept. 29, 1863. Res. Stevens Point, Wis.

3339⅛-2. i. CHARLOTTE A., b. Sept. 29, 1821; m. —— Bates; res. Rhinelander, Wis. Ch.: 1. Frances M.; res. Rhinelander, Wis.

3339⅛-3. ii. SARAH M., b. Jan. 6, 1824; d. Sept. 1, 1855.

3339⅛-4. iii. JOHN E., b. June 20, 1826; d. April 5, 1862.

3339⅛-5. iv. WILLIAM H., b. April 19, 1828; m. Lena S. Fisher and Sally M. Risley.

3339⅛-6. v. WALTER OSCAR, b. Sept. 1, 1836; d. July 9, 1864.

3339⅛-7. vi. MARIAN M., b. Sept. 6, 1832; res. Storey, Neb.

3339⅛-8. vii. PHILLIP A., b. May 1, 1857; d ——.

3339⅛-9. viii. CAROLINE D., b. July 11, 1834; res. Rhinelander, Wis.

1790. ALEXANDER FIELD (Joseph C., John Van W., Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Dutchess county, N. Y., Oct. 29, 1799; m. there Eliza Cook Marshall, b. Feb. 10, 1802; d. Sept. 8, 1863. He was a farmer. He d. October, 1873. Res. Dutchess county, N. Y., and Winston, Mo.

3339¼. i. HARRIET ELIZA FELCH.

3339-2. ii. AMANDA H. WHITMAN.

3339-3. iii. CHARITY L., b. Sept. 7, 1828; d. June 6, 1879; m. Nov. 3, 1848, in Racine county, Wis., Peerlee Baker, b. Rutland county, Vt.,

Dec. 1, 1818; res. Oshkosh, Wis. Ch.: 1. Jerome Marshall, b. Aug. 22, 1853; m. Jan. 11, 1883. Res. 150 East Irving street, Oshkosh, Wis. 2. Rollin Field, b. Oct. 1, 1858; m. March 2, 1887, Martha Ellen Grant, b. Feb. 25, 1858. He was formerly city clerk at Stevens Point, Wis.; now res. 1326 Colorado avenue, Colorado Springs, Col. 3. Arlina Charity, b. Jan. 11, 1867; not married; 150 East Irving street, Oshkosh, Wis. 4. Ellen Maud, b. Sept. 4, 1872; not married; 150 East Irving street, Oshkosh, Wis.

3339-4. iv. HENRY A.

3339-6. v. KATE.

3339-7. vi. AUGUSTA.

3339-8. viii. ADDIA.

3339-9. ix. CHARLES A.; killed in Civil war in battle of Perryville.

3339-10. x. WILLIAM.

3339-11. xi. CORNELIA C., b. April 13, 1833; m. in Rochester, Wis., Jesse Blackburn, b. Dec. 28, 1823; d. Dec. 24, 1860. She res. Mabel, Mo. Ch.: 1. John A. Blackburn, b. Jan. 14, 1852; m. Feb. 20, 1879; postoffice, Mabel, Mo. 2. Franklin Blackburn, b. Sept. 14, 1855. 3. Frank H. Blackburn, b. Feb. 8, 1857; m. Oct. 27, 1881; postoffice, Mable, Mo. 4. Lillian J. Blackburn, b. April 19, 1860; m. Rigdon Strong, Sept. 22, 1880; postoffice, Mabel, Mo.

Dates of births, deaths and marriages unknown. Present names and addresses: Harriet Felch, Wilder, Minn.; Amanda Whitman, Ferndale, Wash.; Addia Dow, Elkpoint, S. D.; William Field, Beresford, S. D.

1793. THOMAS JEFFERSON FIELD (Joseph C., John Van W., Samuel, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Sullivan county, N. Y., May 21, 1804; m. at Marcellus, N. Y., in 1827, Louisa Antoinette Chapman, b. in 1808; d. Nov. 19, 1870. He d. May 30, 1875. Res. Portage, Ind.

3340. i. FRANCIS J., b. Jan. 10, 1830; m. Charlotte E. Selkirk.

3341. ii. ANTOINETTE LOUISE, b. September, 1833; m. April 11, 1853, Justus Harmon; res. Wheeler, Ind.

3342. iii. ELISHA C., b. April 9, 1842; m. Mary Edith Jackman.

3343. iv. MARY LAURA, b. Sept. 23, 1852; m. in 1898, F. Chapin; res. 6341 Washington avenue, Chicago.

3343. v. EMELINE T., b. May 30, 1839; m. July, 1867, William Hawthorne; she d. Feb. 26, 1893. Ch.: 1. Mattie, b. ——; m. —— Scofield; res. Crissman Station, Ind.

3344. vi. EDGAR, b. ——; d. young.

1797. WRIGHT FIELD (Hazard, John Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Yorktown, N. Y., June 24, 1794; m. Dec. 29, 1821, Phœbe Ann Drake, dau. of Caleb, b. Aug. 28, 1803. He d. Feb. 16, 1862. Res. New York, N. Y.

3345. i. REBECCA ANN, b. Dec. 26, 1822; m. Dec. 29, 1842, Vincent Fowler; res. 161 Hudson avenue, Peekskill, N. Y.

3346. ii. ADELIA CAROLINE, b. Sept. 25, 1824; m. Jan. 12, 1843, Smila J. Gage.

3347. iii. MARY LOUISE, b. July 30, 1826; m. Nov. 3, 1852, Jeremiah B. Cronk.

1803. BENJAMIN HAZARD FIELD (Hazard, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Field home, Yorktown, N. Y., May 2, 1814; m. New York City, Jan. 19, 1838, Catherine Matilda Van Cortlandt de Peyster, b. Oct. 2, 1818; d. July 22, 1886.

Benjamin Hazard Field was born at Yorktown, Westchester county, N. Y. Mr. Field was a descendant of an old and honorable English family, a brief history of which is necessary to complete an obituary sketch of Mr. Field. Until the middle of the sixteenth century the family name was spelled Feld, and after that Feild, Feeld and Field, all sometimes terminating with an "e." From records in the possession of the family it seems likely that the family is descended from the "de la Felds." The prefix "de la" was dropped by many families in the fourteenth century, in consequence of the wars with France having made it unpopular in England. In the year 1068 Hubertus de la Feld, who is said to have accompanied William the Conqueror into England, held lands in Lancashire which were granted to him for military services. In the twelfth century John de la Feld appears on the records as an owner of lands in the same county. The first appearance of the Fields with the prefix "de la" in that neighborhood was in Yorkshire. Mr. Osgood Field found the first authentic record of the family. It was dated 1480, and referred to letters of administration granted to Katherine Feld, widow of William Feld, of Bradford. The family was seated in Horton, Bradford county, a few years later. Robert Feild, a descendant of this family, came to this country with his neighbor and relative by marriage, Sir Richard Saltonstall, in the company organized in 1630, and settled in Watertown, Mass. He remained there for several years. Later he moved to Newport, R. I., where his name appears in a list of citizens of 1638. A number of citizens of Rhode Island, including Robert Feild, obtained in 1645 a grant of land at Flushing and Hempstead, L. I. In 1657 Robert Feild signed the remonstrance against the persecution of the Quakers. Anthony Field, the fourth son of Robert Feild, was born at Flushing, L. I. Anthony Field moved to Harrison's Purchase, Westchester county, where seven sons and two daughters were born to him. His third son, John Field, was the grandfather of Benjamin Hazard Field. John Field was married at Jamestown, R. I., in 1763. His wife was the daughter of William Hazard, of that place. They had sixteen children, of whom Hazard Field, the father of Benjamin Hazard Field, was the oldest. Hazard Field by his second wife, Mary Bailey, had three sons, Wright, Benjamin Hazard and Joseph.

Benjamin Hazard Field got his preliminary education under the parental roof in Westchester county. His school work was finished at the North Salem Academy. After completing his academic education, Mr. Field decided to begin a mercantile life, and entered the office of his uncle, Hickson W. Field, in this city. In March, 1832, he became a member of the firm, and in 1838, when his uncle retired from business, he assumed the management of the business. He married Catherine M. Van Cortlandt de Peyster, a daughter of Frederic de Peyster, of this city. Miss de Peyster was noted for her beauty. She was prominent in society, and was active in religious and charitable work. They had two children, Cortlandt de Peyster and Florence Van Cortlandt. In 1861 Mr. Field was joined in business by his son. Four years later the firm name was changed to Cortlandt de P. Field & Co., the elder Field remaining a silent partner. Mr. Field was always highly successful in his business, which embraced almost every industry. He amassed a large fortune. The death of Mr. Field ends a career of remarkable activity in philanthropic work. He was most widely known for his activity and unselfish devotion in working for the good of his fellow citizens. In this work he was most lavish in the expenditure of his money and time. The best part of his life was given up almost entirely to work for others. He was early identified with the St. Nicholas Society, of which

he had been vice-president and president. The erection of the fireproof building of the New York Historical Society was due largely to his efforts. In 1884 he was elected a life member of the society. He was treasurer of the society for twenty years, and has also been its president. In 1856 he was elected a life member of the American Geographical Society. For several years he was a director of the Atlantic Mutual Life Insurance Company. Mr. Field contributed largely to and was identified with every deserving charity in this city. In the cause of free education he spent large sums of money.

To his efforts were largely due the erection of the Farragut monument in Madison Square, and the monument to the poet Halleck in Central Park. At the time of his death Mr. Field was president of the Home for Incurables, New York Free Circulating Library, New York Eye and Ear Infirmary, the Field Home and the Field Farm Company (limited). He was vice-president of the Bank for Savings, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the Sheltering Arms and the Children's Fold. He was trustee or director of the Working Women's Protective Union, Roosevelt Hospital, Greenwood Cemetery, American Museum of Natural History, the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, and the Good Samaritan Dispensary. He had also been vice-president of the Society Library and a director of the New York Dispensary.

At the time of his death he was a member of the New York Chamber of Commerce, Century Club, St. Nicholas Society, St. Nicholas Club, Executive Committee of the New York Historical Society, and a large number of minor charitable organizations. In his connection with all these organizations Mr. Field was always most active and willing to stand the brunt of the work when any task was undertaken. Mr. Field's unselfish labors for others, his fine presence and courtly, dignified manner won for him a large number of friends. He was always prominent in the best society, and was a life-long member of the Protestant Episcopal church.—New York Tribune.

He d. March 17, 1893. Res. New York, N. Y.

3348. i. CORTLANDT DE PEYSTER, b. Dec. 28, 1839; m. Virginia Hamersley.

3349. ii. FLORENCE VAN CORTLANDT, b. March 30, 1851; m. David Wolfe Bishop, of 13 Madison avenue, New York city, Sept. 28, 1869. Ch.: 1. Cortlandt Field, b. Nov. 24, 1870. 2. David Wolfe, Jr., b. Dec. 25, 1874.

1810. STEPHEN FIELD (John, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Ferrisburgh, Vt., March 31, 1794; m. Troy, N. Y., Sept. 17, 1825, Frances Bouton Kellogg, b. Norwalk, Conn., May 14, 1801; d. Montreal, Canada, March 22, 1829. He was a merchant. He d. at Charges, New Grenada, Dec. 14, 1850. Res. Montreal, Canada.

3350. i. FRANCIS KELLOGG, b. March 13, 1829; m. Frances A. Burr.

1818. WALTER FIELD (John, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. March 26, 1809; m. Jan. 3, 1832, Melvinah Truesdell, b. Sept. 27, 1815. Res. Panama.

3351. i. E. FRANCES, b. 1833; m. July 31, 1856, Henry Kerner.

1821. LEONARD HUGGEFORD FIELD (Daniel B., John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Feb. 9, 1798; m. January, 1817, Margaret Clement. He d. Jan. 26, 1828. Res. Yorktown, N. Y.

3352. i. DANIEL B., b. Nov. 10, 1817; d. unm., Havana, Nov. 10, 1838.

3353. ii. JAMES ROBERT, b. March 30, 1820; d. Dec. 28, 1833.

3354. iii. OSCAR SEAMAN, b. Nov. 28, 1823; m. Louisa F. Weigand.

3355. iv. JULIET REQUA, b. Aug. 7, 1826; m. March 18, 1847, Cyrus H. Fountain, son of Dr. James, of Jefferson Valley, Westchester county, N. Y. For many years the family resided in Jackson, Mich., at 318 1st street. Mrs. Fountain was esteemed as a woman of rare attainments and unusual kindness of heart, going about in her quiet, unassuming way, scattering bits of sunshine here and there, ever ready to assist the poor and needy. She passed her girlhood amidst the best of home influences, and was a devout Christian and member of the Unitarian Society. She died Sept. 5, 1887.

Mr. Fountain died quite suddenly after being stricken with paralysis. He was for many years identified with the business interests of Jackson, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He was born in Peekskill, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1825, and died in 1890. He was educated at Williams College, and studied medicine, but did not practice that profession, entering at once into the drug trade. During the gold excitement in California in 1849 he made the trip via the Isthmus. Returning, he went to Michigan and engaged in milling with his brother at Manchester, but did not long remain, returning soon across the plains to the Pacific coast. While in Utah he was elected a member of the territorial legislature. When the war broke out he returned to Jackson, Mich., and enlisted in the Fourth Michigan Cavalry, and was soon promoted to first lieutenant for conspicuous bravery. In 1864, on account of ill-health, he was obliged to resign, but re-enlisted again in the Eighth Michigan Cavalry and served until the war closed. Returning to Jackson, he was superintendent of public works, chief of police, and overseer of the poor. He left three children—Mrs. P. S. Stewart, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. George H. Porter and Leonard J. Fountain, of Jackson.

1823. JAMES HARVEY FIELD (Daniel B., John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. May 24, 1803; m. Jeanne Charlotte Victorie Dubourg, dau. of Francis, of New Orleans, La. Res. New Orleans, La.

3356. i. MICHAEL JAMES, b. Nov. 27, 1831; d. Feb. 21, 1846.

3357. ii. MARIE ANGELIQUE ADELE, b. Jan. 25, 1833; d. unm. 1856.

3358. iii. WILLIAM EMILE GASQUET, b. 1836; m. Louise Aglea Requa.

3359. iv. EDWARD GASQUET, b. Sept. 15, 1837; m. Adaline Bard Elmendorf.

1833. WILLIAM H. FIELD (William B., John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. ——; m. Margaretta Day. Res. in New York.

3360. i. HELEN, b.——.

3361. ii. WILLIAM H., b. ——; m. —— Schmidt.

1834. HON. MAUNSELL BRADHURST FIELD (Moses, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Peekskill, N. Y., March 26, 1822; m. Jan. 7, 1846, Julia Stanton, of Stockbridge, Mass., dau. of Daniel and Julia (Stanley). Maunsell B. Field entered Yale College in 1837, and graduated in 1841 with the highest honors of his class; delivering the

valedictory on that occasion. He was admitted to the New York bar in 1847, and practiced for a few years in connection with the Hon. John Jay. Not having much taste for law, and being, on the other hand, fond of travel, he gave up the practice of his profession and went abroad. While in Europe he was secretary of legation for a time in Paris under Judge John Y. Mason, and later connected with the Spanish legation under Pierre Soule. Was president of the American Commission at the Universal Exhibition there in 1855. On this occasion he received from the emperor, Louis Napoleon, the ribbon of the Legion of Honor. In 1861 he was assigned to the United States deputy sub-treasurership in the city of New York, and afterward was appointed by President Lincoln assistant secretary of the United States Treasury, a post which he held for some years, but resigned in 1865, as his health broke down under the terrible strain which his duties brought upon him during the war. Shortly after, he was made one of the collectors of internal revenue of the fourth New York district at New York, but resigned this post after a while in 1869, on being offered a district judgeship there, which offer he accepted. Judge Field was in early life a Democrat, but on the second election of President Lincoln voted with the Republicans. Judge Field wrote a volume of reminiscences, and a novel called "Adrian; or, Among the Clouds of the Mind," conjointly with his friend, G. P. R. James (New York, 1852). He also translated two or three works from the French, of which language he was thoroughly master, '"Memoirs of Many Men and Some Women" (1874), small volume of poems (1869). His memoirs, which were entertaining reminiscences of his sojourn abroad, were widely circulated.

He d. Jan. 24, 1875. Res. New York.

3362. i. MAUNSELL BRADHURST, b. Oct. 21, 1848; m. Louise Moore Legee.

3363. ii. HICKSON WOOLMAN, b. July 14, 1850.

3364. iii. JULIAN OSGOOD, b. April 23, 1852; Merton College, Oxford, England.

3365. iv. CLAUD STANLEY, b. Feb. 23, 1856; d. March 21, 1857.

1835. OSGOOD FIELD (Moses, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Nov. 14, 1823; m. Oct. 7, 1880, Katharine Roxana Parker, dau. of Milton Day Parker, of Utica, N. Y. He was born Nov. 14, 1823, at his father's house, 482 Broadway, in the city of New York. Both of his parents died when he was about ten years old. After some private tuition at home, he was sent to the school of the Rev. Mr. Huddart, in his native town, which enjoyed a great reputation at that time for English literature, Latin and Greek. After a few years he left this establishment for that of the brothers Peugnet, who were graduates of the Polytechnic School of France and had been officers under Napoleon, having settled in New York after his downfall. Especial attention was paid by them to the higher branches of mathematics and modern languages, and while with them, he acquired a knowledge of French and Spanish. Shortly after leaving school, he sailed for Europe in the spring of 1842. While there he made the usual European tour, visiting England, France, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland and Italy. As there were no ocean steamers at that time and very few railroads, he crossed the Atlantic in a sailing packet and did most of the journeying on land by coach, or other vehicle. He returned to New York in the autumn after seven months' absence. He remained at home till the latter part of 1843, when he left for New Orleans by way of the Ohio and Mississippi, stopping for some days on the way at Cincinnati and St. Louis, the latter being considered at that time "the Far West." After a stay of several weeks at New Orleans, he embarked for Havana, and remained in Cuba nearly two months, returning to New Orleans,

where he spent another fortnight or so, and then home. He had only been back a month or two when his eldest brother, who had been in bad health, was recommended by his physician to make a trip to Europe, and as it was not thought advisable that he should go alone, he decided to accompany him. They made a tour through England and to Paris, where his brother was so much better that he left him there and returned to New York after an absence of five months. He now felt it was desirable that he should settle himself by taking up some profession or other occupation, and his cousin, Benjamin H. Field, having made him an offer to join him in his business of a commission merchant in New York, with a share of the profits, he accepted it, and the arrangement continued for four years. When it expired, he decided to found a similar house in London, which he did in 1849. He soon had commercial relations not only with many of the principal cities of his own country, but also with most of the European States and the East and West Indies. He retired from business in 1877, having acquired a competency. He traveled much during the next few years, and besides visiting the countries he had already seen, he made a tour in Russia, Sweden and Denmark. In 1880 he married in London, Katharine Roxana, daughter of Milton Day Parker, Esq., of Utica, N. Y. Partly on account of his wife, who suffered from attacks of bronchitis in cold weather, they passed the following winter in Egypt, where they ascended to the second cataract of the Nile, and the following one at Cannes. They spent the third winter after their marriage in Rome. Both his wife and himself had cousins residing there, and partly on this account and partly because the climate suited them and they found the life agreeable, they decided to make the place their home. They accordingly took and furnished an apartment in the Palace of Prince Colonna, where they have passed since then the seven colder months of the year, and the remaining five in Switzerland, Germany, France or England.

Mr. Field has always been greatly interested in genealogical and historical subjects. While residing in this country and in England he contributed many articles to historical magazines relating to the genealogy of the Field family. Many of the articles were contributed to the New England Historic and Genealogical Register, published in Boston. The author of this work is greatly indebted to Mr. Field for the history of the family prior to its settlement in America. While residing in London he had a most extensive search instituted, and spent thousands of dollars in the compilation and publication of his work, much of which is given in this volume with Mr. Field's permission.

Res. Rome, Italy, Plazzo Colonna, s. p.

1836. FRANKLIN CLINTON FIELD (Moses, John Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Aug. 5, 1825; m. March 18, 1861, Mary Cunningham, dau. of William, d. Oct. 4, 1869; m., 2d, Jan. 30, 1872, Elizabeth Cooke, dau. of Geo. Fitch, of New York. Res. New York.

3366. i. LOUISA CLINTON, b. Nov. 25, 1872.

1839. MOSES AUGUSTUS FIELD (Moses, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. April 15, 1831; m. March 16, 1854, Fanny Pearsall Bradhurst, dau. of Samuel, of New York. Res. New York, N. Y.

3367. i. FANNY PEARSALL, b. Dec. 26, 1854; d. Sept. 16, 1866.
3368. ii. WM. AUGUSTUS, b. July 24, 1856; d. Sept. 15, 1866.
3369. iii. EDWARD PEARSALL, b. June 20, 1858; m. Anna Tailer Townsend.
3370. iv. CLINTON OSGOOD, b. Nov. 6, 1859.

3371. v. MARY, b. Nov. 20, 1861; m. 1899, Henry Wilmerding Payne, son of Rev. John William Payne.

At the home of the bride's mother at noon there was a quiet wedding, when Miss Mary Field, daughter of the late M. Augustus Field, was married to Mr. Henry Wilmerding Payne, son of the late Rev. John William Payne, who for many years was resident in Rome, Italy. There were present at the marriage ceremony only immediate relatives and a limited number of intimate friends of the pair, about seventy-five in all. The Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, rector of St. Bartholomew's church, officiated at the marriage ceremony, which took place in the drawing-room of the bride's home before a temporary altar, behind which were palms and floral decorations, white and pink roses predominating. There were no bridesmaids or ushers. The bride was escorted to the altar by her brother, Mr. Augustus Bradhurst Field, and was given away by her mother. Mr. Leonard. S. R. Hopkins was best man. The bridal gown of heavy white satin was severely plain, the waist made high at the neck, and the skirt slightly en traine. The veil of beautiful point applique was held in place by a crescent of diamonds, one of the bridegroom's gifts, and the bouquet was of lilies of the valley and fresh orange blossoms. The bride also wore a necklace of pearls and a brooch of solitaire diamonds, gifts of the bridegroom. After the marriage ceremony and congratulations a wedding breakfast was served by Sherry, the bride and bridegroom and several near relatives being seated at a round table. After a brief wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Payne will sail for Europe, where they will travel for several months.—New York Herald.

3372. vi. MAUNSELL BRADHURST, b. Nov. 21, 1863; m. —— Beadleston. She is a daughter of Mr. Alfred N. Beadleston, and is very wealthy in her own right.

The wedding gown will be an elaborate affair with quantities of costly lace, and the pretty bride is sure to look lovelier than ever on her wedding day. Mr. Field is one of the best known young men in the fashionable set, and is a member of one of the oldest New York families. He is a son of the late Mr. M. Augustus Field and a grandson of the Hon. Samuel Osgood, the first postmaster-general of the United States. On his mother's side he is connected with the Bradhurst family, who years ago owned the Monico Villa and estate, the latter extending from river to river. Mr. Field is a brother of Mr. Augustus Bradhurst Field and of Miss Mary Field.—New York Newspaper.

3373. vii. AUGUSTUS BRADHURST, b. Feb. 6, 1866. He belongs to the New York State Society Sons of the Revolution through Samuel Osgood, who was private in Capt. Peter Talbot's company, Col. Lemuel Robinson's regiment, Massachusetts militia, "Lexington alarm;" brigade major, Massachusetts militia, 1775; member Massachusetts Provincial Congress, 1775-76; aide-de-camp to Maj.-Gen. Artemas Ward, July 20, 1775, to April 23, 1776; representative Massachusetts General Court, 1776, 1779-84; member Massachusetts Senate, 1780; member Continental Congress, 1780-84.

3374. viii. THOMAS PEARSALL, b. July 31, 1868. He belongs to the New York State Society Sons of the Revolution through Samuel Osgood, who was private in Capt. Peter Talbot's company, Col. Lemuel Robinson's regiment, Massachusetts militia, "Lexington alarm;" brigade major, Massachusetts militia, 1775; member Massachusetts Provincial Congress, 1775-76; aide-de-camp to Maj.-Gen. Artemas Ward, July 20, 1775, to April 23, 1776; representative Massachusetts General Court, 1776, 1779-84; member Massachusetts Senate, 1780; member Continental Congress, 1780-84.

1840. WILLIAM HAZARD FIELD (Moses, John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Peekskill, N. Y., Aug. 5, 1833; m. Oct. 14, 1863, Augusta Currie Bradhurst, dau. of Samuel. He d. Feb. 3, 1888. Res. New York, N. Y.

3375. i. MARY PEARSALL, b. July 10, 1865; unm. Res. 8 West Thirty-seventh street, New York city.

3376. ii. WILLIAM BRADHURST OSGOOD, b. Sept. 16, 1870, in Geneva, Switzerland. Res. 8 West Thirty-seventh street, New York city. He belongs to the New York State Society Sons of the Revolution through Samuel Osgood, who was private in Capt. Peter Talbot's company, Col. Lemuel Robinson's regiment, Massachusetts militia, "Lexington alarm;" brigade major, Massachusetts militia, 1775; member Massachusetts Provincial Congress, 1775-76; aide-de-camp to Maj.-Gen. Artemas Ward, July 20, 1775, to April 23, 1776; representative Massachusetts General Court, 1776, 1779-1784; member Massachusetts Senate, 1780; member Continental Congress, 1780-84.

1841. HICKSON WOOLMAN FIELD (Hickson W., John, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. New York, N. Y., Aug. 11, 1823; m. July 17, 1845, Mary Elizabeth Bradhurst, dau. of John Maunsell Bradhurst, of Harlem, N. Y. Res. Rome, Italy, Plazzo Raspoli.

3377. i. ELIZABETH HICKSON, b. April 14, 1846; m. March 30, 1870, Salvatorre Brancaccio, Prince of Triggiano, Prince of Bitetto, Marquis of Naples. His full name is Salvatorre Carlo Felice Corrado Gasparo Baldasasse Melchiorre Supo. Prince Brancaccio, Prince of Triggiano, Duke of Lustra and Pontelaudolfo, Marchese Bajada, etc., born at Naples, Italy, July 10, 1842, son of Duke Carlo, b. 1812; d. Aug. 25, 1868, Chevalier hon de'l O, de Malta. The Princess Brancaccio is prominent in the court circle, and bears the title of "Dame d'Honneur" to her Majesty, Queen Marguerite. She was of New York, and beautiful as a young girl. In middle life she is still handsome, and has the airs and manners of a princess born. Her interests do not extend outside of her family and the court circle. She is happy in having married her daughter to Prince Massimo, who bears one of the most illustrious names of Rome, the family inhabiting the feudal palace for many centuries, and claiming to trace their descent from the prætor, Fabius Maximus. It is a curious fact that of all the American women who have married Europeans of title, only one has accepted a courtly office within the gift of the sovereign of her adopted country. The exception is the Duchess

of Brancaccio. The duchess is an intimate friend of Queen Marguerite, and gave up her beautiful Naples residence to be near her majesty. Marguerite of Savoy endeavored to make room in her immediate entourage for the sprightly American years ago, when she first entered Roman society. The duke, being a thorough royalist, favored the proposal, but the quondam Miss Field objected to becoming "a lady in waiting." So the position of "dame du palais," which involves no menial duties, even from an American standpoint, was created for her benefit. Their children are: 1. Carlo Hickson Maria Salvatorre, b. Rome, Italy, Dec. 29, 1870. 2. Maria Eleonore Vittoria Felice Candida Elizabeth, b. Rome, Italy, Feb. 19, 1875; m. there April 29, 1895, Prince Francesco Massimo, Prince d'Arsoli. On the occasion of her marriage, Princess Eleonore Brancaccio wore a number of the jewels of Queen Marie Antoinette, which are now in the hands of the family of the bridegroom, the young Prince Massimo. The latter has royal Bourbon blood in his veins, for his mother is a step-sister of the late Comte de Chambord, acknowledged as King Henry V. of France by the legitimists. She is the issue of that second marriage which the widowed Duchesse de Berry contracted with her Neapolitan chamberlain, the Marquis Lucchessi-Palli, a union which, it may be remembered, brought a somewhat ridiculous conclusion upon the rising which she had headed in France against King Louis Philippe in favor of her eldest son, the Comte de Chambord. Let me add that the old Princess Massimo presents a most marked physical resemblance to the late French pretender, and has inherited all the peculiar facial characteristics of the house of Bourbon. But it is not only with the latter that the young princess will become connected by her marriage with Prince Massimo, for the latter's elder brother married some time ago Princess Eugenie Bonaparte, a niece and goddaughter of Empress Eugenie, while old Prince Massimo himself is a son of Princess Marie of Savoy and a near relative, therefore, of King Humbert and Queen Marguerite. In fact, there is no patrician house in Rome that has made so many matrimonial alliances with royal and imperial families as that of Massimo, which claims to be the most ancient family in Europe, tracing its descent in an unbroken line back to Quintus Fabius Maximus, the conqueror of the Carthaginian general Hannibal. Prince Massimo holds the hereditary office of postmaster-general to the pope, and is the recognized head of the old black, or clerical, patrician society in Rome; whereas the Brancaccios may be regarded as forming part of the opposite camp, the princess, née Field, being a lady in waiting to Queen Marguerite. Her husband's title is very ancient, the rank of prince having been conferred in the year 1391, and that of duke three centuries ago.

"As stated above, the Massimo family is very ancient. They are Catholics and one of the oldest Roman families, which, tradition says, descend from the Maximi. They acquired possession of Savelli-Palombara by the marriage of Camillo Francesco Massimo (born about 1750, d. about 1800) with Barbara (died

1826), daughter and heiress of Savelli-Palombara. The branches below descend from Camillo (born 1801).

First Branch.—Residence, Rome, Palace Massimo; author, Camillo Massimiliano, died May 7, 1840; Prince d'Arsoli (Province of Rome, June 27, 1826), Prince Lancellotti, 1865, acquisition of the seigneurie of Rovino and of Anticoli-Corrado (Province of Rome), succession from the house Colonna di Sciarra, July 3, 1872; Prince Camillo Carlo Alberto Massimo, Roman prince and baron; Prince d'Arsoli, born at Rome, Dec. 3, 1836, son of Prince Camillo Vittoria Emanuele, born Aug. 14, 1803; d. April 6, 1873, and of his first wife Marie Gabrielle, née Princess of Savoie-Carignon, born Sept. 18, 1811; m. Oct. 11, 1827; d. Sept. 10, 1837; succeeded his father; married at Brunnsee, Styria, June 21, 1860, to Francesca Lucchesi Palli, dei Principi di Campofranco, born Oct. 12, 1836. Ch.:

1. Princess Maria Gabrielle, b. at Rome, May 26, 1861; m. at Rome, June 21, 1885, to Roberto, Count Zileri dal Verme (Parma).

2. Prince Francesco, Prince d'Arsoli, b. at Rome, Sept. 17, 1865; m. at Rome, April 29, 1895, to Eleonore Brancaccio, b. Feb. 19, 1875, daughter of Salvatorre, Prince Brancaccio. Son: Prince Leone, b. at Rome, Jan. 25, 1896.

3. Prince Fabrizio, Prince of Roviano and Duke d'Anticoli-Corrado, b. at Rome, Nov. 23, 1868; m. at Venice, Feb. 27, 1897, to Beatrix, Princess of Bourbon; AltRoy, b. at Rome, Aug. 20, 1871, by the second marriage of the father with Giacinta, née della Porta-Rodiana, b. Feb. 18, 1821; m. Oct. 2, 1842; d. March 26, 1898.

(a) Prince Filippo Massimiliano Massimo, Prince Lancellotte, b. at Rome, Nov. 15, 1843; m. at Rome, Feb. 22, 1865, to Elizabetta Aldobrandini, b. July 13, 1847, dau. of Camillo, Prince Aldobrandini. Ch.: i. Prince Guiseppe, b. at Rome, Nov. 19, 1866; m. at Frascati, Oct. 14, 1889, Lesa Pio Aldobrandini, b. July 29, 1871, dau. of Pietro, Prince di Sarsina. Ch. 1.: Princess Anna, b. at Frascati, July 13, 1890. 2. Princess Maria, b. at Frascati, July 13, 1890. 3. Prince Fillipo, b. at Rome, Feb. 6, 1892. 4. Princess Francisca, b. at Rome, June 18, 1893. 5. Prince Massimiliano, b. at Rome, March 5, 1895. 6. Princess Carolina, b. at Frascati, June 14, 1873.

(b) Princess Cristina, b. at Frascati, June 14, 1873. (c) Maria Pia, b. at Rome, July 26, 1875. (d) Prince Luigi, b. at Frascati, July 29, 1881. (e) Prince Lauro, b. at Frascati, Oct. 10, 1883. (f) Princess Rufina, b. at Frascati, Sept. 25, 1886. (g) Prince Pietro, b. at Frascati, Oct. 17, 1888.

3. Marcantonio Gerardo Giulio Marino Maria Bacolo Cesare Rupilo, Duke of Brancaccio, b. in Rome, Italy, May 29, 1879.

As stated above, this family is very ancient. They are Catholics, and have always resided in Italy. The Feudal house of Naples is said to have issued from Burrhus Brancassius, living about the year 1000. Count of Campagna and of Castiglione (Province of Saterne, and Marquis of Montesilvano (Province of Teramo), 1645. Title confirmed in Rome, June 2, 1870, Duke de

Pontelandolfo (Province of Beneven], 1630; Principe de Ruffano (Province of Leccoe), Dec. 10, 1734. The two branches following descended from the two sons of the Principe Nicola Maria.

First Branch.—Prince di Ruffano, residence Naples, author The Prince Nicola, b. 1805; d. April 2, 1863. Ch.: 1. Gerardo Giuseppe Carlo Bacolo Lupo Brancaccio, Prince of Ruffano, Marguis de Rivello and S. Ruffacle, Baron of Sorbo, etc., b. at Naples, Italy, Oct. 30, 1837, son of Nicola and Amelie, née Gysin (b. 1815; m. 1836; d. May 22, 1872); m. at Paris, France, May 28, 1862, Antoinette, Countess of Fayeres (b. at Paris, in 1844; d. August, 1874). Ch.: (a) Nicola Marquis de Revello, b. at Naples, Italy, Dec. 8, 1864. Captain in 41st regiment of Italian infantry. (b) Maria, b. at Naples, March 12, 1867; m. there Oct. 20, 1895, Edwarde Talamo. (c) Marguetta, b. at Vevey, March 11, 1869; m. Feb. 3, 1898, Marquis Filiasi; an officer of the Italian cavalry. 2. Marianna, b. Naples, May 15, 1839; m. there March 24, 1850, Marcello Mastsilli, Duke of Gallo, Naples.

Second Branch.—Prince Brancaccio, residence Rome, Palace Brancaccio and Chateau de San Graegario, author, Carlo Brancaccio (b. 1812; d. Aug. 25, 1868); Neapolitan title of Prince of Triggiano (Province of Baridelle Puglie). Title inherited from the house Filomarino, May 9, 1838, confirmed in Rome, Italy, Feb. 18, 1876. Prince Brancaccio, title Italian, Rome, March 2, 1879. He was the father of Prince Brancaccio the husband of Miss Elizabeth Hickson Field. The brothers and sisters of Prince Brancaccio, Jr., were:

(a) Caterina, b. at Naples, Jan. 30, 1839; m. at Naples in 1860, Fiancesco Borgia de Varona y Balazar (d. 1874), General (Naples).

(b) Rosa, b. at Naples, July 3, 1840; m. at Naples, Oct. 25, 1868, Carlo di Basogno Marquis di Casaluce (d. Feb. 28, 1890), (Naples).

(c) Clementina, b. at Naples, Sept. 20, 1843; m. at Naples, June 20, 1873, Francèsco Marquis di Suca-Presta (Noci, prov. of Bari).

(d) Guiseppe, b. at Naples, May 5, 1851 (Naples).

(e) Marino, b. at Naples, Dec. 18, 1852; m. at Naples, May 11, 1892, Olga Caraciolo, of the Duchy of Castellusio, b. August, 1872.

(f) Aspreno, b. at Naples, Oct. 17, 1855 (Naples).

(g) Maria, b. at Naples, Sept. 19, 1859 (religieuse).

Prince Brancaccio, Jr.'s, mother was Princesse dowager Felicita Carmela, b. at Naples, Feb. 15, 1817, daughter of the late Prince Giacomo Filomarina dei Principi di Procca d'Aspo; m. at Naples, April 25, 1838, Carlo Prince Brancaccio, principe of Triggiano, who d. Aug. 25, 1868; m., 2d, at Naples, Oct. 25, 1873, Girolamo Ruffo, Prince of Spinoso, and d. June 25, 1888.—Almanac de Gotha.

3378. ii. MARY ELEANOR, b. Aug. 7, 1856; d. at Leghorn, Italy, Dec. 20, 1865.

1844. ANTHONY FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Addison county, Vermont, Aug. 15, 1808; m. Franklin county, Vermont, Mary A. Hathaway, b. 1815; d. Oct.

25, 1880. He was a farmer and stock raiser. He d. Dec. 19, 1878. Res. Washington, Ill.

3379. i. FRANKLIN, b. April 8, 1840; m. Sarah M. Van Camp and Mary A. Guigerick.

1845. STEPHEN FIELD (Anthony, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. ——, Vermont; m. —— ——. Res. Vergennes, Vt.

3380. i. LUTHER, b. ——. Res. Vergennes, Vt.

1850. RALPH FIELD (Gilbert, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. New York State, in 1797; m. in Smithville, Ontario, in 1822, Bethiah Hill, b. 1798; d. 1884. He d. in 1858. Res. Smithville, Ontario.

3381. i. RALPH, b. in 1828; m. Hannah Johnston.
3382. ii. ELEANOR JANE, b. ——; m., but d. s. p.
3383. iii. JACOB M., b. April 12, 1825; m. Janette Laidlaw.
3384. iv. GILBERT C., b. Jan. 2, 1831; m. Emma Lydia Cook.
3385. v. MARY B., b. ——; m. —— Adams.
3386. vi. GEORGE H., b. ——.
3387. vii. ANN, b. ——; m. —— Bridgman.

1855-2. THOMAS FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Ferrisburgh, Vt., April 14, 1804; m. Elizabeth Rogers, b. June 8, 1816; d. Jan. 9, 1854; m., 2d, Abigail Harrington, b. Feb. 16, 1831; d. June 3, 1899. He was a very successful farmer, accumulated $60,000. He d. Aug. 10, 1878. Res. Ferrisburgh, Vt.

3387-2. i. MARY, b. June 12, 1839; d. Nov. 23, 1840.
3387-3. ii. ANN E., b. Dec. 16, 1841; m. Harrison Dean, of Cornwall, Vt. Five children.
3387-4. iii. BENJAMIN THOMAS, b. June 19, 1855; m. Minnie S. LaDuke.
3387-5. iv. ORVILLE CLARK, b. March 25, 1861; m. Sept. 6, 1882, Hattie Burrough. Res. Vergennes, Vt.

1855-4. GEORGE FIELD (Benjamin, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Ferrisburgh, Vt., Aug. 26, 1802; m. there March 19, 1835, Sylvania Walker, b. March 1, 1810; d. March 25, 1848. He d. April 6, 1862. Res. Ferrisburgh, Vt.

3387-6. i. JANE, b. Aug. 12, 1836; m. Nathan Lee, of Lincoln, Vt. They had one son, George, who m. Miss Thomas, of Burlington, Vt. They had one dau. who d. at six years of age. The father is also deceased.
3387-7. ii. JOHN, b. October, 1838; d. in 1850.
3387-8. iii. WALKER B., b. Feb. 26, 1840; m. Carrie E. Higbee. She was b. in 1838; d. in 1899. Ch.: 1. Cora, b. in 1863; living; m. Burton Kent, of Panton, Vt., where they now reside. They have two young children, Bruce and Ross. Occupation, farming. 2. Nellie, b. 1865; d. 1896; m. Fred Allen, of Panton, Vt. They had one child who d. in infancy. 3. Park, b. in 1872; d. in 1888. 4. Charlie Field, b. 1876; living; m. Ida Cushman, of Ferrisburgh, Vt. They had one child, Calla Lilla, b. 1899. 5. John; d. at age of three years. 6. Guy, b. in 1879; unm.; living.
3387-9. iv. MARTHA, b. April, 1842; d.
3387-10. v. BENJAMIN, d. in infancy.

1855-21. GEORGE FIELD (George, Anthony, Anthony, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Sunderland, Vt., May 12, 1791; m. Waltham, Vt., Sally Pier, b. 1793; d. Nov. 29, 1879. He d. Oct. 18, 1864. Res. Vergennes, Vt.

3387-11. i. MARY ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 30, 1816; m. in 1839, Daniel Kimball. She d. Oct. 4, 1844. He was b. Littleton, Mass.; d. Clarendon, Vt., November, 1886. Was a farmer. Ch.: 1. George Field Otis, b. Feb. 18, 1841; m. March 6, 1862, Roxey C. Champion; d. Dec. 16, 1893; m., 2d, April 30, 1895, Eva C. Scovel, b. Feb. 11, 1858. He is a farmer. Res. Vergennes, Vt. Ch.: (a) George Field Kimball, b. May 17, 1863. (b) Charles Pier Kimball, b. Dec. 30, 1866; d. June 3, 1883. (c) Mary Abigail Kimball, b. March 28, 1868. Now Mrs. J. B. Powers, Newton Center, Mass. George Field Kimball's address is Gales Ferry, Conn.

3387-12. ii. SARAH JANE, b. ——; m. —— Mayo. She d. s. p. in 1846.

1862. NATHAN FIELD (Isaac, Solomon, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. New York, April 20, 1782; m. 1804, Susan Knox, dau. of John, of North Salem, N. Y., b. Nov. 2, 1783; d. March 20, 1866. He d. Jan. 2, 1864. Res. South East, N. Y.

3388. i. CLARISSA, b. Nov. 21, 1804; m. Joseph Ganung and Ephraim Bedell. She d. April 11, 1881. Res. Carmel, N. Y.

3389. ii. ANSON, b. Nov. 2, 1806; m. Huldah Ambler.

3390. iii. SARAH, b. Feb. 17, 1809; m. April 1, 1838, Joseph Hobby. She d. Sept. 23, 1890. Res. Carmel.

3391. iv. MARIA, b. Oct. 7, 1811; m. October, 1834, Abram Kniffin. She d. March 5, 1880. Res. Carmel.

3392. v. MARINDA, b. Oct. 7, 1811; m. Alotson Dean, of Carmel. She d. Oct. 10, 1898. Res. Carmel.

3393. vi. THOMAS, b. July 2, 1814; m. March 4, 1868, Mary Travis, b. 1827. He d. s. p. Aug. 30, 1889.

3394. vii. ISAAC, b. Oct. 18, 1817; d. Oct. 24, 1818.

3395. viii. BETSEY ANN, b. Oct. 1, 1819; m. Feb. 26, 1837, Nathan Lane Austin, of Carmel, N. Y.

3396. ix. NANCY JANE, b. Oct. 1, 1819; m. Sept. 26, 1839, Cyrus Ryder, of South East, N. Y. Res. Danbury, Conn.

3397. x. LYMAN, b. April 24, 1822; m. Kesiah Ann Ellis.

3398. xi. ISAAC, b. May 6, 1825; m. Henrietta Kent and Martha Knapp.

1865. SOLOMON FIELD (Stephen, Solomon, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John), b. March 31, 1799; m. Dec. 10, 1828, Sally Ann Ganung, dau. of Edward and Sally (Delavan), of North Salem, N. Y., b. Oct. 26, 1809; d. July 12, 1889. He d. Jan. 1, 1870. Res. South East, N. Y.

3399. i. URIAH, b. July 3, 1830; m. Mary A. Everitt.

3400. ii. JULIA ELIZABETH, b. April 8, 1832; m. May 28, 1851, Jonathan Fowler Frost, b. April 13, 1823; d. Dec. 6, 1889, of North Salem. Res. Delavan, Wis.

3401. iii. ANN MARY, b. April 12, 1834; m. Dec. 28, 1852, Jeremiah H. Mabie, son of Joshua and Elizabeth (Gifford), of Patterson, N. Y. He was a capitalist. He d. Aug. 31, 1867, and she m. Jan. 27, 1869, Chester Wright Phillips, of Delavan, Wis., who was b. Dec. 23, 1833, and d. Aug. 26, 1878. She resides Delavan, Wis.

JOSEPH E. FIELD.

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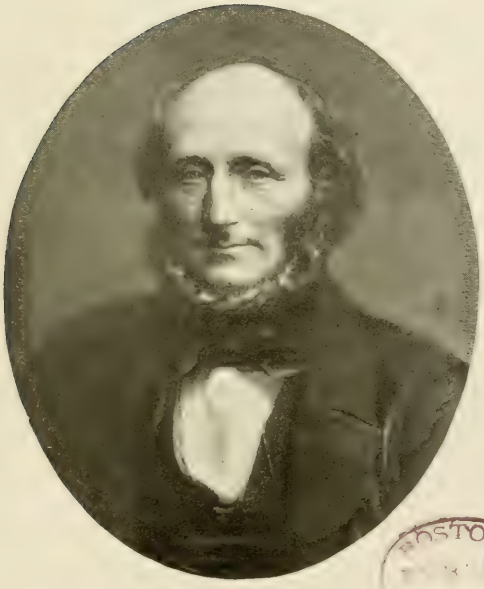

EDWIN WILKINS FIELD.

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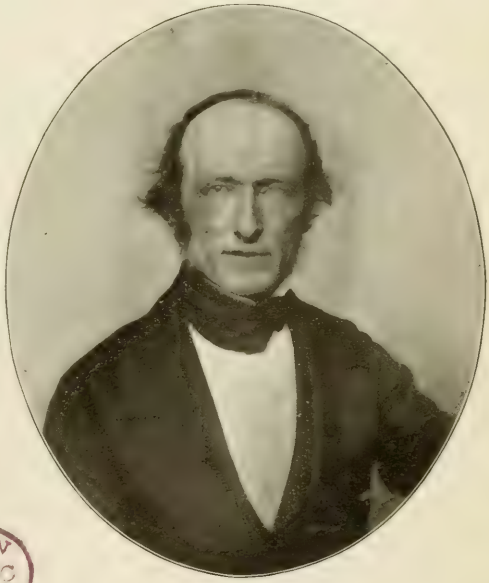

JOHN HAMPDEN FIELD, SR.

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OLD FIELD HOUSE, FIELDVILLE, BOUND BROOK, N. J.

Residence of Richard I. Field.

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Ch.: 1. Marie Antoinette Mabie, b. Aug. 19, 1860; m. April 15, 1897, Daniel E. La Bar. P. O., Delavan, Wis. 2. Joshua Field Mabie, b. Jan. 26, 1864; d. Dec. 14, 1868, Delavan, Wis. 3. Elizabeth Frost Mabie, b. June 12, 1866; m. June 26, 189—, Edward Craig Roberts. P. O. address, Riverside, Fairfield, Co., Conn. 4. Ernest Field Phillips, b. Nov. 8, 1869, Delavan, Wis. 5. Huldah Ann, b. Nov. 1, 1873; d. Nov. 7, 1873. 6. Chester Wright Phillips, b. Sept. 7, 1874. P. O. address, Delavan, Wis.

1876. SELAH FIELD (Joseph, Elnathan, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. May 24, 1805; m. March 31, 1838, Ruth Ann Burch, b. Nov. 16, 1818. He d. Sept. 29, 1889. Res. Mill Plain, Conn.

3402. i. GEORGE, b. April 7, 1839; m. Sarah Cornelia Lyons.

3403. ii. EGBERT BURCH, b. Oct. 27, 1842; m. Lavinia C. Mead.

1880. ISAAC THOMPSON FIELD (Joseph, Elnathan, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. Dec. 9, 1812; m. Oct. 9, 1845, Mary Ann Brush, dau. of John Platt and Polly Brush (Brush), b. Nov. 3, 1819; d. Dec. 7, 1876; m., 2d, Julia Maria Booth. He d. March 23, 1895. Res. Danbury, Conn.

3404. i. JOHN BRUSH, b. Aug. 11, 1846; m. March 21, 1867, Jane Ann Shepard, b. May 11, 1846; d. Dec. 31, 1891. He d. s. p. Feb. 20, 1870. Res. Brewster, N. Y.

3405. ii. MARY JANE, b. Oct. 20, 1848; d. Jan. 18, 1875.

3406. iii. WILLIAM RUNDLE, b. Nov. 19, 1850; m. Elizabeth Raymond.

3407. iv. LUCY, b. March 12, 1854; m. June 3, 1873, Byron P. Risley, son of Henry and Ellen (Cole), of Hamilton, N. Y., b. April 15, 1845. Res. Hamilton, N. Y. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. John T. Risley, b. Feb. 14, 1875; occupation, insurance. 2. Mary J. Risley, b. Nov. 11, 1877. 3. Field A. Risley, b. Jan. 26, 1884.

1883. WILLIAM FIELD (Joseph, Elnathan, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. April 21, 1819; m. April 22, 1840, Mary Ambler, dau. of Benjamin, of Danbury, Conn., b. July 9 1820. He d. Jan. 27, 1844. Res. South East, N. Y.

3408. i. MARY JANE, b. Nov. 6, 1843; d. April 12, 1844.

1885. JOSEPH ELNATHAN FIELD (Joseph, Elnathan, Joseph, Benjamin, Anthony, Robert, William, Christopher, John, Christopher, John, William), b. March 3, 1823, Ridgefield, Conn.; m. April 9, 1848, Julia Ann Cole, dau. of Curtis and Mary (Sturges), of Weston, Conn., b. March 17, 1823. He was a farmer. He d. Dec. 1, 1895. Res. Stepnay, Conn.

3409. i. MARY DELIGHT, b. Dec. 16, 1850; m. Nov. 2, 1869, William Smith Wheeler. Res. Shelton, Conn. He was b. Nov. 11, 1849. Is a grocer. Ch.: 1. Charles, b. Feb. 22, 1871; d. March, 1885.

3410. ii. JAMES COLEY, b. 1854; m. Mary Platt and Minnie Cutter.

3411. iii. ANNIE JULIA, b. Oct. 1, 1861; m. Oct. 15, 1891, Herbert Waldo Wright, b. Nov. 24, 1864. Res. Newtown, Conn. He is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Lucie F., b. April 5, 1894. 2. Joseph Field, b. June 5, 1897.

1887. BENJAMIN I. FIELD (John B., Benjamin, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. May 15, 1792, Bound Brook,

N. J.; m. New Market, N. J., Feb. 3, 1819, Sarah Dunn, b. Dec. 19, 1796; d. April 2, 1883. She was a direct descendant on her father's side of Edward Fuller, who came over in the Mayflower, in 1620. On her mother's side she descended in a direct line from Vincent Runyon, the Huguenot.

Benjamin I. Field lived all of his life in Middlesex county, below Bound Brook, where his ancestor, John Field, purchased the large tract of land in 1695. It has now passed into the possession of his son, John B. Field. He was greatly respected by everybody, and was called by many "Good Uncle Benny." He and his wife united upon confession of their faith, August, 1822, with the Presbyterian church of Bound Brook, N. J. He was an elder in the said church thirty-eight years. He and his wife lived together sixty-four years. He died in the old homestead, June 3, 1884, aged ninety-two years. Res. Bound Brook, N. J.

3412. i. ASA RUNYON, b. April 30, 1820; d. Oct. 8, 1854.

3413. ii. PHEBE ANN, b. Nov. 17, 1821; m. Feb. 5, 1840, John Vermeule Clanson, b. May 14, 1816; d. July 6, 1894. She resides Bayard St., New Brunswick, N. J. Ch.: 1. David Smalley Clanson, b. April 5, 1841. 2. John Voorhees Clanson, b. June 15, 1843; m. June 22, 1881, Ellen Augusta North, b. June 2, 1856. He d. May 24, 1890. He (John Voorhees Clanson) corporal, enlisted Aug. 30, 1862; mustered in Sept. 22, 1862; served call for nine months; mustered out of service July 6, 1863. Was appointed corporal Sept. 15, 1862, in company C of the Twenty-eighth Regulars of New Jersey Volunteers. 3. Benjamin Field Clanson, b. Aug. 17, 1848; m. Oct. 25, 1870, Anna Amelia Marsters, b. Dec. 20, 1849. Ch.: (a) Benjamin Marsters Clanson, b. Dec. 27, 1875. (b) Mary Sillcocks Clanson, b. Aug. 8, 1877. (c) Jennie Woodworth Clanson, b. July 11, 1880. (d) Ella Amelia Clanson, b. May 6, 1882; d. April 20, 1885. (e) Rebecca Hull Clanson, b. April 3, 1885. (f) Katie Fisher Clanson, b. Oct. 26, 1886. (g) Voorhees Clanson, b. June 11, 1891; d. June 22, 1891. (h) Albenia Fugle Clanson, b. June 2, 1893. 4. Ella Vermeule Clanson, b. July 27, 1857; d. Aug. 6, 1896. 5. Mary Elizabeth Field Clanson, b. May 6, 1895; m. Aug. 28, 1878, Alfred Conver Garland, b. Jan. 27, 1859. Ch.: (a) Albert Manchester Garland, b. June 7, 1879. (b) Minnie Olive Garland, b. March 7, 1881. (c) Stella Garland, b. Oct. 5, 1882. (d) Jennie Weir Garland, b. June 23, 1884. (e) Grace Garland, b. Nov. 22, 1885. (f) Kate Conover Garland, b. Sept. 26, 1887. (g) Frank Robb Garland, b. Aug. 29, 1889. (h) Loren Bragdon Garland, b. Jan. 15, 1891. (i) Fred Field Garland, b. Sept. 30, 1892. (j) Margaret Anna Garland, b. June 8, 1894.

3414. iii. RACHEL RUNYON, b. Aug. 6, 1823; d. June 2, 1870; m. April 15, 1852, John Pyatt Randolph, b. March 21, 1815; d. 1899. Ch.: 1. Sarah Runyon Randolph, b. Sept. 7, 1854. Res. Plainfield, N. J.

3415. iv. MARGARET VAN NEST, b. April 16, 1825; d. Sept. 12, 1826.

3416. v. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 20, 1827; m. Dec. 14, 1852, George W. Winson. Res. Bound Brook, N. J. He d. 1898. Ch.: (1) William Winsor, b. March 6, 1854; m. Sept. 9, 1896, Sarah A. Beach.

3417. vi. JOHN B., b. Nov. 28, 1828; m. Mary Ellen Van Doren.

3418. vii. JOEL DUNN, b. Oct. 12, 1830; m. Elizabeth De Graw.

3419. viii. JANE FITZ RANDOLPH, b. Sept. 23, 1832; m. April 10, 1853, Thomas Eastburn MacDonald, b. March 3, 1829, in New Brunswick, N. J. He was the son of Richard MacDonald, whose father, George MacDonald, was a prominent lawyer in Somerville, N. J. He was a son of Major Richard MacDonald, of Somerville, N. J., who served in the Revolutionary war. They had six children. She resides at 172 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. Ch.: 1. Mary Whitt MacDonald, b. July 23, 1854; m. April 30, 1874, James Moses, b. in County Tyrone, Ireland. Res. Spring Lake Beach, N. J. Ch.: (a) Laura MacDonald Moses, b. May 18, 1875. (b) Ethel Revere Moses, b. March 3, 1878. (c) Vera MacFarland Moses, b. July 29, 1880.

Extract from the Trenton Times, May 16, 1891, published in Trenton, N. J.: "Mr. James Moses has been one of the most successful business men in this city. Starting alone in boyhood at the potters' trade, he has by his own efforts, climbed the ladder of success and achieved fame and fortune. He is a comparatively young man, only forty-four. He was born near Omagh, County Tyrone, Ireland, in 1847, his parents being of Scottish descent. In 1864 he came to this country, having less than $50 in his pocket after paying his passage. He went to work immediately in the Glasgow Pottery, Trenton N. J., at the wages of the average ware-room boy, which were little more than sufficient to pay his board. He remained with the Glasgow Pottery eleven years, serving in different capacities. April 21, 1875, he purchased the Mercer Pottery. It is now one of the largest potteries in this city. Whatever Mr. Moses is to-day, he owes solely to his own efforts. One principle he laid down when he came to this country, and rigidly followed, was this: That whatever his wages or income, he would keep his expenditures a little below it, so that every year he was saving something. There are two distinguishing traits in the character of Mr. Moses, one is his conscientiousness in everything he does, and the other is, his cool perseverance. At the present time (1899) Mr. Moses is president of the Mercer Pottery Company; president of the Villa Park Improvement Company, and president of the Spring Lake Electric Light, Heat and Power Company. He is a Republican and protectionist, but not a politician. He is a member of the Presbyterian church."

2. Sara Ann MacDonald, b. Aug. 1, 1858. 3. Elizabeth Brokaw MacDonald, b. May 11, 1861; d. May 16, 1863. 4. Charles Field MacDonald, b. Oct. 27, 1864; m. Dec. 4, 1895, Martha Emily Marceron. 5. Henry Baldwin MacDonald, b. Dec. 8, 1870. 6. Ella Bertha MacDonald, b. May 31, 1873.

3420. ix. CATHERINE VAN NEST, b. Nov. 16, 1834; d. young.

3421. x. CAROLINE VAN NEST, b. Nov. 27, 1836; m. Nov. 10, 1858, Peter Wortman Garretson, b. Nov. 29, 1834. They had five children. Res. South Bound Brook, N. J. Ch.: 1. James T. Garretson, b. Oct. 26, 1859; m. June 11, 1884, Emma T. Barclay, b. July 17, 1863. Ch.: (a) Florence Field Garretson, b. Aug. 10, 1885. (b) Lester Wortman Garretson, b. May 28, 1887. (c) James Harold Garretson, b. June 28, 1889. 2. Anna Field Gar-

retson, b. Feb. 11, 1865; m. Feb. 11, 1885, William Merril Staats, b. March 27, 1862. Ch.: (a) Helen Matilda Staats, b. May 18, 1887. (b) Kattileen Merril Staats, b. Nov. 25, 1890. (c) Caroline Field Staats, b. Jan. 7, 1895. 3. George W. Garretson, b. Sept. 4, 1867. 4. Caroline E. Garretson, b. April 30, 1870. 5. Jane A. Garretson, b. Oct. 20, 1871.

3422. xi. ESTHER DUNN, b. Jan. 30, 1839; m. Oct. 26, 1865, Jacob Van Deventer Smith, b. May 5, 1838, and had seven children. Res. Weston, N. J. Ch.: 1. Anna Maria Smith, b. Aug. 24, 1866. 2. Ella Field Smith, b. Nov. 4, 1867; m. Oct. 21, 1896, Charles Augustus Stryker. Ch.: (a) Esther Stryker, b. February, 1899. 3. Sadie Belle Smith, b. July 26, 1869. 4. Frank Harold Smith, b. Jan. 5, 1871. 5. Augustus Van Deventer Smith, b. July 15, 1872. 6. Arthur Remsen Smith, b. April 30, 1876; d. Jan. 6, 1897. 7. Henry Field Smith, b. Jan. 16, 1882.

3423. xii. ELLEN VOORHEES, b. Oct. 1, 1841; m. Jephtha Stelle Runyon, b. August, 1842; d. Feb. 5, 1872. Ch.: 1. Edgar Jephtha Runyon, b. Oct. 11, 1865; m. Jan. 10, 1893, Ida V. Gaston. Ch.: (a) Margaret Gaston Runyon, b. Nov. 23, 1893. (b) Helen Field Runyon, b. April 30, 1896; d. Feb. 25, 1897. 2. Lillian De Etta Runyon, b. Sept. 18, 1870; m. Nov. 10, 1892, Rev. George Elliot Gillespie, b. Aug. 1, 1867. Ch.: (a) Ellen Lillian Gillespie, b. July 11, 1894. (b) John Runyon Gillespie, b. July, 1898. Ellen Voorhees Field (Runyon) m., 2d, Walter Burrows, M. D., b. Feb. 28, 1829, and had three children. Res. 138 Chilton street, Elizabeth, N. J. Ch.: (c) Walters Field Burrows, b. Aug. 29, 1879. (d) Willard Samuel Burrows, b. April 26, 1881. (e). Elliott Ogil Burrows, b. Sept. 6, 1883.

1893. RICHARD H. FIELD (Hendrick, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J., Sept. 16, 1783; m. in 1804, Sarah Van Dervoort, b. Nov. 19, 1783; d. June 19, 1868.

Richard H Field, son of Hendrick, purchased a farm adjoining that of his father at Lamington, and lived there with his family until his death, 1876, aged ninety-three years. The farm is now owned and occupied by his son, Gabriel.

He d. June 27, 1876. Res. Lamington, N. J.

3424. i. GABRIEL, b. May 2, 1808; m. Anna Maria Luce.

3425. ii. HENRY, b. Feb. 25, 1805; m. Ann Kline.

3426. iii. HANNAH, b. Oct. 10, 1811; m. —— Staats, and d. March 29, 1883.

3427. iv. MARGARET C., b. Feb. 8, 1815; m. Nov. 1, 1833, John T. Van Derveer. He was b. Dec. 1 1806; d. 1867. She d. July 25, 1883. He was a farmer. Res. North Branch, N. J. Ch.: 1. Tunis Van Derveer b. Aug. 8, 1834. P. O. address, 245 Union street, Jersey City, N. J. 2. Richard F. Van Derveer, b. Aug. 4, 1836; d. Jan. 28, 1887. 3. James D. Van Derveer, b. Feb. 9, 1838; m. Feb. 12, 1868, Esther J. Van Nest. P. O., North Branch, N. J. He is a physician. Ch.: (a) Abram Van Nest Van Derveer, b. Nov. 4, 1868. (b) John Ten Eyck Van Derveer, b. June 5, 1875. (c) Frank Marion Van Derveer, b. March 19, 1877. P. O., North Branch, N. J. 4. Sarah E. Van Derveer, b. April 5, 1840; d. Feb. 8, 1890. 5. Samuel G. Van Derveer, b. Nov. 1, 1844; d.

Aug. 21, 1876. 6. William Field Van Derveer, b. June 17, 1848; d. May 5, 1869. 7. John Q. Van Derveer, b. March 13, 1854; d. June 24, 1880; m. Julia Robinson, now dead; left one child, Adah, now living at Watkins, N. Y. 8. Mary J. Van Derveer, b. June 16, 1855; d. May 14, 1883; m. William J. Voorhees; left no offspring.

3428. v. ELIZABETH, b. March 27, 1818; m. Jan. 9, 1840, Robert Craig, b. March 10, 1815; d. Dec. 22, 1892. She d. July 1, 1890. Ch.: 1. Richard Field Craig. Res. New Germantown, N. J. 2. Sarah E. Craig. Res. Clinton, N. J. 3. Gertrude P. Craig; d. ——. 4. Henry Field Craig. Res. New Germantown, N. J. 5. Margaret V. Craig (Waldron). Res. New Germantown, N. J. 6. Anna B. Craig (Skillman). Res. New Germantown, N. J. 7. Mary L. Craig (Dunham). Res. Somerville, N. J. 8. Robert Craig. Res. New Germantown, N. J. 9. William, b. May 21, 1841; m. Feb. 13, 1872, Mary W. Dawes, b. May 30, 1844. Is a farmer and justice of the peace. Res. New Germantown, N. J. Ch.: (a) Jonathan Dawes Craig, b. Oct. 23, 1875. (b) William Warren Craig, b. June 5, 1883. (c) Edith Field Craig, b. July 15, 1885; now married. All living at New Germantown, N. J.

3429. vi. WILLIAM R., b. Feb. 14, 1821; m. Sarah Elizabeth Kline; d. Sept. 12, 1892.

1899. WILLIAM FIELD (Hendrick, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J., April 9, 1791; m. at Piscataway, Jan. 14, 1814, Catherine Manning, b. March 16, 1795; d. Feb. 17, 1818; m., 2d, at White House, N. J., May 11, 1831, Sarah Farley Van Deventer, b. Feb. 1, 1808; d. Sept. 15, 1873. Was a farmer. He d. Dec. 27, 1880. Res. Lamington, N. J.

3430. i. JOHN W., b. March 4, 1815; d. unm. at St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 15, 1837.

3431. ii. CATHERINE, b. Oct. 5, 1817; m. June 14, 1837, John Vescelius; d. May 8, 1890, at Fairmount, N. J. Ch.: 1. Caroline Webb Vescelius, b. April 4, 1839; m. Amos Fisher. Res. Washington, N. J. 2. William Austin Vescelius, b. May 24, 1841; m. Phebe Dancer. Res. Rahway, N. J. 3. Hiram Vescelius, b. Oct. 24, 1843; m. Mary Miller. 4. Mary Adeline Vescelius, b. Dec. 28, 1845; m. Albert Hardy; d. 5. Emma Gertrude Vescelius, b. May 8, 1849; m. Jacob Philhower. Res. Califon, N. J. 6. George Vescelius, b. Feb. 6, 1851; m. Jane Eick. 7. Jane Field Vescelius, b. June 20, 1855; m. Fred N. Jenkins. Res. Washington, N. J.

3432. iii. JANE, b. Feb. 22, 1832; m. Nov. 29, 1855, William M. Cornell. Res. Roycefield, N. J. Ch.: 1. Nancy E. Cornell, b. March 17, 1857; d. May 4, 1857.

3433. iv. PHEBE MARIA, b. Nov. 26, 1833; unm. Res. North Branch, N. J.

3434. v. HENDRICK (or HENRY), b. Nov. 1, 1835; unm. Res. North Branch, N. J. A farmer.

3435. vi. WILLIAM VAN DEVENTER, b. March 19, 1837; unm. Res. North Branch.

3436. vii. HANNAH, b. Feb. 3, 1839; unm. Res. North Branch.

3437. viii. SARAH ANN, b. July 18, 1842; unm. Res. North Branch.

3438. ix. MARTHA AUGUSTA, b. April 21, 1845; m. Jan. 17, 1877, James S. Weldon, s. p. Res. Lamington, N. J.

3439. x. JOHN W., b. Oct. 20, 1847; m. Ida I. Holmes.

3440. xi. HARRIET, b. Nov. 14, 1850; unm. Res. North Branch.

1900. MICHAEL FIELD (Hendrick, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J.; m. there Mary Lowe. She d., aged eighty-three, at Burnt Mills, N. J. He d. aged forty-three. Res. North Branch, N. J.

3441. i. HANNAH, b. Feb 1, 1832; m. Feb. 17, 1853, Isaac Hummer, b. Oct. 25, 1822; d. Jan. 24, 1891, at High Bridge, N. J. He was a mineralogist and mining engineer. Ch.: 1. Ernest Augustus Hummer, b. Nov. 29, 1858; d. March 10, 1883. No children. 2. Anna Elizabeth Hummer, d. Aug. 27, 1861. Cannot tell date of birth. 3. Mary Adelaide Hummer, b. May 2, 1857; m. Dec. 9, 1876, John S. Cramer, b. June 15, 1846. He is a hotel proprietor. Res. High Bridge, N. J. Ch.: (a) Frank Hummer Cramer, b. May 29, 1883. (b) Sarah Jane Beekman Cramer, b. March 29, 1885; d. Oct. 1, 1887.

1903. CAPT. RICHARD I. FIELD (Jeremiah, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J., Sept. 12, 1785; m. Dec. 22, 1808, Mary Kline, b. April 17, 1791; d. Jan. 16, 1869. Was a farmer.

Richard I. Field married Mary Kline, dau. of Jacob Kline, justice of the peace, New Germantown, Hunterdon county, a sister of Jacob Kline, some years treasurer of the state of New Jersey and director in the old State Bank at New Brunswick when in its highest state of prosperity. He, Richard I. Field, purchased a farm adjoining that of his father at Lamington; was elected captain and after receiving his commission served several years as a cavalry officer in Somerset county; afterwards, 1826, moved with his family and located on the part of the old homestead near Bound Brook, set apart for Richard R. Field, born in 1755, by his father, Richard Field, Sr., and at that time owned and occupied by him. Richard I. Field here lived the remainder of his days, raising a large family. Died in 1871, eighty-six years of age, revered and beloved.

"Primogeniture being now unknown in this country, instances are not frequent where land descends from father to son for successive generations. In addition to the usual necessity of dividing estates, too often the heir to homestead lands is quite wanting in that love and reverence for ancestral acres that distinguishes people of an older country. It is pleasant to be able to record and make honorable mention of so rare a preservation of a family property as that of Benjamin M., Benjamin B., John K., and John B. Field, who now own and occupy 500 acres of land fronting on the river, a short distance below Bound Brook. Theirs is one of the few instances in New Jersey of persons being able, in walking over their lands, to feel the proud consciousness of overlooking a broad territory that has been theirs and their ancestors' for nearly 200 years. The New Jersey forefather was John Field, who, on Dec. 14, 1695, purchased 1,055 acres of land, fronting the Raritan for two miles and a half, extending about three-quarters of a mile inland, and commencing about one mile below Bound Brook. He came from Long Island, where he was born in 1659, being the grandson of Robert Field, born in 1610, who, it is supposed, came to Rhode Island with Roger Williams. Robert with fifteen associates obtained, in 1645, from Gov. William Kieft, of New Netherland, a patent for a large area of land on Long Island, embodying the present location of Flushing. The New Jersey ancestor

was fifth in descent—in the direct line—from the famous astronomer, John Field, born in 1525, who introduced the Copernican system in England. While living in London, in 1556, he published the first English astronomical tables on the basis of the new discoveries. In recognition of this service he received from the Crown a patent authorizing him to bear a crest on his family arms. His son Richard became chaplain to Queen Elizabeth, and was the author of several religious works. The Fields trace their descent from Hubertus de la Feld, who held lands in the County of Lancaster, England, in the third year of the reign of William the Conqueror. The name, in the old English, was written "Feld," and is merely the past participle of the verb to fell. Field-land is opposed to wood-land, and means land where the trees have been felled. When such land is spoken of by such old authors as Gower, Chaucer, and others, it is always written "feld:" "In Woode, in Feld or Cittee, Shall no man steale in nowise."

John Field purchased his Raritan lands in 1695 from Benjamin Clarke, who inherited the property from his father—also named Benjamin. The senior Clarke, who died in 1689, arrived in Perth Amboy in 1683, securing headlands for himself, his son and eight others. He is said to have built a house near the junction of Market and Water streets, where he established New Jersey's first stationery and book store. In a letter to Scotland, in March, 1685, Charles Gordon writes: "Neither are we altogether destitute of Books and Clergy, for George Keith, who arrived three weeks since, with others—(they were all winter in Barbadoes)—have brought mathematics, and Benjamin Clarke a Library of Books to sell; so you may see New Perth begins to be founded upon Clergy." Clarke was a Quaker, and we may judge him a stiff-necked one after reading the following extract from the old book of records of the Society of Friends:

"At the monthly meeting held in Amboy, the thirteenth of the fifth month, 1687, the friends appoynted to speak to Benjamin Clerk, brought his answer, which was, that he would not come to meeting because Governor Lawry called him a divil (as he sayes) wherewith friends not being satisfied desires George Keith and John Barclay to speak to him again."

Many of these ancestral acres have been the homestead lands of Fields from that day to this. At the time Johannes rode through this domain the original estate was owned and occupied by the grandsons of John Field, as follows: Jeremiah, born in 1713, who lived on the farm lately owned by Stephen Voorhees, and whose stone dwelling is still extant; John, born in 1714, who lived on what was lately known as the Oliver farm in a stone house still standing, which has inscribed on the west wall the date 1743, and the initials J. F.; Michael, born in 1723, who lived on the mill property lately owned by Louis Clark; Benjamin, born in 1735, who lived on the farm now owned by Benjamin M. Field, in a frame house still standing, the newer portion of which is inscribed with the date 1761, and the initials B. F.; and Richard, born 1726, who lived on the farm lately owned by John D. Field. His house is still standing its corner-stone being marked with the date 1710 and the initial F.; it is thought, however, that this stone was taken from the original house of the first purchaser, John Field, which stood a few hundred yards away, its foundations and cellars still plainly visible.

You may wonder at so prolonged a narrative of these Fields and their property. It should have an interest to the descendants of Johannes, from the fact that the two families are in this wise connected: Jeremiah Field, born in 1753, married Jane, daughter of Capt. Jacob Ten Eyck, of Revolutionary fame. He settled in Bedminster township, purchasing on Feb. 6, 1790, from Daniel Heath a farm of 103 acres, fronting on the Lamington river. Here Richard J. Field was born in 1785, who on Dec. 22, 1808, married Mary Kline, born April 17, 1791, she being the

granddaughter of Jacob Kline, and his wife, Veronica Gerdrutta, the eldest daughter of Johannes Noelich."—Mellick's History of an old house.

He d. May 6, 1871. Res. North Branch, N. J.

3442. i. JEREMIAH R., b. Dec. 16, 1809; m. Margaret Wool Telfair.

3443. ii. PHEBE MARIAH, b. Nov. 18, 1811; m. June 13, 1833, Henry Cornell Brokaw. He was b. Oct. 2, 1809; d. Piscataway, N. J., Nov. 29, 1872. She d. March 8, 1889. Ch.: 1. Mary Jane, b. April 9, 1834; m. April 28, 1853, Abraham Smalley. Three children. Res. Bound Brook. 2. Elizabeth Smock, b. Oct. 27, 1835; m. Nov. 22, 1854, George McDonald. Four children. Res. New Brunswick, N. J. 3. Catherine Van Nest, b. March 13, 1839; m. Arthur Manning. Res. New Market, N. J. 4. Rachel De Puy, b. Oct. 13, 1841; m. —— Baldwin. Res. New Brunswick, N. J. 5. Richard Henry, b. Feb. 5, 1848; m. Nov. 24, 1880, Estelle P. Schurtz, b. May 1, 1858. Res. Bound Brook, N. J. 6. Isaac Newton, b. Jan. 2, 1850; d. unm.

3444. iii. JACOB KLINE, b. Jan. 13, 1814; m. Rebecca G. Stewart.

3445. iv. JANE, b. March 16, 1816; m. Nov. 22, 1838, Henry H. Garretson. She d. Dec. 16, 1857. Ch.: 1. John G., b. Nov. 4, 1839; d. Sept. 20, 1841. 2. Richard Field, b. Dec. 1, 1841 3. John Remson, b. Feb. 7, 1844; m. Jennie Winsor. Res. Somerville, N. J. 4. Jeremiah Field, b. March 24, 1846; m. Katie Sharp. 5. Mary Jane, b. Oct. 4, 1850; m. James Auten. 6. Rachel Mariah, b. Nov. 7, 1853.

3446. v. RICHARD R., b. March 8, 1818; m. Margarette B. Miller.

3447. vi. BENJAMIN McDOWELL, b. May 1, 1820; m. Ellen M. Field.

3448. vii. RACHEL DE PUY, b. June 3, 1823; m. Jan. 13, 1847, James Polhemus. She d. May 12, 1871.

3449. viii. JOHN KLINE, b. Dec. 27, 1825; m. Lucinda Whitehill.

3450. ix. ISAAC NEWTON, b. May 1, 1828; m. Mary Dutcher.

3451. x. PETER WORTMAN, b. Nov. 7, 1830; m. Helen Shipman.

3452. xi. WILLIAM BOYD, b. Sept. 16, 1834; m. Harriet E. Boyd.

1904. REV. JACOB TENERICK FIELD (Jeremiah, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J., Oct. 31, 1787; m. March 6, 1811, Rachel De Pue.

Jacob T. Field, born at Lamington, was educated for the gospel ministry. He married Rachel De Pue, of Pompton, N. J., and was pastor of the church at that place. He also preached in Pennsylvania and died there.

He d. in Pennsylvania, 1866. Res. Pompton and Belvidere, N. J.

3453. i. DE PUE, b. ——. After finishing his education and preparing for the practice of law, made a tour to the west; was taken sick in the state of Illinois and died there.

1905. MICHAEL TEN YCKE FIELD (Jeremiah, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Lamington, N. J., Oct. 14, 1789; m. March 9, 1814, Francis Traphagen, b. April 10, 1797; d. Feb. 11, 1890. He was a carpenter and farmer.

Michael T. Field was born near Lamington, Somerset county, he married Fannie Traphagan. They first settled near Baskinridge, Somerset county; sold out and bought a farm at Whitehouse Station, Hunterdon county, Redington township, N. J., about the year 1831; lived and died there. They raised twelve children.

He d. Aug. 1, 1871. Res. Whitehouse, N. J.

3454. i. JEREMIAH H., b. Jan. 2, 1815; m. Mary A. Welsh.

3455. ii. RACHEL D., b. July 29, 1816; d. in infancy.

3456. iii. JACOB T., b. April 30, 1818; d. ——

3457. iv. RICHARD, b. May 14, 1820; d. 1897. Res. Fairview, Ill.

3458. v. JOHN T., b. April 11, 1822; d. 1890. Res. Fairview, Ill.

3459. vi. DAVID T., b. May 23, 1824; m. 1880. A dau. is Mrs. Nettie Vogel. Res. 1336 North 50th street, Philadelphia, Pa.

3460. vii. JANE T. E., b. May 26, 1826; m. Oct. 17, 1850, Dr. J. N. Lowe. Res. Milford, N. J. Ch.: 1. Georgina L., b. July 28, 1851; m. Oct. 29, 1878, Henry Carter. Res. 1207 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. Ch.: (a) Helene, b. June 2, 1882. (b) Lloyd Carroll, b. May 20, 1884. 2. Mrs. Edith Appleate. Res. Catasanqua, Penn. 3. Mrs. Kate Rigle. Res. Brooklyn, N. Y. 4. Mrs. Anna J. Dalrymple. Res. Trenton, N. J. 5. Judson Lowe. Res. Milford, N. J. Mrs. Carter was for several years on the stage, and the following very flattering notice is taken from a New Jersey paper: "In public, as well as private circles, Miss Lowe is graceful, brilliant, with a presence of exquisite refinement and perfect repose of manner, that bespeaks a nature idealistic, spirituelle, having a voice charming in its irreproachable sweetness and purity of intonation. To her music seems a natural language, and through it she becomes the interpreter of the deepest, tenderest, and truest emotions of the human heart; and no one who has ever listened to her pure voice, her sympathetic style, simple truth and eloquence of manner, whether in song or declamation, will fail to recall often and long that winning personality which shines through all her personations. Through her readings is evinced a strong emotional and intellectual organization, exquisitely artistic withal, and give evidence of the highest dramatic talent. Her stage presence is remarkably elegant and graceful—her taste is purely æsthetic; her gestures the perfection of grace and true to thought; pronounced by judges to be marvels of excellence, and gems of art for one so young, and to compare favorably with older dramatists whose reputation is world-wide.

3461. viii. SAMUEL M., b. Sept. 4, 1828; d. Feb. 11, 1890; m. Res. West Pittston, Pa. Several children.

3462. ix. ELIZABETH M. D., b. July 10, 1830; m. Dec. 8, 1852, William Cortelyou. Res. Briggsville, Ill. He was b. May 29, 1826. Is a farmer. Ch.: 1. Emma, b. Aug. 25, 1853. 2. Fannie, b. Nov. 23, 1859. 3. Abram, b. Jan. 26, 1862. 4. Lyman, b. Jan. 26, 1865. Abram Cortelyou, Memphis, Mo. Lyman Cortelyou, Abingdon, Ill. Emma Simonson, Hannibal, Mo. Fannie Bailey, Briggsville, Ill.

3463. x. HENRY T., b. Aug. 5, 1832; d. 1878. Three children. Res. White House, N. J.

3464. xi. MICHAEL M., b. Dec. 3, 1834; m. Mary A. Veech.

3465. xii. FRANCES PENYEA T., b. March 15, 1837; m. Nov. 28, 1878, Henry McCauley, s. p. He d. Aug. 20, 1890. Res. Milford, N. J.

3466. xiii. JACOB DEPUE, b. Aug. 22, 1840; d. 1873 in Chicago. Res. North Branch, N. J.

3467. xiv. GEORGE L., b. Nov. 23, 1845; m. Henrietta Lewis.

1906. JEREMIAH FIELD (Jeremiah, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, William, John, John, William), b. Feb. 2, 1792; m. Feb. 6, 1830, Martha Longstreet. He had several children, sons, one of whom is now a practicing physician in one of the cities in New Jersey. He d. in 1870. Res. New Jersey.

1910. HON. JOHN D. FIELD (Dennis, Richard, Jeremiah, John, Anthony, Robert, William, William, John, John, William), b. Bound Brook, N. J., 1804; m. ——.

John D. Field transferred his residence (the old homestead) in the year 1864, to a member of his family, soon after becoming a citizen of New Brunswick, N. J. He served his county, Middlesex, with credit for two years, 1844-45, in the state legislature; held the office of Freeholder, 1862, and was trustee of the Presbyterian church at Bound Brook about nineteen years.

Res. New Brunswick, N. J.

1916. JOHN FIELD (Isaac, Thomas, Thomas, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Dec. 18, 1774, England; m. there July 26, 1816, —— Mumford. He d. Aug. 15, 1841. Res. Bishops Stratford, England.

3468. i. WILLIAM, b. June 16, 1817; m. C. Wright.

1918. HENRY CROMWELL FIELD (Henry, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. London, England, June 27, 1785; m. Anne Gwinnel.

Henry Cromwell Field succeeded to his father's professional position in Newgate street, and became chairman of the Court of Examiners of the Apothecaries' Company. His personal tastes took an artistic turn, and led to his becoming an occasional exhibitor at the Royal Academy. Shortly before his death he was preparing, in co-operation with the chaplain of Charterhouse, a book in illustration of that establishment. It was whilst in the discharge of his duty as resident medical officer there that his death occurred instantaneously in 1840. He was buried in the vault of Charterhouse chapel. He married his cousin, Anne, daughter of Thomas Gwinnel.

He d. May 6, 1840. Res. London, England.

1919. BARRON FIELD (Henry, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. England, Oct. 23, 1786; m. there —— Carncroft. He was a lawyer and miscellaneous writer, second son of Henry Field, by his wife, Esther, daughter of John Barron. Through his father's intimate connection with Christ's Hospital, and through the fact that his brother, Francis John Field, was a clerk in the India office, he became acquainted with Charles Lamb; had a large share in his affections, and was admitted a member of that distinguished cluster of literary men which included Coleridge, Wordsworth, Hazlitt and Leigh Hunt. He was entered in the books of the Inner Temple on June 20, 1809, and was called June 23, 1841. At this period of his life he supported himself by literature. He contributed several essays to Leigh Hunt's Reflector (1811), and among his compilations was an analysis of Blackstone's Commentaries. His most lucrative engagement was that of theatrical critic to the Times. He had sufficient influence with the proprietors to procure the place of parliamentary reporter for Thomas Barnes, and the recruit ultimately obtained the position of editor.

Field appreciated English poetry, both ancient and modern; his fondness for Wordsworth's writings was especially marked, and Mr. J. Dykes Campbell possesses a copy of Wordsworth's poems (1815-20, in 3 vols.), which contains Field's book-plate and elaborate variorum readings in his handwriting. He contributed to the Quar-

terly Review, for 1810 an article on Dr. Nott's edition of Herrick, and he made a close study of the dramatic works of Heywood. When he had realized the precarious character of literary work and his want of success in the law of England, he secured for himself the post of advocate-fiscal at Ceylon, and then of judge of the Supreme Court at New South Wales and its dependencies. He embarked at Gravesend Aug. 28, 1816, with his wife, whom he had just married, and anchored in Sydney harbor Feb. 24, 1817. His stay in the colonies lasted nearly seven years. He took ship for England Feb. 4, 1824, and landed at Portsmouth June 18. Several articles, including narratives of the incidents on these voyages, were contributed by him to the London Magazine (1822-25), and the journals of his voyages were subsequently included in the appendix of the Geographical Memoirs on New South Wales. His discharge of his legal duties in New South Wales was marred by some drawbacks. His diligence and professional skill were generally recognized, but he was paid by fees, and this exposed him to the charge, an unjust charge as is acknowledged, of encouraging litigation to augment his income. A more serious error appeared in his readiness to embark in the party squabbles of the colony, which exposed him to the obloquy of his opponents; and when he retired from the presidency of the supreme court the complimentary address of the lawyers did not represent every shade of public opinion. An address which Field delivered to the Agricultural Society of New South Wales, as its president, on July 3, 1823, provoked a printed letter "in refutation of the groundless assertions put forth by him to the prejudice of Van Diemen's Land," by a colonist named Thomas Kent, who claimed a residence of ten years in the latter colony. Field's intimacy with Charles Lamb is twice shown in the "Essays of Elia." He was the friend with the initials of "B. F.," who accompanied Lamb and his sister on their visit to "Mackery End in Hertfordshire," and to him when resident at Sydney was addressed under his initials the essay entitled "Distant Correspondents." Field returned "plump and friendly, and he resumed his practice at the bar, but was again driven, through want of business into applying for a legal position in the colonies. His next appointment was to the chief-justiceship at Gilbraltar, where Benjamin Disraeli called on him in 1830, and has left a disparaging account of his manners. He is pronounced "a bore and vulgar, a Storks without breeding; consequently I gave him a lecture on canes, which made him stare, and he has avoided me ever since—a noisy, obtrusive, jargonic judge, ever illustrating the obvious, explaining the evident, and expatiating on the commonplace," but these harsh expressions of the young man of fashion must be contrasted with the liking of friends, like Crabb Robinson, who had seen many classes of men. Some years later Field returned home and withdrew from the active duties of his profession. He died without issue at Meadfoot House, Torquay, April 11, 1846. His widow, Jane, daughter of Mr. Carncroft, died at Wimbledon, in 1878, aged eighty-six. In Lamb's opinion she was "really a very superior woman," and on her return from Gilbraltar he honored her with an acrostic.

Field's analysis of Blackstone's "Commentaries," which was published in 1811, was frequently reprinted, and so lately as 1878 was included in an edition of Blackstone's which was published by George Sharswood at Philadelphia. The year after he was called to the bar he issued, under the disguise of "By a Barrister," a little pamphlet of "Hints to Witnesses in Courts of Justice," 1815, which contained some practical advice on the advantages of answering clearly and directly the questions of counsel. His "First Fruits of Australian Poetry," consisting of two pieces entitled "Botany Bay Flowers" and "The Kangaroo," was printed for private distribution in 1819, during his residence at Sydney, and was reviewed by Charles Lamb in Leigh Hunt's Examiner, of Jan. 16, 1820, the review being printed in R. H. Shepherd's "Complete Works in Prose and Verse of Lamb" (1875), pp. 768-9, and in

"Mrs. Liecester's School," etc. (Canon Ainger's ed.), pp. 135-7. On his return to England, in 1825, he edited a volume of "Geographical Memoirs on New South Wales, by various hands." In the main portion of this work were comprised two articles by him (1) "On the Aborigines of New Holland and Van Diemen's Land," pp. 195-229; (2) "On the Rivers of New South Wales," pp. 299-312, but the appendix contains six more of his papers, including the narratives of his voyages and the "First Fruits of Australian Poetry," the latter being slightly augmented since their first appearance. His prose passed muster, but his verse did little credit to his literary abilities, and exposed him to an epigram with the obvious taunt that they were the products of a "barren field." Another legal tract of his composition was passed through the press in 1828; it was called "A Vindication of the Practice of not Allowing the Counsel for Prisoners Accused of Felony to make Speeches for them."

After his final settlement in England he edited for the Shakspeare Society (1) The "First and Second Parts of King Edward IV. Histories," by Thomas Heywood, 1842; (2) "The True Tragedy of Richard the Third, to which is appended the Latin play of "Richardus Tertius," by Dr. Thomas Legge, 1844; (3) "The Fair Maid of the Exchange, a Comedy," by Thomas Heywood; and "Fortune by Land and Sea, a Tragic Comedy," by Thomas Heywood and William Rowley, 1846. The study of Heywood's writings was Field's chief pleasure, and it was his intention to have completed the publication of all his works and to have written his memior. He prefixed an introduction, signed "B. F.," to the "Memoirs of James Hardy Vaux, a Swindler and Thief, now transported to New South Wales for the second time and for life." which originally appeared in 1819, was included in Hunt and Clarke's series of autobiographies (vol. xiii for 1827), and was reissued in 1830. Field wrote in the Reflector numerous pieces (signed with three daggers), of which the most remarkable are the communications from a "Student of the Inner Temple," consisting of anecdotes on bench and bar; he contributed a short but excellent memoir of Charles Lamb to the "Annual Biography and Obituary" of 1836, and he wished to undertake a life of Wordsworth, but the poet begged him to refrain. Three letters to him are among Lamb's correspondence; one from him to Leigh Hunt is printed in the latter's correspondence, and he is occasionally mentioned in Crabb Robinson's "Diary," which also contains (iii. 246-8) one of his letters to Robinson, written from Torquay in 1844.

He d. s. p. April 11, 1846. Res. England.

1920. FRANCIS JOHN FIELD (Henry, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. March 22, 1790, in England; m. in 1841, Anne Barron. He held in the India House the office of Accountant-General, and was the last of that title. He married, in 1841, Anne, daughter of Edward Barron, of Northiam, in Sussex. Charles Lamb, in one of his letters to Bernard Barton, while humorously recording his neglect of some of the details of social life, says: "All the time I was at the East India House I never mended a pen. When I write to a great man at the court end, he opens with surprise upon a naked note such as Whitechapel people interchange, with no sweet degree of envelope. I never enclose one bit of paper in another, nor understood the rationale of it. Once only I sealed with borrowed wax, to set Sir Walter Scott a-wandering, signed with the Imperial quartered arms of England, which my friend Field bears in compliment to his descent in the female line from Oliver Cromwell. It must have set his antiquarian curiosity upon watering." (Talfourd's Life and Letters of Lamb.) He d. Nov. 5, 1857. Res. 88 Chester Place, Regents Park, London, England.

1926. JOHN FIELD (Oliver, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. England, Nov. 2, 1794; m. July 15, 1824, G. M. Knows. Res. in England.

3469. i. OLIVER AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 19, 1826; m. M. A. Eagleson.

3470. ii. OTHER children.

1930. HENRY WILLIAM FIELD (John, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. March 23, 1803. He was for fifty-one years an able servant of the Crown at the Royal Mint, and about twenty-eight years ago (1872) retired to his estate of Minster Lodge, on the banks of the Thames, near Teddington. He entered the mint at the age of sixteen, at the time of Lord Marlborough's Mastership, and assisted at the great recoinage then in progress. The chemical skill which he inherited from his father eventually found fuller scope when, in 1850, he succeeded to the office of Queen's Assay-Master (an ancient appellation subsequently disused). This was also the period of Sir John Herschell's appointment to the Mastership, marking an economical crisis in the history of that establishment, which was long remembered as "the revolution of '51."

In the laboratory Mr. Field was ever Sir John's able auxiliary, more especially when it was resolved to establish and apply more incontrovertible tests to the quality of bullion devoted to coinage. The scientific details of Mr. Field's new system of working the essays cannot here be displayed, it must suffice to say they received Herschell's emphatic approbation. A parting message, which came from his old friend many years after, will form a suitable voucher. "I am suffering," says Sir John, "under an attack of bronchitis, which has lasted me all the winter, so excessively severe that I can hardly hold the pen, which must excuse the brevity of this, and being now in my eightieth year, I can hope for no relief. I shall retain, however, to the last a pleasing recollection of aid and support I received from you during the period of my administration of the mint. As I know you will believe me ever my dear sir, yours most truly, J. F. W. Herschell." Mr. Field, in 1840, married Anna, daughter of T. Mills, of Coral Hall, Chelmsford, and Vicar of Hellions, Bumpstead, Essex.

He died June 9, 1888.

3471. i. MARY HESTER KATHERINE, b. Feb. 16, 1841; m. 1864, Arthur Evershed, M. D., of Ampthill, and had issue seven children.

3472. ii. CATHERINE ANNE RUSSELL, b. April 6, 1842; m. 1866, William H. Snelling, Esq., of the Admiralty, of Ashton Lodge, Selhurst, and has issue.

3473. iii. HARRIET ELIZABETH PRYE, b. Sept. 6, 1843; m. T. G. Johnson.

3474. iv. FRANCES ANNA CLYFFE, b. April 2, 1847.

3475. v. HENRY CROMWELL BECKWITH, of Trinity College, Cambridge, Curate of St. Judes', Liverpool, b. June 21, 1850; m. Annie Woodhans.

3476. vi. LETITIA ELIZA; m. 1876, Ralph Thomas, of Doughty street, solicitor, and has issue.

3477. vii. MINNIE. d. 1878.

1934. SAMUEL PRYOR FIELD, M. A. (John, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Royal Mint, London, England, Oct. 18, 1816; m. Holy Trinity church, London, Jan. 13, 1859, Jane Elizabeth Pierson, b. Feb. 12, 1828. He was so devoted to the study of ecclesiastical architecture that he lavished much of his income in restoring the church

fabrics successively under his care. By his wife, Jane, daughter of Admiral Sir W. H. Pierson, of Langton, Hants, he had four children. He d. Oct. 1, 1878. Res. Herts, England.

3477¼. i. BERTHA, b. Oct. 14, 1861; m. July, 1889, L. Deane. Res. Dorchester House, Park Hill, Coeshalton, Surrey, England.

3477⅓. ii. OLIVER, b. May 13, 1863. Res. New York.

3477½. iii. MAUD, b. July, 1865; d. January, 1885.

3477¾ iv. CYRIL, b. Dec. 20, 1859; m. Violet Westgarth.

1935. EDWIN WILKINS FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Leamington, England, Oct. 12, 1804; m. in 1830 Mary Sharpe, niece of Samuel Rogers, the poet, and had one son, b. Aug. 5, 1831; named Rogers, after his great-uncle. Mr. Field m., 2d, in 1833, Letitia, dau. of Robert Kinder, Esq., of London, who d. in 1890, aged eighty-five. She became the mother of seven children.

3478. i. BASIL, b. 1834, successor to his father. He m. and has two daughters, Mirtle and Daisy.

3479. ii. ALLAN, b. Dec. 6, 1835; m. Miss Phillips.

3480. iii. WALTER, b. 1837, an eminent landscape and genre painter; m. Mary Jane Cookson, dau. of W. Strickland Cookson, solicitor.

3481. iv. MARY, b. 1839.

3482. v. GRACE, b. 1841.

3483. vi. SUSAN, b. 1843.

3484. vii. EMILY, b. 1845.

LIFE OF EDWIN WILKINS FIELD.

If Edwin Field was not a statesman in the popular sense, he was the stimulating agent in bringing about many reforms for which professed statesmen have reaped the credit. Yet neither was he a law-reformer only; he was a man of unbounded sympathies, and his Cromwellian energy was combined with versatile capacity. Born at Leam, near Warwick, Oct. 12, 1804, and educated at his father's school, he was articled March 19, 1821, to Taylor and Roscoe, of Kings Bench Walk, in the Temple. He was admitted attorney and solicitor in the Michaelmas term, 1825. He joined his fellow-clerk, William Sharpe, to form the firm of Sharpe & Field, in Broad street, Cheapside, but in 1835 Taylor, who was then alone, took Sharpe and Field into partnership with him. The office of the firm was long in Bedford Row, but was subsequently removed to Lincoln's Inn Fields. "I remember as if it were yesterday," says he in afterlife, "my good old father's wistful look as he left me there. That look has stood me in fast stead many a time since." His first action in life was to repay that father the expenses incurred in his outsetting. The father refused, but the pious dexterity of the son continued to fulfill the intention. This generous impulse was the animus which pervaded all his subsequent schemes. His object was to make the practice of the law square with consciences as upright and scrupulous as his own. To become a law-reformer was therefore with him a moral necessity, and to see those reforms carried to a triumphant issue was but the fair reward of one who thought it more heroic to abolish abuses than to run away from them. His first essays in the Legal Observer had reference to the law respecting marriages abroad between English subjects within the prohibited degrees. This was in 1840; but his grand attack during the same year was directed against the Court of Chancery, and the Six-Clerks and Sworn Clerks Office in particular. Lords Brougham and Cottenham had begun to clear the ground, but the crisis was not precipitated until Mr. Field led the public voice. Details cannot be enlarged on here, but the judgment of contemporaries may establish the verdict.

Spence, in his "Equity Jurisprudence," says: "To Mr. Field's exertions, enforced by Mr. Pemberton, the Court of Chancery, is in great part indebteded for the late improvements." John Wainewright, formerly one of the sworn clerks, and later (1879), taxing-master, says in a letter written since Mr. Field's death, that his friend was "the first person who practically brought about this change." And Robert Bagley Follett, also a taxing-master, says: "I always considered the abolition of the Six-Clerks Office due to E. W. Field."

The removal of one monster grievance ensures the fall of many parasitical institutions. In 1844 Field was in communication with the Board of Trade, on the subject of a winding-up act for joint-stock companies. The act of 1848 substantially embodied the proposals contained in a draft bill laid before the legal adviser of the Board of Trade on April 27, 1846, by Field and his friend, Rigge, who had formerly been in his office. His views on the question of legal remuneration were practically embodied in the act of 1870. Mr. Field had abundance of work before him; but success had now energized his arm and inspired his friends with confidence. After the year 1840 there was scarcely a Royal Commission or Parliamentary Committee on Chancery reform or general legal questions before which he was not called upon to give evidence. Extracts from the list of his published writings may serve as an index to his subsequent services. Thus, in the Westminster Review, February, 1843, we have: "Recent and Future Law Reforms," "Judicial Procedure a Single and Inductive Science;" in the Law Review, August, 1848, "Comparative Anatomy of Judicial Procedure," reprinted in the New York Evening Post. Mr. Field also wrote papers, etc., "On the Right of the Public to form Limited Liability Partnerships, and on the Theory, Practice, and Costs of Commercial Charters," "On the Roots and Evils of the Law," "Economical Considerations on the Autocracy of the Bar, and on the System of Prescribed Tariffs for Legal Wages." A paper was read by him at Manchester in 1857, entitled, "What Should a Minister of Justice Do?" one before the Metropolitan and Provincial Law Association, held in London, 1859, "On Legal Medical and other Professional Education." He had also some correspondence with C. G. Loring, the eminent American advocate, "On the present relations between Great Britain and the United States," and "On the Property of Married Women," published in the Times.

Brought up among the English Presbyterians, Mr. Field was not disposed to sit down quietly under the partial legislation which was still enforced against Unitarians under cover of the notorious Lady Henley case, and accordingly, by the Dissenters Chapels Bill of 1844, he upset that legislation forever. This is quickly told, but the struggle while it lasted was arduous, and to many appeared hopeless. Even his constant friend and ally, Crabb Robinson, despaired of attacking entrenched orthodoxy, but a band of resolute men, who for many months sat on the question, *de die in diem*, had at length a long conference with the Minister Sir Robert Peel, Mr. Field acting as spokesman. Sir Robert, though a political opponent, promptly undertook to make it a government measure; while the elaborate historical argument with which Mr. Gladstone swayed the Commons on that occasion was mainly furnished by Mr. Field.

It was Field's belief that few schemes would more tend to simplify and quicken legal operations than the concentration of all the courts of justice and offices of the law into one building. For thirty years before the passing of the Courts of Justice Building Act of 1865, he had urged the measure; and when at last a Royal Commission was issued to obtain and approve a plan upon which the new Courts should be built, it was natural that her Majesty should appoint "her trusty and well-beloved Edwin W. Field to be the secretary to the commission." For the arduous duties in this capacity, extending over three years, embracing a thorough mastery of the

details of the vast fabrics, preparing instructions for the competing architects, and drawing up elaborate reports, Mr. Field refused all remuneration. But the firm of which he was the head, were appointed by the Board of Works solicitors for acquiring the new site; and under his vigorous superintendence a very short time sufficed to clear the ground for an architectural pile, which are not complete without some artistic memorial of the enthusiastic secretary.

He was an ardent lover of nature, and of the pictorial renderings by which true poetry alone can apprehend her. Much of the interest which as a member of the Council of University College, he took in that institution, assumed this form, as shown in his co-operating with Henry Crabb Robbinson in the formation of the Flaxman Gallery, and the establishment of the Slade School of Art, in all which, as well as in the legislation which from time to time he put into motion for the furtherance of art and its professors, his advice and assistance were spontaneous. "No labor," says he, "that I can ever give on this subject will repay the obligations I am under to art and artists for a great deal of the pleasure of my life. I reverence art. I look upon it as one of the divinest gifts of our nature. Develop a love of art in every way. It will give you new eyes wherewith to draw in and make part of yourself the very beauty of nature and new, undreamt-of capacities for enjoying it. It will assuredly improve and elevate your character. Accustomed as he was to be consulted in matters of taste it awoke no suspicion when Mr. T. Cobb, one of his former clerks, asked him one day what painter he would recommend under the following circumstances: A number of clerks in a London office had subscribed to get the portrait of their master executed in the best style, and it was thought they could not have a better adviser than Mr. Field. After a little further explanation he replied: "Watson Gordon is your man." "But, sir," said Cobb, "Sir Watson paints only in Edinburgh, and we doubt whether his sitter would consent to travel so far." "Then," rejoined Mr. Field, "tell the young men to drag him there. He ought to be proud of such a request." In due time Mr. Field was himself requested to go to Edinburgh and sit to Sir Watson Gordon for a painting to be presented to Mr. Field. "Congratulate me," he wrote to Crabb Robinson, "a hundred of my old clerks have subscribed to have my portrait painted—men I have tyrannized over, bullied—taken the praise from, which they really had earned—who knew every bit of humbug in me—no sense of favors to come. Regard from such a body is worth having." The picture is now at the family residence at Squire's Mount, Hampstead, with the names of the hundred subscribers displayed on the frame. Another characteristic likeness is preserved in a picture painted by his son Walter, a river scene, in which Mr. Field, together with part of his family, is represented in the enjoyment of one of his favorite pursuits—that of boating on the Thames. It has been said of him, that "not Izaac Walton loved his favorite river more than Mr. Field loved the Thames." Like the painter, Turner, he described in its varied aspects suggestive material for boundless poetry; and in order fully to drink in its influences, he took for holiday purposes a lease of the Mill House, Cleve, near Goring. Yet the Thames became the disastrous scene of his death. On July 30, 1871, the boat in which he was sailing with two of his clerks, was upset by a gale of wind. One of the party, named Ellwood, as well as Mr. Field himself, was a swimmer; the third, who could not swim, was the sole survivor. And all that this survivor could recollect about the affair was that he had at first gone down, but afterwards found himself supported by his two friends, who held on to the boat, and were making for the shore; that eventually Mr. Ellwood sank, and soon afterwards Mr. Field also. Five days later, at the Highgate Cemetery, Edwin Field was laid in a vault, next to that in which sleeps his friend, Henry Crabb Robinson. His age was sixty-seven. The above facts are derived from "A

Memorial," drawn up by his friend, Thomas Saddler, Ph. D., and published by Macmillan, in 1872, abounding with anecdotes and details of a highly interesting nature, but far too copious for adoption in this place. It may also be here stated that notices of the various members of the Field family will be found scattered up and down the biographies of Crabb Robinson, Serjeant Talfourd, and Charles Lamb.

1937. JOHN HAMPDEN FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Leamington, England, June 16, 1807; m. Feb. 6, 1847, Eliza Newton, b. May 3, 1832. Res. 829 50th street, Chicago. He was a portrait artist. He d. November, 1863. Res. Toronto, Canada.

3485. i. JOHN HAMPDEN, b. Sept. 13, 1849; m. Mary A. Parks and Rebecca Breadon.

3486. ii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 2, 1847; m. Martha Glenn. Ch.: John, Emily, Mary, Edward. Res. 110 St. Antoinne street, Montreal, Canada.

3487. iii. ALFRED, b. 1851; m. Allie Brooks and Tracy Baker. He d s. p. Hammond, Ind.

3488. iv. LOUISA ALICE, b. May 30, 1852; m. 1868 Thomas Welch. Res. New York City. Ch.: 1. Harry, b. Jan. 10, 1876. 2. Walter, b. Oct. 22, 1878.

3489. v. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Dec. 3, 1853; m. Oct. 22, 1877, David Franklin Nesbitt, b. Aug. 24, 1849. Res. Alleghany, Pa., 1909 St. Clair Terrace. Is a mechanical engineer. Ch.: 1. Frederick Sydney, b. Feb. 8, 1885.

3490. vi. ANNA L., b. Aug. 30, 1859; m. 1877, Stephen P. Cooney. Res. New York City. Ch.: 1. Charlotte Field.

3491. vii. LUCY F., b. Dec. 3, 1863; m. Sept. 17, 1881 Charles Elmer Hill, b. Indiana, Aug. 30, 1861. Ch.: 1. Charles E., Jr., b. June 17, 1882. Res. 829 50th street, Chicago, Ill.

3492. viii. ROBERT SIDNEY, b. Dec. 13, 1865; d. June 12, 1882.

1939. FERDINAND EMANS FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Leamington, England, June 16, 1810; m. in 1859, —— ——. He was a merchant. He d. in 1885. Res. Birmingham, England.

3493. i. MARY, b. October 1860.

3494. ii. ELIZABETH, b. in 1862.

3495. iii. WILLIAM, b. in 1863.

3496. iv. LUCY, b. in 1866.

3497. v. OLIVER, b. in 1865; m. Minnie Carnie.

1941. ALGERNON SYDNEY FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Leamington, England, Feb. 22, 1813; m. July 7, 1846, Sarah Martin, b. Oct. 22, 1814.

Algernon Sydney Field, son of the Rev. William Field, of Leam, near Warwick, and a descendant of the Protector Oliver Cromwell, was born on Feb. 22, 1813, more than two years before the battle of Waterloo, and is now at the age of nearly eighty-seven years, a vigorous and active man in mind and body. He has lived a stirring and active life, has witnessed many great changes in the course of it, and now enjoys a calm and peaceful old age, surrounded by many relations and friends, and possessing the confidence and respect of the whole of his native county of Warwick.

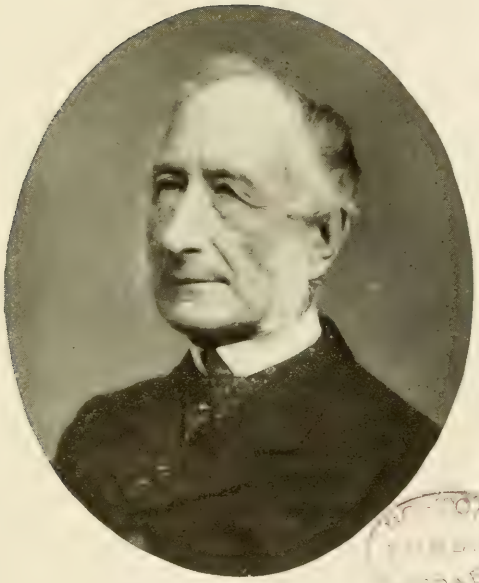
Born at a time when railways were unknown, when telegraphs were unheard of, and telephones and Atlantic cables were things of the distant future, nothing is more interesting than to hear him recount some of his early experiences, of traveling as an outside passenger on a winter's night on a stage coach before "railway rugs" had been thought of; of journeying to London by post chaise by night, transacting a long day's work in London, and posting down to Warwickshire all the next night; of seeing the streets of Warwick illuminated for the first time with that then wonderful new light, "gas;" and many similar stories of the good old days. He was articled at an early age to his brother, Edwin Wilkins Field, a solicitor of London, and soon to become known as one of the ablest of London lawyers, and largely instrumental in getting the Law Courts—the Royal Palace of Justice—established in the Strand against the then existing Temple Bar.

Old London Bridge was still standing when Sydney Field was an articled pupil, and many a time he undertook the hazardous feat of "shooting the bridge" in a wherry when the tide was at full flood. The water of the Thames was then so pure that he and his young companions used regularly to bathe in it in the early summer mornings. He well remembers attending a lecture at Leamington by a somewhat celebrated scientist, Dr. Lardner (a contributor to the first edition of the Encyclopedia Brittanica), when the lecture proved "conclusively" that it was impossible that a steamship should ever be able to steam across the Atlantic! It may be mentioned that the engines of the "Great Western," the first steamship to cross the Atlantic, were built by the firm of Messrs. Maudesley Field & Co., of which Mr. Sydney Field's cousin, Joshua Field, was a member.

On the completion of his studies in London, Sydney Field, in the year 1834, commenced practice as a solicitor in the then small but fashionable and quickly growing town of Leamington, near his native town of Warwick. His abilities, his energy, and his sterling character quickly secured him a large and successful practice; in 1841 he was appointed clerk to the justices of the Kenilworth Division of Warwickshire, an important post that he held with much credit till the year 1877, when he was succeeded by his son. In 1846 he married Sarah Martin, of Edgbaston, Birmingham, a descendant of the old Royalist family of the Rouses of Rous Lench in Worcestershire, by whom he had three sons and two daughters, and in 1852 he removed to the charming new house he had built at Blackdown Hill, near Leamington, where he and his wife still reside.

For some years past Mr. Sydney Field has taken no active part in politics, but in his earlier life he was an enthusiastic Whig, and acted as political agent for the Earl of Camperdown (then Lord Duncan), and twice for Sir Robert Hamilton Bart; in their candidatures as member of Parliament for Warwickshire.

Mr. Field is most widely known as the able and most efficient clerk of the peace of Warwickshire, the highest position to which a country solicitor can hope to attain. To this post he was appointed in the year 1874, by the Lord Lieutenant of the county, Lord Leigh; and to the important duties of the office have since been added, by the county government act of 1888, the duties of clerk to the county council. That the subject of this memoir has performed all the arduous work that these offices entail with credit to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the county authorities was amply demonstrated by the enthusiasm shown at a large and representative gathering of county magistrates and members of the county council in the county hall at Warwick, July 13, 1896, when they took the occasion of the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Field's golden wedding to present them with a magnificent set of silver-gilt bowls and spoons, accompanied with an illuminated address setting forth their appreciation of his practical wisdom, ripe experience, full legal knowledge, sound judgment, and unvarying industry. Lord Leigh (the Lord Lieu-



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BLACKDOWN HILL.

Near Leamington, Warwickshire, England, the residence of Algernon Sydney Field.

LODGE AND ENTRANCE GATES OF BLACKDOWN HILL.

Near Leamington, Warwickshire, England, the residence of Algernon Sydney Field.

tenant of the county), Mr. Dickins (the deputy chairman of Quarter Sessions and of the county council, in the unavoidable absence of the chairman), and the Marquis of Hertford, spoke in highly complimentary terms of Mr. Field's work. The ceremony was one not easily forgotten by those present, and was not only an evidence of friendly feeling but a recognition of the public services which Mr. Field has rendered to Warwickshire in the course of his long and useful life.

On March 14, 1885, Mr. Field suffered a heavy and irreparable loss in the death, at Santa Barbara, Southern California, of his eldest son, William, a young man of singular charms both of mind and person who had a happy facility of endearing himself with all those with whom he came in contact. His two remaining sons, Edward and Henry, he took into partnership in 1876 and 1877, in his practice as solicitor at Leamington, where Mr. Field is still occasionally to be seen, being now by several years the senior practicing solicitor of England.

Res. Leamington, England.

3498. i. MARGARET, b. April 1, 1847; m. April, 1870, James Samuel Beale.

3499. ii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 23, 1848; m. Sept. 22, 1877, Constance Johnson; d. March 14, 1885.

3500. iii. EDWARD, b. May 21, 1850; m. Beatrice Maude Ogilvie Riach.

3501. iv. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 2, 1852; m. Nov. 16, 1886, Edwin Clifford Beale.

3502. v. HENRY, b. Dec. 1, 1853; m. Dec. 28, 1882, Margaret Alicia Wentworth Bickmore.

1942. ALFRED FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. Leamington, England, July 21, 1814; m. July 2, 1842, Charlotte Errington, b. July 26, 1818; d. May 12, 1880; m., 2d, October, 1882, Margaret Burt; d. July 1, 1893.

Alfred Field, born at Leam, Leamington; was the son of the Rev. William Field, of Leam, Leamington, England, who was the grandson of John Field, of Newgate, who married Ann Cromwell, great-great-granddaughter of Oliver Cromwell, the protector. He was a merchant in Birmingham, England, and New York. He lived for sixteen years of his life in New York City, where he married an English lady, who had emigrated to America. He was always very much interested in the Abolitionist cause, and in the days of the John Brown riot, though taking no active part, he concealed weapons in his warehouse for those who were interested and taking an active part. Amongst his most intimate friends were Frederick Law Olmstead, the well-known landscape gardener, and William Cullen Bryant, the poet —the families continuing intimate friendship with both these families at the present time. He went to England to live in 1853, though he continued some time after that to make frequent visits to to the United States, always retaining a very active interest in the affairs of this country. He was for some years chairman of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce, and in this capacity, when visiting the United States in the year 1867, he acted as a deputation from the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce to various American cities, and was received, together with his family, by President Andrew Johnson. He had much to do with the supply of wire for the first Atlantic cable, which he arranged in conjunction with his friend, Cyrus W. Field. He was always very much interested in English politics, though not taking a very prominent part,—he was justice of the peace for the Borough of Warwick. He lived at the old family home, Leam, Leamington, where he received frequent visits from his American friends when they were in England. He was twice mar-

ried; first, in 1842, to Miss Errington, then living in New York, and second, in 1883, to Miss Burt, of London.

He d. May 25, 1884. Res. New York, N. Y., and Leamington, England.

3503. i. ROSA, b. New York, N. Y., April 5, 1847; m. in Warwick, England, Feb. 18, 1882, Dr. Henry Rayner, b. Nov. 7, 1841. Res. Upper Terrace House, Hampstead, London, England. Ch.: 1. Rosa Mary Rayner, b. Dec. 12, 1882. 2. Arthur Errington Rayner, b. Nov. 5, 1883. 3. Edwin Cromwell Rayner, b. Feb. 1, 1886.

3504. ii. FANNY CHARLOTTE, b. August, 1856; d. September, 1857.

3505. iii. HENRY CROMWELL, b. Jan. 17, 1853; m. Ruth Collings.

1946. HORACE FIELD (William, John, John, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William, Thomas), b. March 21, 1823, Leamington, England; m. October, 1860, Christina White, of Glasgow. He d. in 1879. Res. London, England.

3506. i. HORACE, b. ——; m. in 1887, Mary Campbell.

3507. ii. ANNA MARY, b. ——.

1948. JOHN FIELD (John, Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. May 19, 1771, England; m. M. Clark. He d. Sept. 9, 1841. Res. in England.

3508. i. CAROLINE, b. in 1800; m. S. Milne.

3509. ii. MARY ANN, b. in 1802.

3510. iii. MARIA, b. in 1804.

3511. iv. FREDERICK, b. ——; d. ——

3512. v. SARAH, b. in 1808.

3513. vi. WILLIAM, b. in 1810.

3514. vii. MARTHA CLARK, b. in 1812; m. —— Handy. She d. Aug. 23, 1855.

1949. ISAAC FIELD (John, Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. May 15, 1777, England; m. April 3, 1817, B. Gray. Res. in England.

3515. i. JOHN CHILD, b. in 1818; d. in 1831.

3516. ii. ELIZABETH, b. in 1820; d. in 1820.

1950. DR. JAMES FIELD (John, Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. in England, July 5, 1783; m. M. Seaward. Res. England.

3517. i. JAMES SEAWARD, b. April 8, 1813; m. Kate Ford.

1951. JOSHUA FIELD, F. R. S. (John, Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas, Henry, John, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. England, Nov. 2, 1786; m. October, 1827, M. Evans. Res. England.

3518. i. JOSHUA, b. Dec. 29, 1828; m. E. I. Evans.

1959. DANFORTH CLARK FIELD (Edward, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Edward and Abigail (Platt), b. in Killingworth, Conn., Sept. 23, 1805, where he resided and d. Nov. 29, 1890. He m. May 12, 1830, Lucretia, dau. of Michael Griswold, b. March 10, 1808; d. Jan. 18, 1877. Res. Killingworth and Branford, Conn.

3519. i. CYNTHIA JULIETTE, b. April 6, 1831; m. James S. Ludding-ton, of New Haven, Conn.

3520. ii. JOHN RANDOLPH, b. Nov. 29, 1832.

3521. iii. MICHAEL GRISWOLD, b. June 29, 1834; m. Augusta E. Rossiter.

3522. iv. GEORGE CARROLL, b. March 6, 1836; m. Sarah J. Dowd.
3523. v. CHANCELLOR WILBUR, b. Aug. 23, 1838.
3524. vi. EDMUND IRVING, b. Jan. 9, 1840; m. Louisa D. Dudley. He d. Sept. 18, 1862.
3525. vii. DAVID DE FOREST, b. Feb. 24, 1841; d. Oct. 18, 1869.
3526. viii. STILLMAN K. WIGHTMAN, b. Nov. 17, 1842.
3527. ix. JAMES RANDALL CLARK, b. July 12, 1844.
3528. x. RALPH EMERSON, b. June 9, 1846; d. Aug. 3, 1846.
3529. ix. SENORITTA VIOLETTA, b. Dec. 23, 1847; d. June 29, 1849.
3530. xii. HARRIET MARIA, b. March 23, 1849; m. May 29, 1873, Elmon W. Hurst. Res. Rock Island, Ill.
3531. xiii. MARY LOUISA, b. April 29, 1854.

1960. EDMUND MARVIN FIELD (Edward, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Edward and Abigail (Platt), b. in Killingworth, Conn., May 15, 1808; d. Dec. 8, 1865. He m. Aug. 16, 1835, Mary R., dau. of Woodward and Mary (Conklin) Dudley, of Killingworth; d. March 5, 1839; m., 2d, July 3, 1843, Ann Elizabeth, dau. of Jonathan and Elvira (Holmes) Dudley, of Killingworth, b. Oct. 20, 1823; d. Feb. 22, 1886. Res. Killingworth, Conn.

3532. i. EMMA CAROLINE, b. Oct. 6, 1836; m. Alden L. Fowler; m., 2d, Charles Burke; d. September ——.
3533. ii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. June 2, 1845; m. April 18, 1875, Elbert B. Potter, of North Guilford, Conn. She d. July 27, 1892. He was b. March 1, 1849. Ch.: 1. Elbert E., b. Jan. 16, 1880. 2. Anna E., b. Sept. 12, 1883.
3534. iii. HELEN EUGENIE, b. April 4, 1847; m. June 4, 1865, George Rose, of Durham, Conn. He was b. April 19, 1845. Is a merchant. Res. Douglas, Kans. Ch.: 1. George Herbert Rose, b. May 15, 1867; d. July, 1892. 2. Harriet Cordelia Rose, b. May 14, 1873; d. Dec. 2, 1880. 3. David Eugene Rose, b. Nov. 2, 1881; still living.
3535. iv. ELVIRA LUCINDA, b. Oct. 22, 1848; m. Charles J. Rose, of North Branford, Conn; d. Jan. 1, 1870. She resides North Branford, Conn.
3536. v. EDWARD MINNOTT, b. Jan. 10, 1851.
3537. vi. GEORGE DUDLEY, b. Feb. 28, 1853.
3538. vii. FLORENCE AUGUSTA, b. Feb. 8, 1855; m. Oct. 19, 1879, John Andrews. Res. Branford, Conn.
3539. viii. HARRIET ELIZA, b. Jan. 30, 1857; m. June 6, 1880, Stanley Hall.
3540. ix. FREDERICK HOLMES, b. June 20, 1859; m. Mary H. Dibble.

1971. FREDERICK FIELD (James, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of James and Sarah (Stevens), b. in Madison, Conn., in 1807, where he resided until his death, in 1891. He m. Feb. 10, 1834, Lucy A., dau. of William and Mabel (Murray) Bishop, of Madison, b. 1811; d. 1887.

3541. i. MARY ELIZA, b. Nov. 20, 1837; m. Oct. 9, 1859, Justin Willard.
3542. ii. JANE ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 3, 1841; m. Levi W. Brown.
3543. iii. NEWTON FREDERICK, b. Nov. 9, 1843; m. Adelaide Huntley. Res. Madison, Conn.
3544. iv. SARAH ANN, b. June 30, 1849; m. 1865, Samuel L. Conklin. He

was a farmer; was b. Dec. 11, 1833; d. Nov. 9, 1892. She m. 1899, Lovell Johnson. Res. Madison, Conn. Ch.: 1. Richard Darwell Conklin, b. July 19, 1868. 2. Mary Eveline Conklin, b. April 11, 1871. Mrs. Hammick. Res. Berlin, Conn. 3. Nellie Elizabeth Conklin, b. Oct. 4, 1876. Mrs. Page, Guilford, Conn.

3545. v. LUCY EMELINE, b. April 19, 1849; m. Dec. 2, 1871, Walter Paige. She d. July, 1878.

3546. vi. WILLIAM FRANKLIN, b. Sept. 10, 1852; m. Etta F. Landon.

1972. SAMUEL FIELD (James, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of James and Sarah (Stevens), b. in Madison, Conn., in 1814, where he resided. He was a stone mason and d. Dec. 22, 1891. He m. May 10, 1832, Susan Maria, dau. of Samuel and Polly (Dee) Norton, of Madison, b. Jan. 27, 1815. She d. Aug. 29, 1897.

3547. i. ELLEN SARAH, b. Oct. 12, 1832; m. June 12, 1851, David B. Allen, of Northampton, Mass. Res. Madison, Conn.

3548. ii. SAMUEL JAMES, b. July 21, 1834; m. Julia A. Bates.

3549. iii. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 26, 1836; d. March 20, 1873.

3550. iv. OSMER FRANCIS, b. Nov. 28, 1838. He enlisted in Company ——, regiment, Connecticut volunteers, and d. from disease contracted in the army at New Orleans, Oct. 1, 1863.

3551. v. JONATHAN NELSON, b. March 11, 1841; d. March 11, 1842.

3552. vi. EVELINE MARIA, b. March 13, 1842; d. Nov. 3, 1847.

3553. vii. CATHARINE ISABEL, b. Aug. 21, 1844; d. Sept. 10, 1852.

3554. viii. JONATHAN NELSON, b. Nov. 23, 1847; m. Emily Maria Hustis.

3555. ix. CARLTON SHERLOCK, b. March 26, 1850; m. March 14, 1878, Julia Updyke Graves, b. Feb. 1, 1849. Res. s. p., Guilford, Conn.

3556. x. CATHERINE ISABEL, b. Jan. 30, 1853; m. George B. Miller. Res. 554 Elm St., New Haven, Conn.

3557. xi. EMILY MEHITABLE, b. July 25, 1855; d. Oct. 8, 1855.

1973. KIRTLAND FIELD (James, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of James and Sarah (Stevens), b. in Madison, Conn., in 1816, where he resided. He m. Nov. 2, 1841, Frances E., dau. of Dr. Griffiths; d. Feb. 4, 1847.

3558. i. KIRTLAND, b. June 15, 1844.

3559. ii. EDMUND FRANKLIN, b. June 1, 1845.

3560. iii. FRANCIS ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 18, 1846.

1978. JULIUS BUELL FIELD (Julius, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Julius and Julia (Buell), b. in Madison, Conn., Jan. 30, 1824. He removed to Pittsfield, Ill., where he resided. He m. June 2, 1850, Mary Ann Ives, of Wallingford, Conn.

3561. i. ALPHONZO L., b. ——.

3562. ii. ALBERT BRADLEY, b. ——.

3563. iii. HERBERT, b. ——.

3564. iv. CHARLES, b. ——.

1980. MARTIN L. FIELD (Martin, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Martin and Sarah (Buell), b. in Madison, Conn., August, 1810; d. July 13, 1858. He m. Nov. 24, 1830, Betsey, dau. of Jeremiah and —— Buell, of Madison. She m., 2d, July 31, 1865,

Joseph B. Wilcox, of Madison She d. May 17, 1879. Res. Madison and Killingworth, Conn.

3565. i. DANIEL BUELL, b. Feb. 9, 1835.

3566. ii. RACHEL HELEN, b. 1836; m. June 9, 1855, Charles H. Seymour, of Winsted, Conn; d. 1867.

3567. iii. THANKFUL ELIZABETH, b. July 16, 1848; m. 1866, —— Stevens.

3568. iv. FRANCES MATILDA, b. August, 1852; m. 1869, Zeno Evarts.

3569. v. FRANKLIN PIERCE, b. May 8, 1854; d. Dec. 18, 1859.

1983. ANDREW M. FIELD (Martin, Samuel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Martin and Sarah (Buell), b. in Madison, Conn., in 1819; d. November, 1854. He m. Elizabeth Sanford, of Fairhaven, Conn. Res. Madison, Conn.

1985. DAVID DUDLEY FIELD (John, Daniel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Litchfield, Conn., 1791; m. Feb. 25, 1819, Martha Henry, b. 1796; d. Feb. 2, 1861. He d. July 3, 1865. Res. New Haven, N. Y.

3570. i. HENRY, b. Jan. 11, 1820; d. Aug. 1, 1826.

3571. ii. NORVIA, b. Nov. 11, 1821; d. Oct. 14, 1822.

3572. iii. PLATT, b. Sept. 8, 1823; d. Aug. 9, 1851.

3573. iv. JOSIAH V., b. July 8, 1825; d. July 30, 1825.

3574. v. CHARLES S., b. Feb. 21, 1828; m. Hester Ann Goodrich.

3575. vi. OSCAR HENRY, b. April 17, 1831; m. Mary Smith.

1986. DEACON ISAAC NEWTON FIELD (Daniel, Daniel, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. New York State, Oct. 21, 1807; m. in Clyde, January, 1831, Martha Fay Wood, b. Nov. 21, 1806; d. July, 1868; m., 2d, Orpha L. Collins, b. March, 1835; d. July 7, 1894.

Isaac Newton Field, b. Oct. 21, 1807, in New York State; m. Jan. 20, 1831, at Clyde, N. Y., Martha Fay Wood. In 1836 he moved to Ypsilanti, Mich., where he organized the Baptist church and was made deacon for many years. Four children were born. In 1855 he moved to Davenport, Iowa. His wife d. July 16, 1868. In 1872 he m. Orpha Louise Collins and had one child, About 1879 he moved to Des Moines, Iowa, and d. there.

He d. Des Moines, Iowa, March 27, 1888. Res. Clyde, N. Y.

3576. i. ELIZABETH ALDRICH, b. Aug. 10, 1833; m. Sept. 5, 1853, Henry Tilden, b. Sept. 24, 1832. Ch.: 1. Newton Henry m. Mary E. Taylor. Ch.: (a) Annie Bell; d. (b) Ida May. (c) Edna Josephine; d. (d) Henry Irving. (e) Elizabeth Ethel. (f) Reed Emory. (g) Lloyd John. 2. Winfield Scott, m. Rosa Doud. Ch.: (a) Rosa Elizabeth. (b) Earl Winfield. (c) Paul 3. Irving Ellsworth, unm. 4. Elbert Grant., m. Adah ——. Ch.: (a) Fern Beatrice. (b) Bruce. Res. 219 8th Av., s. e. Minneapolis, Minn. 5. Josephine Elizabeth; unm.

3577. ii. MARY LOUISA, b. May 26, 1835; m. Sept. 5, 1853, Dr. Henry Franklin Dodge. Res. Golden, Col. He was b. Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 27, 1827; d. Davenport, Iowa, May 29, 1875; was a dentist. Ch.: 1. Henry Newton Dodge, b. July 7, 1854; d. July 15, 1854, Manchester, Mich. 2. Fannie Fay Dodge, b. Sept. 25, 1856; d. July 28, 1857, Davenport, Iowa. 3. Charles Field Dodge, b. Aug. 8, 1864; d. Aug. 26, 1866, Davenport, Iowa.

4. Minnie Belle Dodge, b. June 4, 1869, Davenport, Iowa; m. Aug. 4, 1897, at Golden, Col., Rev. Frederic Lewis Krueger. P. O., New Windsor, Col.

3578. iii. FRANCES MARIA, b. Sept. 19, 1841; m. Oct. 25, 1859, Hon. Matt Parrott. Res. Waterloo, Iowa. He was b. May 11, 1837. Was publisher with his sons, W. F. and L. G., of the Waterloo Daily Reporter and Iowa State Reporter. Ch.: 1. William Field Parrott, b. July 1, 1860. 2. Louis Gilbert Parrott, b. Dec. 2, 1863. 3. James Sears Parrott, b. June 27, 1875. 4. Kate, b. Aug. 7, 1878; d. Aug. 19, 1878.

(Special to the Chicago Times-Herald.)

Waterloo, Iowa, April 22, 1900.—Matt Parrott, of Waterloo, former state senator and lieutenant-governor, president of the National Editorial Association and one of the foremost men of Iowa for more than twenty years, died of Bright's disease last night at Battle Creek, Mich., where he had gone in the hope of regaining his health.

The end was not unexpected. Mr. Parott had been failing for several months. Early in the winter, upon the advice of his physician, he tried the water cures at Colfax and later at Eureka Springs, Ark. Four weeks ago he came home from Eureka Springs and was then taken to the sanitarium at Battle Creek, but the ravages of the disease could not be checked.

Mr. Parrott was a native of New York, having been born in Schoharie county, May 11, 1837. He learned the printer's trade in his native town and when a young man came West, and worked in several cities in eastern Iowa, and for some time was an employe in the office of the Chicago Democrat, conducted then by John Wentworth.

In 1869 he came to Waterloo and purchased an interest in the Iowa State Reporter, a weekly Republican paper, which he edited since that date, and which is now a part of the daily edition published by himself and his sons, William, Louis and James.

In municipal affairs he was prominent and served three terms as mayor of the city, being elected twice without opposition. He was elected state binder of Iowa in 1878, and was re-elected, serving until 1885. In 1885 he was elected to the State Senate from the district composed of the counties of Blackhawk and Grundy, and was chosen for a second term in 1889.

After his second term as State Senator had expired Mr. Parrott became the Republican candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, and received the highest vote cast for any candidate on the ticket, being elected with a plurality of 65,000 votes. During his term as Lieutenant-Governor two sessions of the Legislature were held, one of them being the special session, called in 1897, for revision of the laws of the state. Mr. Parrott was a popular presiding officer of the Senate, always fair and courteous in his treatment of the members and conducting the business in an eminently satisfactory manner. His only reverse in politics was when he became a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor in 1897. He was the leading candidate up to the hour

of the convention. but was defeated by Governor Shaw for the nomination.

Mr. Parrott had been for several years a member of the State and National Editorial Associations, and at the time of his death was president of the latter, having been unanimously elected at the meeting held at New Orleans, last February. He planned last summer to spend a portion of the present year in Europe, and had made all arrangements for the trip abroad when he was taken sick. Early in March he was appointed by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson as the representative of the United States government to investigate the agricultural conditions of France.

Many messages of condolence have been received, including telegrams from Senator Allison and Speaker Henderson.

Frances M. Field, youngest daughter of Isaac Newton and Martha Fay Field, born in Ypsilanti, Mich., Sept. 19, 1841; was educated at State Normal School in that place; married Matt Parrott, in the city of Davenport, Iowa, Oct. 25, 1859; removed to Anamosa, Iowa, where Mr. Parrott was publishing a newspaper, the Anamosa Eureka; lived there three years, when she moved to Morris, Ill., remaining but a few months, and then going again to Davenport, Iowa, where she lived six years. In February, 1869, removing to Waterloo, where she now resides. She is a communicant of Christ Episcopal church. Three sons and one daughter were born to Mr. and Mrs. Parrott. The daughter died in infancy. The sons, William Field, Louis Gilbert and James Sears, were associated with their father in the firm of Matt Parrott & Sons, publishers Daily Iowa State Reporter and blank book manufacturers and printers.

3579. iv. NEWTON MILES, b. Dec. 11, 1873; unm. Res. Lake City, Iowa.

1998. GEORGE FIELD (John, Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Ruth (Munger), b. in Madison, Conn., in 1800; d. Oct. 9, 1863. He m. Aug. 9, 1830, Mary, dau. of Amasa Leete, of Madison. Res. Madison, Conn.

3580. i. OSWELL WARREN, b. Dec. 4, 1830; d. in hospital at Staten Island, N. Y., May, 1849.

3581. ii. RODOLPHUS LEETE, b. July 4, 1832; m. Mary S. Way.

3582. iii. ELIZA ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 6, 1834; m. David W. Atwater, of New Haven, Conn.

3583. iv. GEORGE FLORENTINE, b. April 14, 1837; drowned Dec. 19, 1865.

3584. v. MARTHA JANE, b. Dec. 29, 1838; m. Jan. 5, 1872, George W. Caldwell, of Cape Ann, Mass.

3585. vi. MARY FRANCES, b. Oct. 25, 1841; m. July 19, 1862, Frederick W. Snow; m., 2d, 1867, Horatio H. Lane.

3586. vii. GEORGE, b. Oct. 27, 1843; drowned Dec. 20, 1865.

2004. PHILANDER MUNGER FIELD (John, Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of John and Ruth (Munger), b. in Madison, Conn., Jan. 6, 1818; d. April 1, 1890. He m. Jan. 9, 1841, Eunice Louise, dau. of Edmund Leete, of Madison, b. Dec. 8, 1819; d. April 26, 1894. He was a farmer. Res. Madison, Conn.

3587. i. FANNY MARILLA, b. Oct. 14, 1841; m. Dec. 6, 1860, Edgar Moody; d. Sept. 2, 1861.

3588. ii. MARY JANE, b. March 31, 1844; d. May 19, 1894.

3589. iii. JOHN PHILANDER, b. May 27, 1849; m. Annie Louisa Miller and Hattie Amelia Cook.

3590. iv. WILLIE MUNGER, b. April 26, 1854; m. Eunice A. Cook.

3591. v. A DAUGHTER, b. July 23, 1858; d. young.

2008. JOSEPH DEMETRIUS FIELD (Joareb, Joareb, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah John, John, Richard, William, William), b. East Guilford, Conn., Sept. 10, 1808; m, July 31, 1834, Mrs. Eliza Stricker, dau. of Samuel and Lois (Smith). Was a gunsmith. Was in the Mexican war. He d. April 13, 1850. Res. Bethel and Bronson, Mich.

3591¼. i. SALLY ANN, b. May 9, 1835; m. July 3, 1856, at Bronson, Mich., Cyrus Jerome Keyes, son of Samuel and Mary Keyes. Ch.: 1. Ella Lunett, b. May 11, 1857; m. Nov. 3, 1875, Frederic D. Brown. 2. Gertrude Inez, b. Aug. 10, 1859; m. Jan. 26, 1881, Charles J. Noyes.

3591½. ii. PHEBE LOUISA, b. March 8, 1838 (changed name to Ida Louisa); m. March 8, 1856, Zelotes H. Mather (Company M, 5th Michigan cavalry; wounded at battle of Gettysburg; d. at Frederick, Md., Aug. 9, 1862). Ch.: 1. Andrew J. Martin, b. ——; removed Aug. 3, 1868; to Huntsville, Ala., in 1870. 2. Minnie Maud, b. Nov. 4, 1858; m. Oct. 17, 1876, Lewis Hall. Reside at Tuscumbia, Ala.

3591¾. iii. WILLIAM, b. May 7, 1841; d. Feb. 14, 1841.

3592. iv. HENRY DEMETRIUS, b. May 24, 1842; m. Mary Ann Staco.

3592¼. v. DARWIN WILLSON, b. March 27, 1846; m. Medora Jane Barton.

3592½. vi. EUNICE AUGUSTA, b. Jan. 14, 1850; m. June 25, 1876, Augustus Pixley, b. Oct. 18, 18—. Res. Bronson, Mich. Ch.: 1. Fanny Eliza, b. Jan. 6, 18—.

2015. LAURENCE ALEXANDER FIELD (Jedediah, Luke, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), b. Madison, Conn., in 1821. He was drowned May 6, 1874. Was a builder. He m. Dec. 24, 1845, Delia F., dau. of Galen Dowd, of Madison, b. March 11, 1826; d. May 7, 1881. Res. Madison, Conn.

3593. i. BENJAMIN DOWD, b. Jan. 27, 1847; m. Mary A. Finn and Lilla E. Page.

3594. ii. WILLIAM LAWRENCE, b. July 12, 1854. Res. Bridgeport, Conn.

2016. THOMAS S. FIELD (Jedediah, Luke, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Jedediah and Rebecca (Bradley), b. in Madison, Conn., April 5, 1824. He m. Nov. 16, 1847, Juliette, dau. of Houston Wilcox, of Madison. Res. Madison, Conn.

3595. i. FREDERICK W., b. Feb. 5, 1849; m. Imogene D. Miner.

3596. ii. FRANK SUMNER, b. Jan. 27, 1855.

3597. iii. GEORGE CLEVELAND, b. Feb. 10, 1858; m. Blanche Vanderberg.

2021. ELLIOTT BRADLEY FIELD (Jedediah, Luke, Samuel, Ebenezer, Zechariah, Zechariah, John, John, Richard, William, William), son of Jedediah and Rebecca (Bradley), b. in Madison, Conn., June 18, 1835. He d. July 9, 1888. He

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